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ANNUAL REPORT

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NEW MEXICO RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION

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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

The New Mexico Rural Water Association continues to progress in our mission to provide technical assistance, training and advocacy for the drinking water and wastewater industry in New Mexico. The Association is able to accomplish this by tapping into years of real-life experience, common sense and hard work on the part of our volunteer Board of Directors and the best Rural Water staff in the business! Added to this winning combination is the foundation of an active membership, dedicated to providing safe drinking water, environmentally responsible wastewater systems and protecting our precious water resources.

This past year has been another success as we have continued to strengthen existing partnerships while seeking out new avenues to benefit our members. Our staff provided 91 days of training throughout the state during 2011. NMRWA trained almost 1,000 people in the topics of water, wastewater, management, leadership, financial, and board responsibilities. The staff of NMRWA have 100 years of combined experience as certified water operators!

Each year the difficult job of properly managing drinking water and wastewater utilities becomes more complex... And the rules and regulations governing our operations more stringent. Technical assistance and training from the New Mexico Rural Water Association is a critical resource for small communities to be able to maintain compliance with the increasing number of federal regulations under the Safe Drinking Water Act and the Clean Water Act.

As we struggle to understand and comply with the ever-increasing number of regulations, we all need to take advantage of every opportunity to positively influence the laws affecting our industry:

- Stay in close contact with your elected officials.

- Participate in the regional planning processes.

- Stay abreast of state and federal regulations and involve yourself whenever changes in drinking water and wastewater regulation are proposed.

- Most important: Continue to participate in the activities of the New Mexico Rural Water Association!

I have certainly enjoyed and appreciated the past year as President of the Association, and I look forward to the future. My pledge, on behalf of the Board of Directors, is to continue to nurture the old and new partnerships that have contributed to our past success, and continue our efforts to help all of our water and wastewater systems as we roll into the future.

Please call our office if we can be of assistance to you and your system.

Sincerely,

David Kenneke
President

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SUMMARY

NMRWA employs professional certified operators that travel New Mexico to provide free technical assistance and hands-on training directly to system personnel at their facility. On-site technical assistance improves the skill level of operators by teaching them how to solve problems as opposed to fixing the problems for them. NMRWA staff help troubleshoot and provide practical solutions for operations, maintenance and regulatory issues faced by drinking water systems every day.

	ON-SITE HOURS	ON-SITE CONTACTS	TRAINING HOURS
Circuit Rider #1	586	494	-
Circuit Rider #2	894	491	-
Wastewater Technician	334	431	81
Board Training Specialist	305	459	10
Totals	2,119	1,875	91

	ON-SITE HOURS	SOURCES PROTECTED	TRAINING HOURS
EPA Sourcewater Specialist*	291	21	29
USDA Sourcewater Specialist	297	36	33
Tribal Sourcewater Specialist*	78	8	17
Totals			

* Program ended midyear due to lack of funding

TRAINING SUMMARY

The New Mexico Rural Water Association is the premier training provider for water and wastewater system operators, providing high quality instruction since 1978. NMRWA staff members have 100 years of combined experience as certified water operators and 105 years of experience training water operators. We focus on increasing the professionalism of system personnel and have built an effective working relationship with operators through our programs and trainings.

Our Training Specialists provide introductory, advanced and specialized trainings and on-site technical assistance to operators and managers of drinking water systems of all sized and complexities. Trainings provide certification exam preparation, certification renewal and continuing education in the technical, operational and management aspects of drinking water systems.

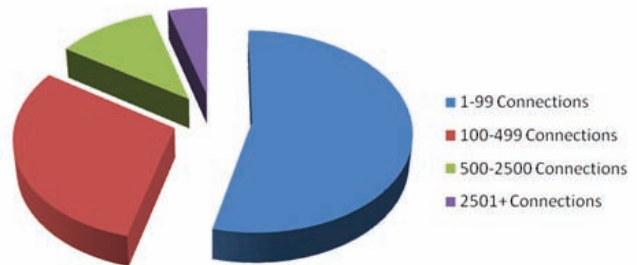
	ATTENDEES	TRAINING HOURS	CREDITS AWARDED
Water System Training	821	511	8,138
Wastewater System Training	151	173	3,268
Totals	972	684	11,406

Total Days of Training	91
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MEMBERSHIP

NMRWA experienced a significant growth in membership in 2011, our largest single-year increase for decades. Small water systems continue to be largest component, with over 50% of our members serving less than 100 connections. Large systems and municipalities also recognized the value in belonging to the Association in 2011, resulting in a 60% increase in our largest membership category.

In addition to our system members, any business, corporation, organization or individual adhering to the purposes of the Association may join. NMRWA had 106 Associate members and 10 Individual members in 2011.



SYSTEM MEMBER TYPE

Cooperatives	60
Municipalities	83
Mutual Domestic Water Associations	163
Privately Owned	127
Tribal Systems	10
Other Government	31
Water & Sanitation Districts	13
Total	486

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

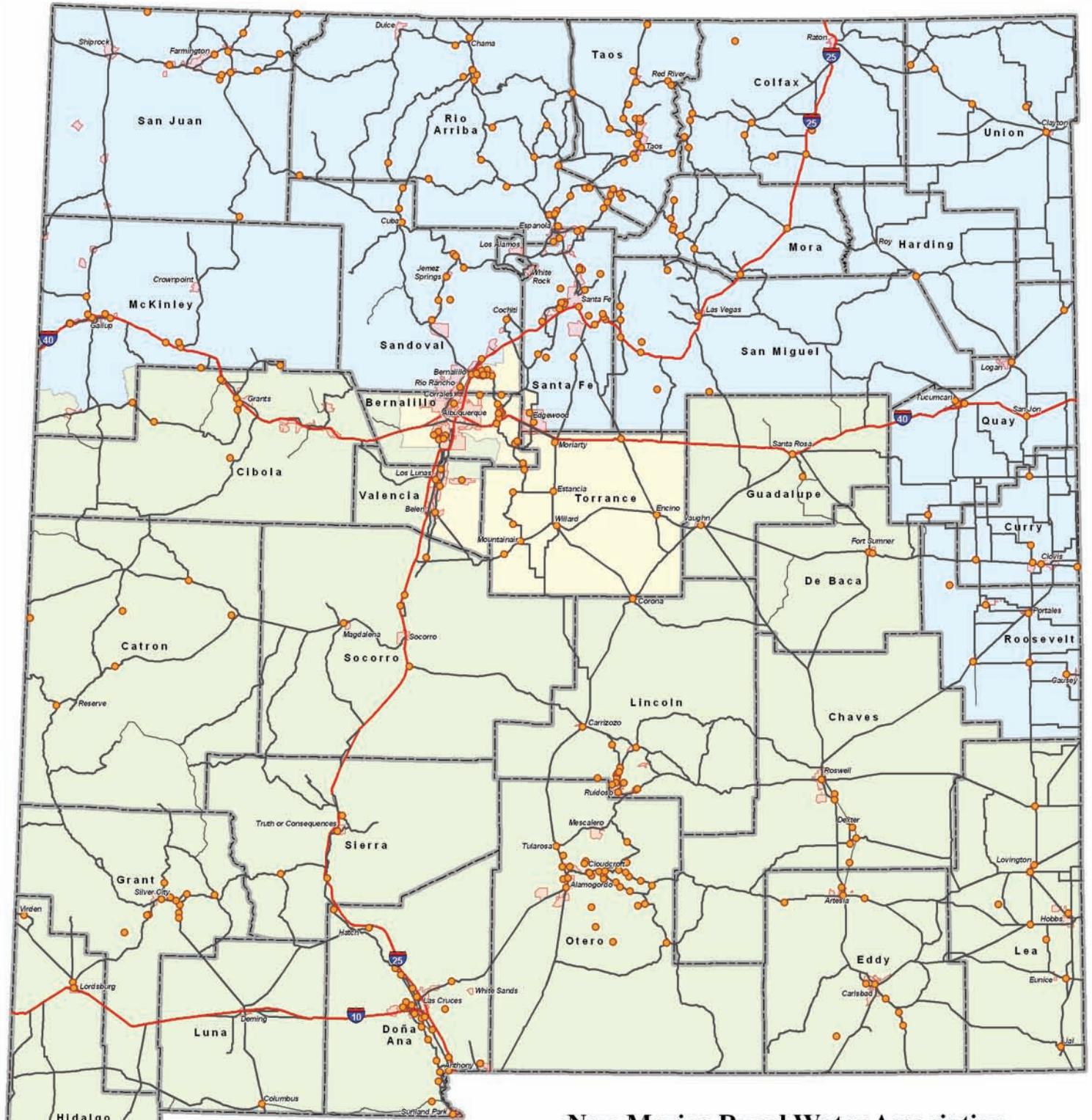
REVENUE

	2009	2010
Federal Grants	973,641	1,013,783
State Grants & Contracts	225,163	164,813
Membership Dues	84,388	97,506
Annual Conference	127,014	115,606
Interest Income	1,658	2,358
Other Income	2,840	39,607
Total Revenue	\$1,414,704	\$1,433,673

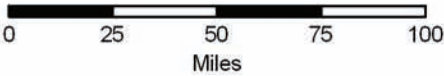
EXPENSE

	2009	2010
Salaries & Benefits	707,699	749,885
Other Program Expenses	362,362	333,224
Travel	211,177	219,884
Annual Conference	98,728	97,054
Management & General	71,360	53,292
Total Expense	\$1,451,326	\$1,453,339
Carryover	(\$36,622)	(\$19,666)

Figures obtained from NMRWA's 2010 Audited Financial Statements



New Mexico Rural Water Association 2011 SYSTEM MEMBERS



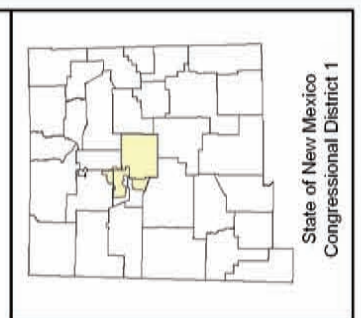
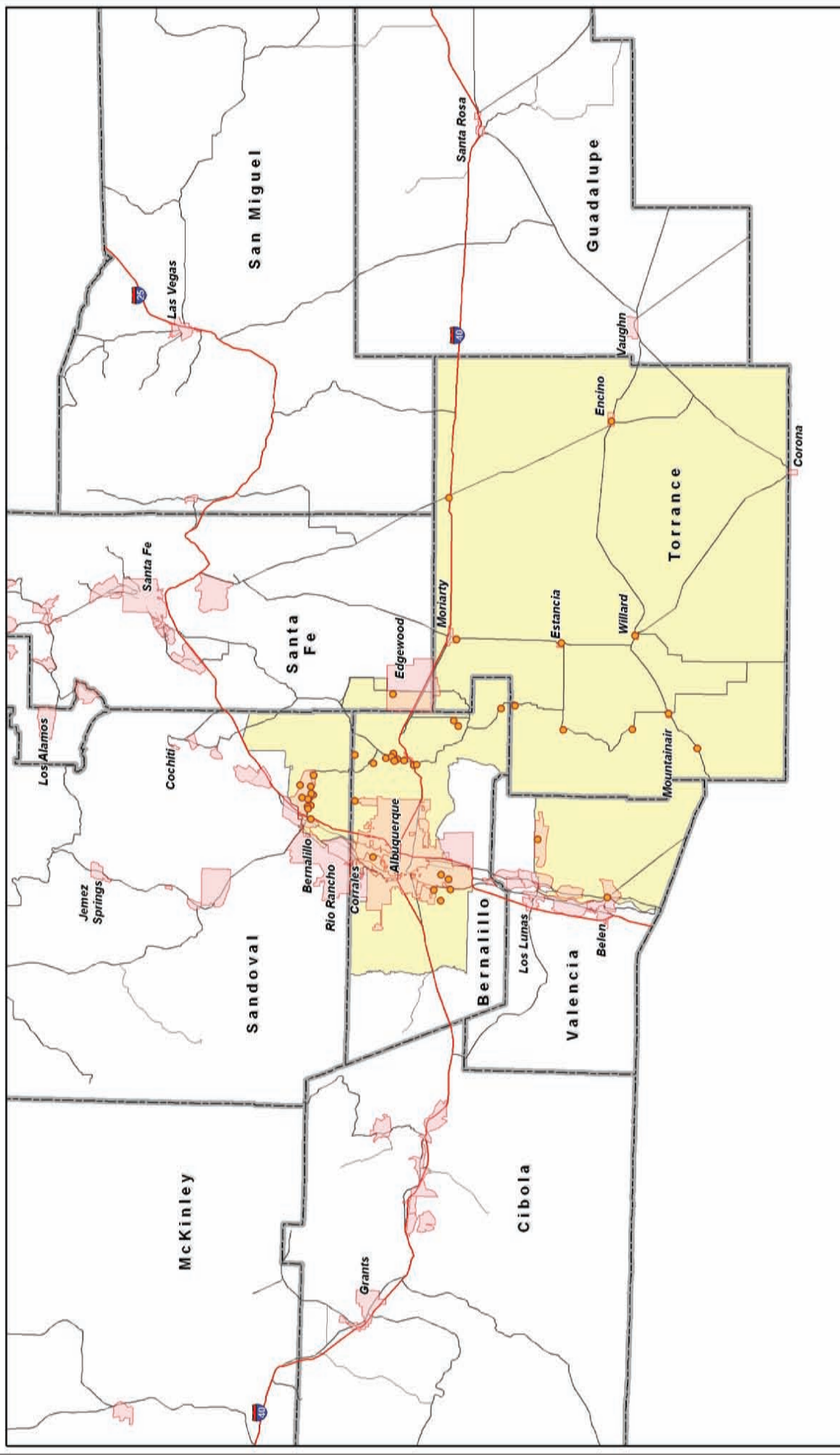
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| Drinking Water Systems | Congressional Districts |
| ● 2011 System Members | 1 |
| — Roads | 2 |
| — Interstate | 3 |
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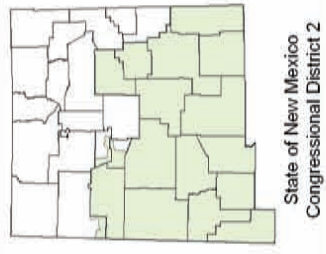
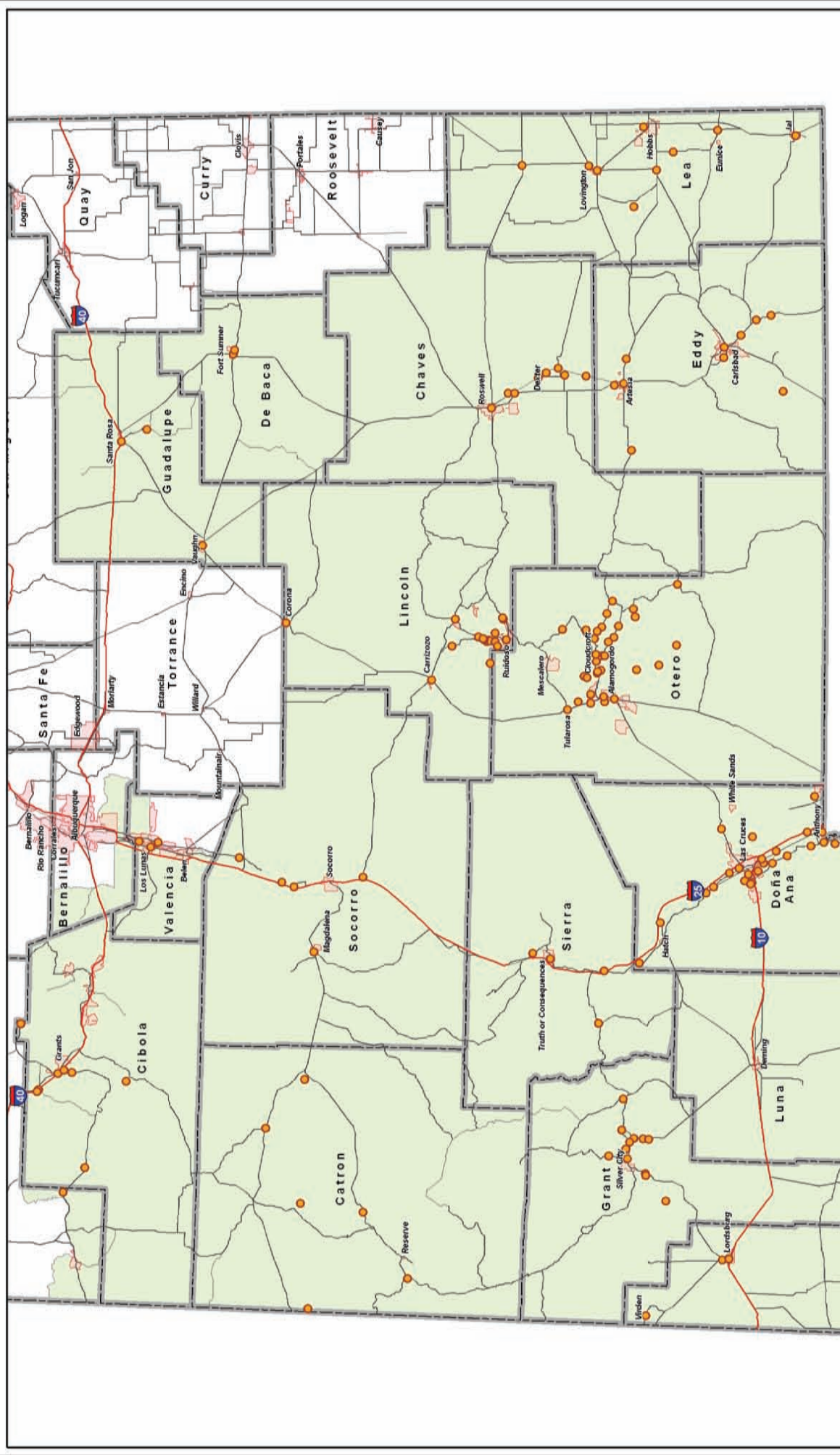
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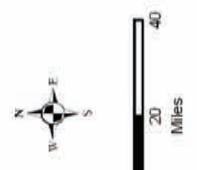
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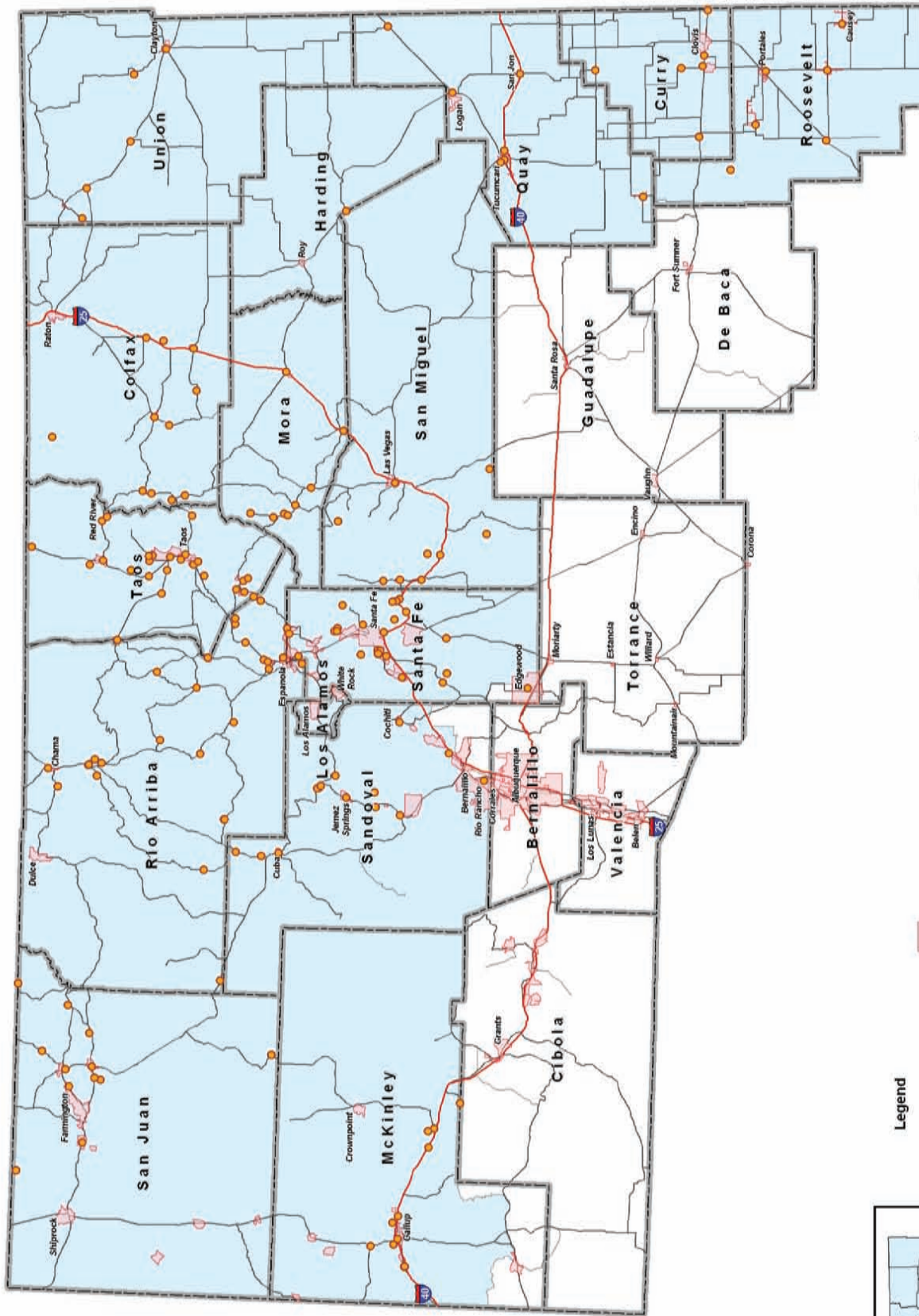
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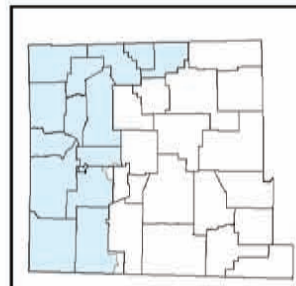
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SYSTEM MEMBERS

MUTUAL DOMESTIC WATER ASSOCIATIONS - 163

Abiquiu	Cuatro Villas	Lincoln	Rio Lucio
Agua Fria	Cuchilla del Llano	Los Apodacas	Rivera's
Agua Pura	Cumberland	Los Brazos	Riverside
Agua Sana	Dixon	Lower Arroyo Hondo	Rodarte
Alcalde	Doña Ana	Lower Des Montes	Rodeo
Alto de las Flores	Dungan	Lumberton	Rolling Hills
Aragon	Duran Y Gavilan	Lybrook	Rosedale
Arenas Valley	East Pecos	Malaga	Rowe
Arroyo Seco	El Llano	Manzano	Rutherford
Barranco	El Rito Canyon	Miami	San Acacia
Berino	El Rito Regional	Monument	San Antonio
Bibo	El Salto	Moquino	San Antonio de Cleveland
Blanco	El Vadito de los Cerrillos	Mora	San Cristobal
Bluewater Acres	Ensenada	Mountain Orchard	San Mateo
Bluewater Lake	Fambrough	Navajo Dam	San Pablo
Bosque Gardens	Flora Vista	Nogal	Sierra Vista
Brazito	French	North Cleveland	Sile
Brazos	Galisteo	North Hurley	Southside
Buena Vista	Gallina	North San Ysidro	Tajique
Caballo Lake	Garfield	North Star	Talavera
Cañada de los Alamos	Glorieta Estates	Ojo Caliente	Talpa
Canjilon	Glorieta	Ojo Sarco	Tecolotito
Cañon	Gonzales Ranch	Orchard Estates	Tesuque
Cañoncito at Apache Canyon	Greater Chimayo	Organ	Tierra Amarilla
Cañones	Green Ridge	Otis	Tres Piedras
Canyon	Greenfield	Pena Blanca	Twin Forks
Capulin	Hanover	Penasco	Tyrone
Casas Adobes	Hidden Valley Estates	Picacho	Upper Arroyo Hondo
Cedar Crest	Hillsboro	Pie Town	Upper Des Montes
Cerro Regional	Ilfeld	Pine River	Upper Holman
Chama West	Jemez Springs	Pineywoods Estates	Vadito
Chamberino	La Cienega	Piñon	Vallecitos
Chamisal	La Cueva	Pinos Altos	Velarde
Chamita	La Jara	Polvadera	Vista Redonda
Chilili	La Joya	Ponderosa	Waterfall Community
Chupadero	La Luz	Puerto de Luna	Watrous
Cider Mill Farms	La Pasada	Punta de Agua	West Rim
Coal Basin	La Union	Quail Hollow	White Cliffs
Cordova	Lake Roberts	Quemado Lake	Winterhaven
Costilla	Las Trampas	Ranchos de Taos	
Cottonwood	Leasburg	Regina	
Coyote Creek	Liberty	Rio Chiquito	

SYSTEM MEMBERS

MUNICIPALITIES - 83

Angel Fire	Corona	Hagerman	Melrose	Socorro
Artesia	Cuba	Hatch	Mesilla	Springer
Bayard	Deming	Hope	Milan	Sunland Park
Belen	Des Moines	House	Moriarty	Taos Ski Valley
Bernalillo	Dexter	Hurley	Mosquero	Tatum
Bloomfield	Dora	Jal	Mountainair	Texico
Bosque Farms	Eagle Nest	Lake Arthur	Pecos	Tijeras
Capitan	Elephant Butte	Las Cruces	Questa	Truth or
Carlsbad	Elida	Las Vegas	Red River	Consequences
Carrizozo	Encino	Logan	Reserve	Tucumcari
Causey	Estancia	Lordsburg	Roswell	Tularosa
Chama	Eunice	Los Alamos	Roy	Vaughn - Duran
Cimarron	Floyd	Los Lunas	Ruidoso	Virden
Clayton	Fort Sumner	Loving	San Jon	Wagon Mound
Cloudcroft	Gallup	Lovington	San Ysidro	Weed
Clovis	Grady	Magdalena	Santa Clara	Willard
Columbus	Grenville	Maxwell	Santa Rosa	

COOPERATIVES - 60

Algodones	Glen Acres	Madrid	Sierra Vista South
Alto Alps	Happy Valley	Maxwell	Silver Springs
Anasazi Trails	Hi Mesa Estates	Nara Visa	Springer Tract
Artesia Rural Water	High Rolls Water	Old Sandia Park	Thompson Ridge
Bearcat Homeowners	Hofheins/Marcel Thomas	Overlook	Tierra Monte
Berrendo	Hyde Park Estates	Pendaries	TK Services
Cedar Creek Cabin Owners	La Mesa	Pete Ragan Memorial	Tranquillo Pines
Cedar Creek Water	La Vista	Placitas Trails	Turquoise Estates
Cielo Vista	Laborcita	Placitas West	Upper La Plata
Community Water	Las Campanas	RAD Water	Val Verde 2
Cypress Gardens	Lea County Electric	Rancho Grande	Valley
Desert Sky Mountain	Lee Acres	Rincon	Vista Bonita
Eileen Acres	Lindrith	Robin Hood	Vista De Oro De Placitas
Entranosa	Lost Horizon	Roosevelt County	West Hammond
Forest Park	Lower Valley	Sagebrush	Whispering Cedars

WATER & SANITATION DISTRICTS - 13

Alpine Village	Ranchos de Placitas
Alto Lakes	San Rafael
Anthony	Sun Valley
Bluewater	Thoreau
Central NM Correctional	Timberon
El Prado	Yah-ta-hey
Ramah	

SYSTEM MEMBERS

PRIVATE - 127

Alamo Heights	Elephant Butte Irrigation District	Low-Hi RV Ranch	South Hills Water
Albuquerque North KOA	Elliott Barker Girl Scout Camp	Mayhill Water Supply	Spring Canyon Ranch
American RV Park	Enchanted Forest Water	Monastery of Christ in the Desert	St. Joseph Mission School
Anthony Point of Entry	Enchanted Mesa MHP	Monte Bello RV Park	St. Williams MHP
Archdiocese of Santa Fe	Enchanted Valley Water Users	Montie's Cafe	St. Johns MHP
Ardivinos Desert Crossing	ENMR Plateau	Mosaic Potash Carlsbad	Stakeout Restaurant
Aspendale Baptist Camp	Fawn Ridge Property Owners	Mountain Meadow RV Park	Sunset Acres
Barcelona Mobile Home Park	Fence Lake Water Association	Oasis Enterprises	Tall Pines Resort
Black River Center	Fort Selden Water Company	Paa-ko Communities Sewer	Tall Pines Water District
Bonita Park Nazarene Center	Freeport McMoran Cobre Mine	Pendaries RV Resort	Taos East Condominiums
Bowlins Trading Post	Frontier Field Services	Philmont Boy Scout Ranch	Thunder Mountain Water
Bug Scuffle Sportsmans Ranch	GCC Rio Grande	Ponderosa Pines	Tierra West Estates MHP
Burro Mountain Homestead	Ghost Ranch Conference Center	Ramah Navajo School Board	Trailer Ranch RV Park
Camel Rock Casino	Grants Cibola Sands KOA	Rancho de Chimayo	Transwestern Pipeline
Caprock Water Company	Greer Subdivision	Rancho Vista MHP	Travelers World Camp
Carlos Lucero Subdivision	High Sierra Estates Water	Rehoboth Christian School	Triple J MHP
Casa Angelica	Holly Gardens MHP	Rio Communities	Trout Mountain
Casa San Ysidro	Holy Cross Retreat Center	Rob Roy Trailer Park	Turquoise Trail Camp
CBG Water Company	Homestead Landowners	Rocky Mountain MP	Turquoise Trail Water System
Cedar Rail Campground	Homestead Mobile Home Park	Sacramento Methodist Assembly	Tyrone Townsite
Chevron Mining - Questa	Horseshoe Springs Association	Sacramento Mountain Retreat	Valle del Rio Water
Chino Mines	Ideal Trailer Park	Sandia Peak Ski Company	Valle Escondido
Cimarroncita Ranch	Intrepid Potash NM	Sandia Peak Utility	Vermejo Park Ranch
Circle B RV Park	JK Corporation	Santa Fe Mobile Home Hacienda	Villa Santa Maria
Clines Corners	Karr Canyon Estates	Santa Fe Ski Basin	Village MHP
Cloud Country Estates	La Cueva Business Center	Santa Fe West MHP	Vista Del Sol
Cloud Country West	La Lomita Mobile Home Park	Senior Living Systems	West Mesa Water Co.
Conoco Phillips - Buckeye	La Vida Mission Community	Sierra Los Pinos	West Mesa Water System
Cook Canyon Ranch	Las Acequias de Placitas	Sierra Vista Retirement	Whites City Water
Delancey Street Foundation	Las Cruces KOA Campground	Silver Cloud Water Users	Wild and Woolley Trailer Ranch
Eagle Nest Residential Center	Las Cruces Mobile Home Park	Sivell's Baptist Camp	
El Gancho Fitness Club	Lifeway Glorieta Center	Sixteen Springs	
El Rancho de las Golondrinas	Los Alamos Ski Club	Ski Apache Resort	

TRIBAL & OTHER GOVERNMENT - 41

Abo Ruins Salinas Pueblo	Clayton Lake State Park	Mesa Vista School	San Ildefonso Pueblo
Acoma Business Enterprises	Doña Ana County Utilities	Mescalero Apache Utility	Sandia Pueblo
Animas Public Schools	El Malpais NM	Moriarty - Edgewood School	Sangre de Cristo Center
Bernalillo Public Schools	El Morro NM	Navajo Nation EPA	Santa Ana Pueblo
Bosque del Apache NWR	Ft. Craig	National Solar Observatory	Santa Fe County Utilities
Bureau of Indian Education	Ft. Stanton	New Mexico Boys Ranch	Santa Fe National Forest
Bureau of Land Management	Gadsden Schools	NE New Mexico Detention	Taos Pueblo Utility
Capulin Volcano NM	Indian Health Service	Ramah Navajo Utility	Tesuque Pueblo
Carlsbad Caverns NP	Jicarilla Apache Utility	Ranchvale Elementary	Thoreau Schools
Chaco Culture NHP	Melrose Bombing Range	Roswell Correctional Center	Zia Pueblo

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS - 106

A.Y. McDonald Manufacturing	Fast Ditch	New Mexico Water Initiative
Absolute Aeration	Ferguson Waterworks	Odessa Pumps & Equipment
AdEdge Technologies	Filter Tech Systems	Pioneer Equipment
AIRVAC	Ford Meter Box	Pipeline Solutions
Albuquerque Winwater/Winnelson	Great Southwest Meter Testing	Pipestone Equipment
All State Tank Manufacturing	Green Equipment	Pittsburg Tank & Tower
Allchem Performance Products	Hach	Polylok
Alliance for PE Pipe	Hanna Instruments	ProTek Services
Alpha Southwest	H2O Consultants	Red Flint Sand & Gravel
Animas Environmental Services	HARCO Fittings	Reynolds
Applied Products Group	HD Supply - Waterworks	RMCI
Baker Utility Supply	Industrial Service & Supply	Rodgers & Company
The Barry Group - TNEPEC	Industrial Test Systems	SCG Enterprises
Biolynceus	Insurance Services of NM	Sensus, USA
Blue Earth Labs	isiWEST	Sequoyah Software & Consulting
Bohannon Huston	Isolux Technologies	SJE-Rhombus
Browns Hill Engineering	JCH - James, Cooke & Hopson	Smith Engineering Company
Caldwell Tanks	Layne-Christensen	Souder, Miller & Associates
Campbell Scientific	Livingston Associates	Southwest Engineers
Canyon State Filtration	Logics	Stenner Pump Company
Carmeuse Industrial Sands	Master Meter	Syracuse Castings West
Cheney-Walters-Echols	MIOX Corporation	Tank Maintenance & Construction
Chuck Homer & Associates	Mission Communications	Ted D. Miller Associates
Clow Valve	Molzen-Corbin & Associates	TestAmerica Laboratories
Compass Tools	Mountain States Pipe & Supply	Timber Line Electric & Control
Controls West	Mueller Company	TLC Plumbing & Utility
D & R Tank	Mueller Systems	Tomcat Consultants/TAP
DCP Midstream	Narasimhan Consulting Services	USA Blue Book
Dennis Engineering Company	Natgun Corporation	USA Tank Storage Systems
DEWCO Pumps & Equipment	Neptune Technology Group	USDA Rural Development
DPC Industries	NMED Construction Programs Bureau	Utility Service Company
EAI Southwest	NMED Drinking Water Bureau	Water Technology Group
East Jordan Iron Works	New Mexico Finance Authority	WHPacific
Engineers, Inc.	New Mexico Meters	
ESRI	New Mexico One Call	
Essco Pipe & Supply	NM Water & Wastewater Assoc.	WRT - Water Remediation Technology

MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to provide the highest quality training and technical assistance to rural water and wastewater utilities throughout New Mexico, and to represent the legislative and regulatory interests of our members.

VISION STATEMENT

Our vision is to be the recognized leader of water and wastewater utilities with emphasis on rural and small systems in New Mexico.

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