

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING

The Department of Finance and Administration, Local Government Division, has scheduled a public hearing for the proposed New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) rule 2.110.7, *Public Safety Workforce Capacity Building Program*. The proposed rule seeks to:

- * Establish Rules and Standards for the Public Safety Workforce Capacity Building Program

Notice Date: June 9, 2026

Hearing Date: July 15, 2026

Adoption Date: Proposed as July 28, 2026

Technical Citations: 2.110.7, NMAC

The Department proposes the new rule as follows:

The proposed rule outlines the various duties of the Department, local public bodies, and state agencies regarding the request, receipt, and expenditure of funds from the Public Safety Workforce Capacity Building Fund. The rule defines application, review, and award criteria, eligible and ineligible uses, and reporting requirements.

These proposed rules will be contained in 2.110.7, NMAC. The register and the proposed rule are available on the DFA website at <https://www.nmdfa.state.nm.us/>. If you do not have internet access, a copy of the proposed register and rule may be requested by contacting DFA's General Counsel's officer at dfalegal@dfa.nm.gov.

The DFA plans to adopt this rule on July 28, 2026.

A public hearing to receive testimony on this proposed rule will be held on July 15, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. The hearing will be held at the New Mexico Public Education Department, Marbry Hall Auditorium, 300 Don Gaspar Avenue, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87501, and via Microsoft Teams.

Join Microsoft Teams Meeting

Link: <https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/230416628550777?p=PfDWJsOCCy59MgUCFR>

Meeting ID: 230 416 628 550 777

Passcode: 5EZ7Qb6t

If you are a person with a disability and you require this information in an alternative format or require a special accommodation to participate in the public hearing, please contact our staff to discuss your accessibility needs at least one week prior, or as soon as possible, by emailing the Department of Finance and Administration, General Counsel Office at: dfalegal@dfa.nm.gov or 505-827-3985.

DFA will make copies of all comments available upon request, either by providing copies directly to a requestor or by making them available on the DFA website or at a location within the requestor's county. Interested persons may address written comments to:

Department of Finance and Administration, Local Government Division
ATTN: 2.110.7 NMAC Public Comments
407 Galisteo St.
Bataan Memorial Building
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Recorded comments may be left at (505) 827-3985. Interested persons may also address comments via electronic mail to: dfalegal@dfa.nm.gov. Written mail, electronic mail, and recorded comments must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. MT on July 14, 2025. Written and recorded comments will be given the same consideration as oral testimony made at the public hearing. All written comments received will be posted as they are received on the DFA

website at <https://www.nmdfa.state.nm.us/> along with the applicable register and rule. The public posting will include the name and any contact information provided by the commenter.