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PNM Power Grant helps nonprofits meet community needs

(Albuquerque, NM) – PNM, through its foundation, is expanding its support for nonprofits across New Mexico through its new Power Grant program, a flexible funding initiative designed to help organizations meet the needs of the communities they serve.

Earlier this year, the foundation streamlined several previous grant programs into one, allowing it to focus on fewer, larger grants that can make a deeper impact. Through the Power Grant, PNM is investing \$1 million in 2026 to support nonprofits working in education, environmental efforts, and economic opportunity.

So far this year, PNM has awarded \$290,000 to 14 organizations across New Mexico, with a continued emphasis on reaching nonprofits in rural and tribal communities where additional support is needed.

“We wanted to find a better way to support the organizations doing important work in our communities,” said Ebony Vizcaino, Executive Director of the PNM Foundation. “By simplifying our approach, we’re able to invest more deeply and give nonprofits the flexibility to use funding where it’s needed most.”

The Power Grant offers nonprofits the ability to use funding for programs, staffing, equipment, or other needs that strengthen their work. To make the process more accessible, the foundation created a rolling application window through October, or until funds are fully awarded, giving organizations the flexibility to apply when it best fits their operations.

In addition to the Power Grant, PNM continues to offer programs that support causes important to employees and the communities they serve, including matching gifts, volunteer grants, and emergency assistance.

More information about the Power Grant, including eligibility and application details, is available at PNM.com/grants.

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About PNM

PNM is the largest electricity provider in New Mexico serving nearly 550,000 customers. PNM is committed to transitioning its electricity to 100% carbon free while ensuring a reliable and resilient power system. Visit PNM.com for more information.

About the PNM Foundation

The PNM Foundation is the charitable arm of PNM, New Mexico’s electric utility, and TNMP, operating under TXNM Energy. Established in 1983, the Foundation is a separate 501(c)(3) nonprofit funded by shareholders—not customer bills—and partners with nonprofits to support strong, healthy communities across New Mexico and Texas.

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[*An interview with a nonprofit who has received funds through the Power Grant can be found here*](#)