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Press Release

## **Right-of-Way Permits**

**Roswell** – The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) District Two wants to remind the public to call for a permit when working in the Right-of-Way or when holding a special event.

Activities within the State Right-of-Way that require a permit, include: construction of driveways, upgrades to existing driveways, drainage, utilities, landscaping, fences, parades, bicycle rides and races, running events, land surveys and more.

NMDOT District Two permit section has the regulatory authority for managing the use of the State highway Right-of-Way and adjacent boundaries as stipulated in the New Mexico State Access Management Manual, 2001 Edition.

The section regulates private and public entity's use of the State highway Right-of-Way by acting as the primary liaison between NMDOT and other state governmental agencies, the Federal Highway Administration, utility companies, and permit applicants.

Permit information can be obtained by contacting the Alfred Arias, Permit Agent for District Two, at 575-637-7200 or Alfred arias@state.nm.us.

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