

Michelle Lujan Grisham, Governor
Sarah Cottrell Propst, Cabinet Secretary
Todd E. Leahy, JD, PhD, Deputy Cabinet Secretary
Louise Martinez, Energy Conservation and Management Division Director

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Contact: Susan Torres
Public Information Officer, EMNRD
susan.torres@state.nm.us
505-476-3226



December 2, 2020

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department to hold Grid Modernization Advisory Group informational webinar

Santa Fe, NM – The Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department (EMNRD) and members of the Grid Modernization Advisory Group (GMAG) will host a public informational session on Thursday, December 17th. The GMAG, convened in response to House Bill 233 passed in the 2020 legislative session, is charged with producing a series of technical and policy whitepapers which will form the body of knowledge necessary for creating a plan for modernizing New Mexico's electric grid.

At the meeting, EMNRD staff and GMAG members will share the work accomplished over the past three months towards the creation of a roadmap for modernizing New Mexico's electric grid.

Participants must [register here](#) to attend online. Participants can also join via call-in only: +1-408-418-9388 access code: 146 639 5348.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- 12:00 – 12:05: Introduction of EMNRD staff and GMAG members
- 12:05 – 1:00: Presentation of draft roadmap work

The meeting will be recorded and posted online for those unable to access the livestream. In addition, public questions and comments on the presentation material are welcomed at the following email address: nmenergy.roadmap@state.nm.us

The GMAG's draft whitepapers will be available for public comment in early 2021.

###

The Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department provides resource protection and renewable energy resource development services to the public and other state agencies.

<http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us>