

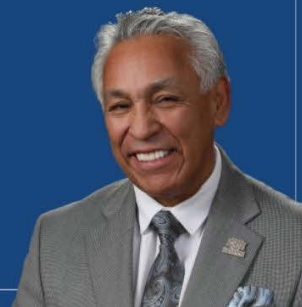


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Committee Assignments

Position	Committee Name
CHAIR	TRANSPORTATION, PUBLIC WORKS & CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS
MEMBER	COMMERCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Passed Legislation

Number	Title
HB 270	CONTRIBUTIONS TO APPRENTICE & TRAINING PGMS.
HB 285	DISABLED VETERAN PROPERTY TAX CHANGES
SB 2	STATE HIGHWAY PROJECT BONDS

Other Sponsored Legislation

Number	Title
HB 3	DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION ACT OF 2026
HB 5	JUVENILE JUSTICE CHANGES
HB 146	FELON IN POSSESSION OF FIREARM PENALTY
HB 162	MOTOR VEHICLE CRIMES & PENALTIES
HB 174	CHATBOT SAFETY ACT
HB 252	TRANSFER ATHLETIC COMMISSION AUTHORITY
HB 286	ELECTRIC VEHICLE WEIGHT ALLOWANCE
HB 294	CANNABIS PRODUCT PACKAGING REGULATIONS
HB 303	UTILITY CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE
HB 325	CREATE RAILYARD CROSSING SAFETY FUND
HB 339	JUVENILE JUSTICE CHANGES
HM 23	STUDY MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION PROGRAM



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GRO Projects

Project Title	Legislative Language	Sponsor Amount	Location
SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES	To support sexual assault services	\$180,000	Statewide
PRIMARY HEALTHCARE SERVICES IN BERNALILLO COUNTY	To support primary care medical, dental, behavioral health services, and chronic disease management for residents of the South Valley/Barelas and North Valley neighborhoods by covering existing costs and maintaining services, including sliding fee discounts for patients whose family income is below 200% of federal poverty guidelines	\$180,000	Bernalillo County

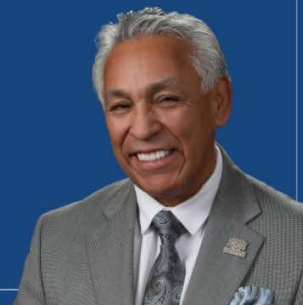


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Sponsored Capital Projects

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ALB ANDERSON ABRUZZO INTRNATL BALLOON MUS CONSTRUCT	to plan, design, construct, equip, furnish and improve the Anderson Abruzzo international balloon museum, including grounds and exhibits, in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	25,000	Albuquerque
ALB FIRE RESCUE TRAIN ACAD FCLTY IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish, equip and improve fire rescue training academy facilities in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	50,000	Albuquerque
ALB LOS ALTOS GOLF COURSE IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, equip and improve grounds and facilities at Los Altos golf course in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	25,000	Albuquerque
ALB LOS VOLCANES SENIOR CTR LAND ACQ	to acquire land and rights of way for and to plan, design, construct and furnish property at Los Volcanes senior center in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	50,000	Albuquerque
ALB MAIN LIB HVAC SYS CONSTRUCT	to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and equip the main library, including electrical and security systems and heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems, in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	25,000	Albuquerque
ALB NP RAILYARD MUS IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, renovate, repair, furnish and equip a museum at the Albuquerque rail yards, including railroad reconstruction, roof replacement, window restoration and accessibility improvements, in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	50,000	Albuquerque
ALB SW MESA & S VALLEY PARKS IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, furnish, equip and improve southwest Mesa and South Valley area parks, including playgrounds and lighting, in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	100,000	Albuquerque
ALB SW MESA ST LIGHTS INSTALL	to plan, design, construct, equip, purchase and install street lights in the southwest mesa area of Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	100,000	Albuquerque
ALB SW TOWER RD IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, install, equip and improve safety on Tower road SW between Coors and Unser boulevards, including median landscaping, irrigation, and traffic calming measures, in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	50,000	Albuquerque
ALB-BERN CO WUA SOUTH VALLEY WATER & WW PRJT CONSTRUCT	to acquire rights of way and to plan, design, construct and expand water and wastewater systems for the Albuquerque-Bernalillo county water utility authority in the South Valley in Bernalillo county	275,000	Albuquerque Bernalillo County Water Utility Author
ARMIJO ELEM SCHL PA & COM SYS IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, purchase, improve and install technology and communication systems at Armijo elementary school in the Albuquerque public school district in Bernalillo county	25,000	Albuquerque PSD
BARCELONA ELEM SCHL PA & COM SYS IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, purchase, improve and install technology and communication systems at Barcelona elementary school in the Albuquerque public school district in Bernalillo county	25,000	Albuquerque PSD
NAVAJO ELEM SCHL PA & COM SYS IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, purchase, improve and install technology and communication systems at Navajo elementary school in the Albuquerque public school district in Bernalillo county	25,000	Albuquerque PSD



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ARMIGO RD & ANN AVE IMPROVE	to acquire rights of way for and to plan, design and construct improvements, including storm drainage, on Ann avenue and Armijo road SW in Bernalillo county	100,000	Bernalillo County
BARCELONA RD STORM DRAIN CONSTRUCT	to plan, design and construct storm, drainage and road improvements for Barcelona road, including streets from the Armijo drain to the Isleta drain, in Bernalillo county	100,000	Bernalillo County
BERN CO EL CENTRO & SEYBOLD VILLAGE REN	to plan, design, construct, furnish, equip and improve el Centro familiar and Seybold village housing complexes in Bernalillo county	100,000	Bernalillo County
BERN CO NP CMTY EC DVLP VEH PRCHS & FCLTY REN	to purchase and equip vehicles and to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and equip buildings, facilities and grounds, including infrastructure, information technology and wiring, for an economic development organization in the South Valley area of	100,000	Bernalillo County
BERN CO S VALLEY PKS & RECREATION CONSTRUCT	to plan, design, construct, equip, furnish and improve parks, including buildings, fields, accessibility, roads, parking, pedestrian circulation, security fencing, lighting, landscaping and irrigation, in the South Valley in Bernalillo county	100,000	Bernalillo County
BERN CO SHERIFF'S OFC CRIME PREVENTION TECH PRCHS	to purchase, equip and install crime prevention technology for the county sheriff's office in Bernalillo county	100,000	Bernalillo County
BERN CO SOUTH VALLEY RDS IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct, equip and improve roads and utility infrastructure in the South Valley of Bernalillo county	200,000	Bernalillo County
BLAKE RD SW DRAIN IMPROVE	to acquire rights of way and to plan, design, construct and improve roads and storm drains along Blake road SW from the Isleta drain to Isleta boulevard in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	200,000	Bernalillo County
CONDERSHIRE DR, MEADE AVE & GRACE VIGIL RD CONSTRUCT	to acquire rights of way for and to plan, design, construct and improve roads, including drainage, along Condershire drive, Meade avenue and Grace Vigil road in Bernalillo county	200,000	Bernalillo County
S COORS BLVD LIGHTING CONSTRUCT	to plan, design, construct, equip, improve and install street lighting on south Coors boulevard in Bernalillo county	50,000	Bernalillo County
TAPIA BLVD SW CONSTRUCT	to plan, design, construct, renovate and equip Tapia boulevard SW from San Ygnacio road to Robertson avenue in Bernalillo county	50,000	Bernalillo County
MARK ARMIGO ACAD FCLTY REN	to plan, design, construct, purchase, renovate, furnish, equip and expand facilities, including classrooms, multipurpose areas, early childhood facilities, portables and grounds, at Mark Armijo academy in the Albuquerque public school district in Bernalil	50,000	Mark Armijo Academy
MARK ARMIGO ACAD SECURITY SYS UPGRADE	to plan, design, construct, purchase, install and equip security and information technology improvements at Mark Armijo academy in the Albuquerque public school district in Bernalillo county	25,000	Mark Armijo Academy
MID RIO GRANDE CONSERVANCY DIST IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct and equip improvements to acequias in the middle Rio Grande conservancy district in Bernalillo county	50,000	Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District
NEW AMERICA CH SCHL EQUIP PRCHS	to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and equip buildings, facilities and grounds, including infrastructure, information technology and wiring, at the New America charter school in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	25,000	New America Charter School



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SOUTH VALLEY ACADEMY CH SCH IMPROVE	to purchase and equip vehicles and to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and equip buildings, facilities and grounds, including infrastructure, information technology and wiring, at South Valley academy charter school in Bernalillo county	25,000	South Valley Academy
UNM CAMPUS LIGHT & SFTY IMPROVE	to plan, design, construct and improve campus lighting and security infrastructure at the university of New Mexico in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	25,000	UNM-University of New Mexico
UNM CAMPUS SFTY & SECURITY UPGRADE	to purchase, equip and improve campus safety and security systems, including the LoboLift ride service program, at the university of New Mexico in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	25,000	UNM-University of New Mexico
UNM SOFTBALL FCLTY CONSTRUCT	to plan, design, construct, furnish, equip and improve the softball clubhouse at the university of New Mexico in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	50,000	UNM-University of New Mexico
UNM UNIVERSITY STADIUM REN	to plan, design, construct, furnish, equip and improve the stadium at the university of New Mexico in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county	100,000	UNM-University of New Mexico