

Air Quality Bureau Contacts for Specific Topics

The following list of air quality topics and NMED Air Quality Bureau contacts will allow you to find out "who to ask about what".

You may click on a staff member's name to contact them directly by email.

*Unless otherwise specified, all area codes are (505).

Topic	Contact Name	Phone Number*
112r Accidental Release Prevention	Joseph Kimbrell	629-2718
Excess Emissions Reporting	Linsey Hurst	629.8732
Acid Rain	Melinda Owens	629-8504
Administration	Donna Intermont	377-7583
Agricultural Air Quality Issues (odor, dust, feedlots)	Bob Spillers	629-5668
Air Basin & Air Quality Control Region maps	Sufi Mustafa	629-6186
Air Emissions Calculation Tool (AECT)	Asheley Coriz	505-216-2955
Air Permit Map (APMAP)	Arianna Espinoza	629-7748
Air Quality Bureau Web Page	Eric Peters	629-5299
Air Quality Index (AQI)	Mary Hilbert	629-6454
	Andrew Ahr	716-0721
Air Quality Monitoring Data	Mary Hilbert	629-6454
Air Quality Monitoring & Locations	Roman Szkoda	231-5289
Air Toxics – State Permitting	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Air Toxics Emissions Inventory	Sufi Mustafa	629-6186
AIRS ICIS	Cember Hardison	629-6688
Albuquerque air quality issues	Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Environmental Health Department	768-1972
Ambient Air Quality Monitor Locations	Roman Szkoda	231-5289
Ambient Air Quality Monitoring Data	Mary Hilbert	629-6454
Annual Title V Certification	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
Asbestos	Brian Polgar	629-3466
Asphalt Plants (Regular NSR Permits)	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Asphalt Plants (GCP Permits)	Allen Reimer	629-8428
Atmospheric Dispersion Modeling	Eric Peters	629-5299
	Angela Raso	629-3808

	Sufi Mustafa	629-6186
Attainment/Maintenance	Mike Baca	629-7891
Auto Body Shops	Anne Keller	629-7874
	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
Bernalillo County air quality issues	Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Environmental Health Department	768-1972
Bernalillo County Vehicle Emissions	Vehicle Pollution Management Division	764-1110
Best Available Control Measures for dust	Mike Baca	629-7891
	Armando Paz	629-3242
Border Issues	Armando Paz	629-3242
Bureau Contact List	Kirsten Sobehrad	629-3435
	Dawn Romero	629-3395
	Donna Intermont	377-7583
Bureau Organization Chart	Donna Intermont	377-7583
Burn Registration & Notification (Smoke Management Program)	NM Smoke Hotline	476-4330
Civil Penalties	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
Complaints (general air quality or not otherwise listed)	AQB Hotline (Complaints)	(800) 224-7009
Compliance Assistance for Small Businesses	Anne Keller	629-7874
	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
Compliance Reporting Information	Linsey Hurst	629.8732
Compliance Manager, compliance inspections	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
	Brian Polgar	660-6110
	Brian Polgar	629-3466
Concrete Batch Plants (Regular NSR Permits)	Marvin Mascarenas	629-3056
Concrete Batch Plants (GCP Permits)	Allen Reimer	629-8428
Compressor Stations – Oil and Gas	Marvin Mascarenas	629-3056
Confined Animal Feeding Operations (CAFOs)	Bob Spillers	629-5668
Crematories	Kathy Primm	629-5650
Crushers, Aggregate (Regular NSR Permits)	Kathy Primm	629-5650
Crushers, Aggregate (GCP Permits)	Allen Reimer	629-8428

Dairies	Armando Paz	629-3242
	Bob Spillers	629-5668
Demolition Projects	Asbestos Hotline	(800) 224-7009
Doña Ana Air Quality Issues	Armando Paz	629-3242
	Doña Ana County Environmental Services	(575) 647-7116
	City of Las Cruces Codes Enforcement	(575) 528-4100
Dry Cleaners		
	Anne Keller	629-7874
	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
Dust	AQB Hotline (Complaints)	(800) 224-7009
Emissions Inventory	Roslyn Higgin	629-7677
Enforcement	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
Environmental Assessments (EAs)	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
Environmental Impact Statements (EISs)	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
Environmental Improvement Board	Pamela Jones	(505) 660-4305
Equipment Substitutions	Allen Reimer	629-8428
Excess Emissions (801) Information	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
Federal Air Toxics Programs	Kirby Olson	629-5107
Feedlots	Bob Spillers	629-5668
Fees – Minor Source Permit Fees	Laurie Leibowitz	629-7673
Fees – Minor Source Annual Fees	Laurie Leibowitz	629-7673
Fees – Major Source Annual Fees	Laurie Leibowitz	629-7673
Finances	Donna Intermont	377-7583
Forest Fires	NM Smoke Hotline	476-4330
	Michael Baca	629-7891
	Eric Peters	629-5299
Four Corners Air Quality Issues	Mark Jones (Farmington Field Office)	629-6626
Four Corners Ozone Study and Task Force	Mark Jones (Farmington Field Office)	629-6626
Fugitive Dust Rule	Armando Paz	629-3242
General Construction Permits (GCPs) for Oil & Gas	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
General Construction Permits (GCPs) for Crusher/Screening, Asphalt and Concrete Batch Plants	Allen Reimer	629-8428

General Conformity	Mike Baca	629-7891
Geographic Information Systems (GIS)	Zachary Stauber - (NMENV, Office of Information Technology)	372-8476
Global Warming	Michael Baca	629-7891
Grants	Donna Intermont	377-7583
Greenhouse Gases (Emissions Inventory)	Sufi Mustafa	629-6186
Greenhouse Gases (Permitting)	Kirby Olson	629-5107
Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)	Kirby Olson	629-5107
Hearings (on Permits)	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Hearings (on Regulations)	Michael Baca	629-7891
Hog Farms	Bob Spillers	629-5668
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S)	Michael Baca	629-7891
Inspections	Brian Polgar	629-3466
Intel (Rio Rancho)	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Invoices – NSR annual fees	Laurie Leibowitz	629-7673
Invoices – Title V annual fees	Laurie Leibowitz	629-7673
Landfills (Air Quality Issues)	Melinda Owens	629-8504
Landfills (Solid Waste Issues including Asbestos disposal)	Solid Waste Bureau	476-2775
Listserv	Michael Baca	629-7891
Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT) Standards	Kirby Olson	629-5107
Meteorological Data	Roman Szkoda	231-5289
Meteorological Monitoring	Roman Szkoda	231-5289
Mobile 5/6	Sufi Mustafa	629-6186
Mobile Sources	Michael Baca	629-7891
Modeling	Sufi Mustafa	629-6186
	Eric Peters	629-5299
	Angela Raso	629-3808
Monitoring Data	Mary Hilbert	629-6454
Monitoring Sites	Roman Szkoda	231-5289
National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS)	Mike Baca	629-7891

Natural Gas Compressor Stations	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
New Source Review (NSR) Permitting (for major source facilities)	Melinda Owens	629-8504
New Source Review (NSR) Permitting (for minor source facilities)	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
New Source Performance Standards – NSPS (Part 60)	Kirby Olson	629-5107
No Permit Required	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Nonattainment/Maintenance Areas	Mike Baca	629-7891
Notice of Intent (NOI)	Tasha Burns	629-7204
Notice of Exemptions (NOE)	Leslee Kimbrell	629-7305
Notice of Violations (NOV)	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
Odor Complaints	AQB Hotline (Complaints)	(800) 224-7009
Oil & Natural Gas Permitting	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Opacity Testing	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
	David Feather	660-6110
	Brian Polgar	629-3466
Open Burning Complaints	AQB Hotline (Complaints)	(800) 224-7009
Open Burning Regulation	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
Operating Permits	Melinda Owens	629-8504
Ozone Monitoring Data	Mary Hilbert	629-6454
Painting (Spray Booths)	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
	Anne Keller	629-7874
Pecan Burning	Bob Spillers	629-5668
	NM Smoke Hotline	476-4330
Penalty Calculations	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608
Permit Tracking	Arianna Espinoza	629-7748
Permits – Obtain a copy	Arianna Espinoza	629-7748
Permitting – New Source Review (including modifications)	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Permitting – Operating Permits	Melinda Owens	629-8504
Permitting Website	Tasha Burns	629-7204
Pesticides (registration and licensing)	NM Dept. of Agriculture, Pesticide Compliance	(575) 646-2133

Pollen (Albuquerque)	Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Environmental Health Department	768-1972
Prescribed Burning – Registration & Notification	NM Smoke Hotline	476-4330
Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD)	James Nellessen	629-6283
Quality Assurance Plans	Andrew Ahr	716-0721
Radiation Monitoring	NMED, DOE Oversight Bureau	428-2516
Radon	Michael Taylor, NMED Radiation Control Bureau	476-8608
Regional Haze	Mark Jones	629-6626
	Michael Baca	629-7891
Regulation Development Procedures	Michael Baca	629-7891
Regulation History	Neal Butt	629-6135
Regulatory and Public Notice Mailing Lists	Michael Baca	629-7891
Relocation Notices for Crushers & Asphalt Plants (Regular NSR Permits)	Marvin Mascarenas	629-3056
Relocations for GCP 2, 3 and 5	Allen Reimer	629-8428
Request for Public Records	Christina Espinoza	469-0922
Small Business Environmental Assistance Program (SBEAP)	Anne Keller	629-7874
	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
Smoke Management Program & Rule	NM Smoke Hotline	476-4330
Smoke School	Brian Polgar	629-3466
Spills, Incidents involving petroleum products, chemicals, abandoned chemicals	Hazardous Waste Bureau	476-6000
Spray Booths	Anne Keller	629-7874
	Rosanne Sanchez	629-3938
State Ambient Air Quality Standards	Michael Baca	629-7891
	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
State Implementation Plan (SIP)	Neal Butt	629-6135
Streamline Permitting (Oil & Gas)	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Substitution of Equipment	Allen Reimer	629-8428
Sunland Park Ozone	Armando Paz	(575) 449-2983
Supplemental Environmental Projects (SEPs)	Cindy Hollenberg	699-4608

Synthetic Minor Permitting	Rhonda Romero	629-3934
Title V Annual Fees	Laurie Leibowitz	629-7673
Title V Permitting	Melinda Owens	629-8504
Transportation Conformity	Neal Butt	629-6135
U.S.-Mexico Border Issues	Armando Paz	(575) 449-2983
Vehicles (Emissions Testing - Bernalillo County)	Vehicle Pollution Management Division	764-1110
Visibility/Regional Haze	Mark Jones	629-6626
	Michael Baca	629-7891

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