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**The 16th Annual New Mexico  
Infrastructure Finance Conference  
"Bouncing Back: New Challenges - New  
Opportunities"**

**Welcome to the 16th Annual New Mexico Infrastructure Conference  
October 25<sup>th</sup> through 27<sup>th</sup>  
Hard Rock Hotel and Casino  
11000 Broadway Southeast in Albuquerque**

Our organizing partners and speakers offer New Mexico entities information about financing and technical assistance to facilitate the planning and implementation of much-needed capital projects throughout New Mexico. The conference provides three days of sessions and workshops filled with keynote speakers addressing our economy, the recession and recovery. Presentations will also include planning, tourism, tribal, utilities, water and wastewater, economic development, transportation, and other public infrastructure. The conference offers opportunities to meet with key contacts who can answer questions and offer guidance as you bring your planned projects to reality. We look forward to meeting you during this conference as we work together to plan, fund, and complete projects, helping our communities thrive.

This year, we will offer fifty scholarships to potential attendees who need financial support to attend the conference. The scholarships will cover full registration. To apply, please go to <http://www.nmenv.state.nm.us/cpb/InfFinCon/index.html>. Forms are due Wednesday, August 17th, 2011. For further information, please contact Jay Armijo, Executive Director, South Central Council of Governments, at 575-744-0039.

The Conference offers exhibit opportunities to organizations, local governments, and communities seeking an audience in the State of New Mexico and looking to succeed in the

new economy. Exhibitors receive many benefits, including recognition in our program, events, and complimentary registration. In the next few weeks, you will be sent (via email), an Exhibitor Kit that includes a booth map, sponsorship levels and pricing, exhibit hours schedule, and any additional information that will help you decide your participation in this year's Infrastructure Conference. For information and/or questions contact Angela Quintana at 505-992-9648, or [aquintana@nmfa.net](mailto:aquintana@nmfa.net).

Public and private organizing partners of the conference include:

New Mexico Tourism Department, New Mexico Department of Finance & Administration, Department of Transportation, New Mexico Economic Development Department, New Mexico Environment Department, Indian Affairs Department, New Mexico Public Schools Facilities Authority, New Mexico Municipal League, New Mexico Association of Counties, New Mexico Finance Authority, New Mexico Association of Regional Councils (NewMARC), US Department of Housing & Urban Development, US Small Business Administration New Mexico District Office, Rural Community Assistance Corporation, Dekker/Perich/Sabatini, CH2M HILL, JGMS Inc., Molzen-Corbin & Associates, Sites Southwest LLC, Wilson & Company, and WHPacific.

For more information, visit: <http://www.nmenv.state.nm.us/cpb/InfFinCon/index.html>

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