# Monday, October 27, 2025
# Special BCC Meeting - Santa Fe County Water: Today and Tomorrow

**Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County**
**Hybrid In-Person and Virtual Meeting**
**Santa Fe County John Gaw Meem Historic Building**
**Commission Chambers, 2nd Floor**
**102 Grant Avenue**
**Santa Fe NM 87501**
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## 1. Introduction and Welcome

A. Call to Order - 9:00 a.m.

B. Roll Call.

C. Approval of Agenda.

## 2. Santa Fe County's Water Utility Resources (Public Works)

A. Where Does Utility Water in Santa Fe County Come From? (Jesse Roach, City of Santa Fe Interim Public Utilities Director)

B. Where Does Santa Fe County Utility's Water Go? (Travis Soderquist, Santa Fe County Utilities Director)

## 3. Water Resources Administration (Public Works)

A. Ground Water - How Does it Fit In? (Michael Carr, Santa Fe County Environmental Compliance Officer)

B. Rain - Where Does it Flow? (Michael Carr, Santa Fe County Environmental Compliance Officer)

## 4. Collaboration with State, Other Agencies, and Stakeholders (Growth Management)

A. How Does the County Collaborate with Other Governmental Agencies, Entities and Community-Based Associations? (Andrew Harnden, Santa Fe County Water Planner)

## 5. Land Use Entitlement Process for Development (Growth Management)

A. How Much is Santa Fe County Growing ... Really? (Alexandra Ladd, Santa Fe County Growth Management Department Director)

B. How Do the Sustainable Growth Management Plan (SGMP) & Sustainable Land Development Code (SDLC) Support Each Other When it Comes to Water? (Herbert Foster, Santa Fe County Planning Team Leader, and Dominic Sisneros,

Santa Fe County Building & Development Supervisor)

## 6. Water Resilience and Sustainability (Community Development Department)

A. How Does the County Support Homeowners, Small Community Water Systems & Traditional Communities? (Jacqueline Beam, Santa Fe County Sustainability Manager)

B. Next Generation Water Summit 2026. (Jacqueline Beam, Santa Fe County Sustainability Manager)

## 7. "Looking Forward - Building Our Water Future" (Closing Discussion)

A. Commissioner Presentation of Questions and Suggestions Received and Introduction of "Lead-Off" Questions to Start Discussion.

## 8. Concluding Business

A. Announcements.

B. Adjournment. (Action Item)

## 9. Public Meeting Disclosures

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