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## **Environment Department**

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The Environment Department's mission is to protect and restore the environment and to foster a healthy and prosperous New Mexico for present and future generations.

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## Environment Department to host quarterly Los Alamos community engagement meeting on February 25

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) will host a virtual Los Alamos community engagement meeting from 5:30 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 25, 2021.

The purpose of these regularly scheduled meetings is to engage the community in discussion of topics related to NMED's work at Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL). The meeting will include an update on air monitoring data gathered by NMED in association with Middle DP Road contamination and the NMED Department of Energy Oversight Bureau (DOE-OB) will provide an overview of how to access and search publicly available data and information on the Los Alamos Intellus NM database. There will also be time allotted for questions and brief public statements.

To submit questions ahead of time and to request interpretation services or other assistance may contact NMED DOE-OB Bureau Chief Chris Catechis at 505-469-6521 or <u>chris.catechis@state.nm.us</u>. Questions may also be asked during the meeting and do not need to be submitted prior.

Meeting link: <u>https://nmed-oit.webex.com/nmed-oit/j.php?MTID=mdb86e0171b378e278e61a5b90065e362</u> Meeting number: 177 492 6062

Meeting password: pkDtFwCT745 Phone access: (415)-655-0001 Phone access code: 177 492 6062

NMED selects topics for these meetings based on public interest – please reach out to us if there's anything you'd like to know more about related to our work at Los Alamos and we will consider it for future meetings.

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