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NOTICE OF HYBRID SPECIAL OPEN MEETING: NMPRC NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The New Mexico Public Regulation Commission ("PRC") gives notice of a Special Open Meeting of the NMPRC Nominating Committee, scheduled for **Tuesday, October 27, 2026** and **Wednesday, October 28, 2026** at **9:00 A.M.** at the New Mexico State Capitol Building located at 490 Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe, NM 87501 Room: 309 or virtual through our YouTube channel.

Any interested persons may make oral comments in person, via the Zoom app, or by telephone. Persons making oral public comments in person do not need to sign up in advance but do need to sign in by hand on the sign-up sheet at 490 Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe, NM 87501 Room: 309.

Individuals wishing to comment must sign up by contacting Patrick Rodriguez at public.comment@prc.nm.gov or (505) 490-7910 as soon as possible before the start of the meeting. When sending an email to sign up for public comment please identify the name of the commentor(s), the name of the organization they represent (if any), and the topic or issue on which they desire to comment. The portion of the agenda allocated for public comment at any one open meeting shall be limited to a maximum of 30 minutes for all persons wishing to provide comment. The order of speakers will be based on the order in which speakers sign up, but public officials may be taken out of order. If a speaker is not present at the time he or she is called to provide comment, that speaker shall forfeit their opportunity to speak. Public comment by an individual or entity shall be limited to no more than three (3) minutes unless the Committee acts to extend the period. If the number of individuals on the sign-up sheet desiring to provide comment should exceed the allotted 30-minute period, the Chair may limit individual remarks to a shorter time period. Individuals represented by or representing a common organization or association may be asked to select one individual to act as spokesperson to speak for the group. Individuals who sign up to comment, but either fail to do so or choose to speak for less than their allotted time, may not cede or yield their time to another speaker. Written comments of individuals who cannot be physically present may not be read aloud at the meeting but may be submitted to the Committee.

The subject matter of public comments shall be relevant to matters within the Committee's jurisdiction. Public comment will not be permitted on pending rulemaking proceedings before the Committee once the opportunity for public comment in those proceedings has closed. Public comment by parties to a proceeding or adjudication pending before the Committee will not be permitted where the comment concerns matters at issue in such proceeding. The Chair shall retain the right to stop any speaker who raises an issue that is not under the Committee's jurisdiction or is subject to the restrictions above. Public comment will be received without Committee comment or response. However, individual Committee members may, at their option seek clarification or additional information from speakers through the Chair. No speakers will be accommodated after the public comment portion of the agenda has closed. The Chair retains the right to exercise discretion in the implementation of this policy and may override the above rules in case of emergency or other unforeseen circumstances.

Speakers providing comment shall at all times conduct themselves in accordance with proper decorum. Profane or vulgar language or gestures will not be tolerated. Audience members shall not disrupt an open meeting by speaking without being recognized by the Committee and shall not incite others to do so. The Committee retains the right to remove disruptive attendees and individuals who fail to conduct themselves in accordance with these provisions from the Committee meeting.

Interested persons can also file written comments at any time before the Nominating Committee takes final action. Written comments should be sent via email to: PRC.Records@prc.nm.gov.

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing or meeting, or for a summary or other type of accessible format of public documents, please contact the Office of Director of Administrative Services of the Commission at (505) 827-8019 as soon as possible prior to the meeting.