



# The Water Leadership Institute

## Save the dates!

### Session 1

February 17, 2026

### Session 2

March 10, 2026

### Session 3

April 7, 2026

### Session 4

May 12, 2026\*

### Graduation

June 9, 2026

**10:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

*All days*

### Location

Santa Fe County Fairgrounds

Address: [3229 Rodeo Road](http://3229 Rodeo Road)  
[Santa Fe, New Mexico 87507](http://Santa Fe, New Mexico 87507)

You are invited to join the Water Leadership Institute!

This a **free collaborative learning series** designed to strengthen planning, resilience and leadership within local water utilities and among community leaders in Santa Fe County.

*We offer a stipend to attendees who attend 4 out of the 5 workshops.*

More than a workshop, the Institute creates space to build a trusted network of peers, exchange practical solutions to shared water challenges and foster dialogue around the future of water in the Santa Fe County region.

Participants will develop practical skills in communication, outreach, stakeholder engagement and individual leadership while exploring key topics such as, workforce challenges, bringing funding to the region and emergency preparedness. They will gain tools to advocate for their community's water interests, connect with neighboring systems and build trust through honest conversations about local issues.

***This workshop series is open to utility boards, staff and interested community members.***

*\*Session 4 workshop in May will be hosted at another location.  
To be determined.*

**Questions? For more information, contact:**

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