

**Free workshops in New Mexico!**  
Brownfields Tools for Redevelopment & Economic Growth  
Clayton on Oct. 8 and Portales on Oct. 9

Dear Colleagues, Community Leaders, Planners, and Consultants:

Are there areas in your communities that could serve as the next location for a thriving commercial or industrial park or unique mixed-use development? Do you look at these sites and wonder where funding could come from to make this a vital contribution to your community? Is there speculation that the sites may be considered brownfields because they have contamination, or are the buildings just obsolete?

The New Mexico Environmental Department's Brownfield Program, the Technical Assistance to Brownfields Program (TAB) at Kansas State University, and the Eastern Plains Council of Governments are sponsoring two workshops to help communities learn about Brownfield properties and how to fund successful redevelopments through different available resources. **There is no cost to register and lunch will be provided, but registration is required!**

**Who Should Attend?** Previous workshop attendees include local government, economic development staff, community grant writers, community groups, real estate developers, commercial real estate brokers, lenders, regional economic development agencies, consultants, and others interested in financial resources for local redevelopment.

**Dates and Locations:** Clayton, New Mexico on October 8 and Portales, New Mexico on October 9. The workshops will run from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. See attached agendas.

**To register**, please send an email with (for each person attending) name, email and affiliation contact information (title, phone, mailing address) to: [ClaytonNM Workshop <chsr@ksu.edu>](mailto:ClaytonNMWorkshop@ksu.edu) or [PortalesNM Workshop <chsr@ksu.edu>](mailto:PortalesNMWorkshop@ksu.edu)

**For more information**, please go to the workshop webpage at:  
<http://www.engg.ksu.edu/chsr/outreach/tab/workshops/>

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