Issues to be Submitted to the NMML Policy Committees

The Los Alamos County Council List of Issues to be Submitted through the New Mexico Municipal League (NMML) policy process for consideration to be added to the NMML policy priorities:

- A. Increase access to health care and medical professionals for all New Mexicans through support of:
  - a. New Mexico joining the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact
  - b. New Mexico joining the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact
  - c. Other interstate compacts that will increase health care for New Mexicans
  - d. Increasing New Mexico training and residency of health care and medical professionals
- B. Increase Workforce Development in the area of Contractor Trades across the state of New Mexico
  - a. Provide funding for training and licensing across New Mexico in the area of housing and building trades and support in advertising that funding
  - b. Provide support from the Public Education and Higher Education Departments for housing and building trades programs
- C. Increase the Affordability and Availability of Housing throughout the state of New Mexico
  - a. Provide funding for regional housing efforts to provide cost effective methods of retaining building contractors
  - b. Support additional funding for rehabilitation of existing homes and multifamily housing
  - c. Utilize the knowledge of local governments and Councils of Governments to address housing issues
- D. Provide Local Governments with a method to support new and existing small business
- E. Support the tourism economy of New Mexico by opposing privatization of National Parks and Monuments
- F. Oppose erosion of local government authority by the federal government through moratoriums on laws and policies by state governments and their subdivisions