

Community Engagement

DEPARTMENT UPDATES



Employee Recognition



Lea County values their employees!

- ❖ 15 new hires
- ❖ 148 birthday awards
- ❖ 127 anniversary awards
- ❖ 9 department recognition meetings

Upcoming Employee Events

- ❖ Annual Employee Meeting
 - December 8th
- ❖ Annual Team Building
 - April 28, 2023



Employee Wellness



Health & Wellness Promotion

- ❖ Annual Wellness Clinic
 - ❖ Nor-Lea Hospital
- ❖ Flu Shot Clinics
 - ❖ Nor-Lea Hospital
- ❖ Healthy Cooking
 - ❖ NMSU Lea County Extension



Community Events

- ❖ 3rd Annual Lea County Tricks & Treats
 - Saturday, October 29th at the Lea County Fairgrounds
- ❖ 2nd Annual Lea County Christmas Lighting at the Courthouse
 - Monday, November 28th at the Lea County Historic Courthouse
- ❖ 3rd Annual Lea County Christmas Spirit
 - December TBD at the Lea County Fairgrounds



Community Awareness

- ❖ Go Gold for Childhood Cancer Awareness
 - ❖ September 28th
- ❖ Red Ribbon Week
 - ❖ October 24th thru 28th
- ❖ Paint the County Pink
 - ❖ October 28th
- ❖ General Election Information
 - ❖ Now thru November 8th
- ❖ Lea County Event Center Master Plan
 - ❖ Date Pending - Public Outreach Mtg
- ❖ Veterans' Day
 - ❖ November 11th



Community Partnerships

- ❖ Decorate Downtown – September 27th
 - ❖ Lovington MainStreet
- ❖ Great Pumpkin People - October
 - ❖ Lovington Chamber of Commerce
- ❖ Project Green Light – November 7 -13th
 - ❖ National Association of Counties
- ❖ Community Parades
 - ❖ Veterans' Day
 - ❖ Christmas
- ❖ Student Internships
 - ❖ New Mexico Junior College



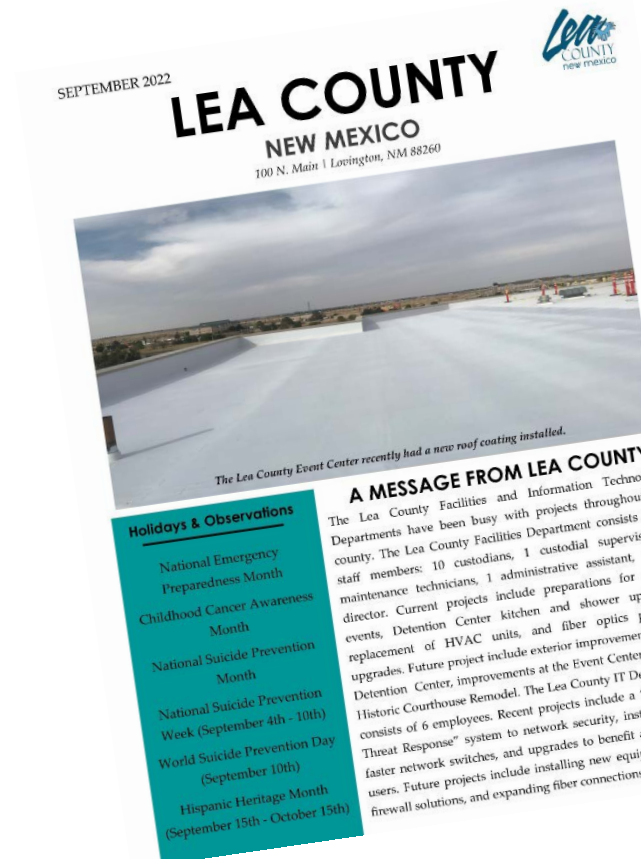
Lea County Cares Projects

- ❖ Project Bundle Up - October
- ❖ Project Can the County - November
- ❖ Project Cheer - December



Community Engagement

- ❖ Monthly newsletters
- ❖ Email communications
- ❖ Social media
 - ❖ Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, TikTok
- ❖ New Lea County website
- ❖ Text alerts for employees and public



SEPTEMBER 2022

Employee Birthdays

Jeremy Artis	Luis Elmore Cabanill
Kevin Cervantes	Michael Gressmough
Zachariah Owens	Umaria Garcia
Johnny Rascon	Martin Rangel
Ava Patterson	Melissa White
Michael Thomas	Megan Rymer
John Caldwell	Cristina Carrillo
Corey Helton	Maria Collins
Stoney Collins	Maria Salcido
Rosita Salinas	Josie Dominguez
Aarika Whitehead	Samuel Elter
Heather Adams	Tabiola Salazar Barboza
Jacob Reed	Claudia Regino
Michael Hernandez	



LEA COUNTY MEETING DATES

- Lea County Planning & Zoning Board: Tuesday, September 13, 2022 at 9:30 am at the Lea County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, 100 N. Main, in Lovington.
- Lea County Fair & Rodeo Board: Tuesday, September 20, 2022 at 6pm at the Lea County Fairgrounds Fair Board Meeting Room located at 101 S. Commercial in Lovington.
- Lea County Fire Chiefs Advisory Board: Tuesday, September 20, 2022 at 7pm at the Lea County Annex Building, Conference Room, located at 1019 E. Bender Blvd in Hobbs.
- Lea County Communication Authority: Wednesday, September 21, 2022 at 9:30 am at the Lea County Event Center, Front Meeting Room located at 5101 N. Lovington Highway in Hobbs.
- The Lea County DWI Advisory Council: Monday, September 26, 2022 at 4pm at the Lea County Annex Building located at 1019 E. Bender Blvd in Hobbs.

Work Anniversaries

Timothy Budroe, 1 year	Kevin Cervantes, 8 years
Martina Coronel, 1 year	Pedro Santos, 8 years
Regina Gormaker, 2 years	Kristie Parish, 11 years
Travis Wilson, 2 years	Barbara Sena, 11 years
Jennifer Buford, 2 years	Leticia Dickson, 11 years
Keith Hughes, 2 years	Joseph Calderon, 11 years
Vinna Michel, 3 years	Michael Ray, 12 years
Maria Martinez, 3 years	Bryan Berger, 13 years
Jessica Marquez, 3 years	Leona Wylie, 15 years
Diana Garcia, 4 years	Aarika Whitehead, 15 years
Cathy Carnes, 5 years	Lorenzo Vasquez, 15 years
Denise Gallegos, 5 years	Artie Jenkins, 16 years
Heather Adams, 5 years	Sandra Brito, 17 years
Jessica Ross, 5 years	Maria Neveira, 18 years
Marisol Romero Juarez, 7 years	Ruben Quintana, 22 years
Scott Roach, 7 years	Rachelle Tercero, 27 years
	Shannon Lathrop, 28 years



IT Infrastructure

LEA COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING DATES

September 8th - Regular Meeting at 9:00 am	September 22nd - Regular Meeting at 9:00 am
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All Commission Meetings are held at the Lea County Historic Courthouse Commission Chambers.

Upcoming Events

September 28th
Go Gold for Childhood Cancer Awareness

Coming Soon!

- ❖ Commissioner's Corner
- ❖ Department and employee highlights
- ❖ Project Spread the Love
- ❖ Easter at the Courthouse
- ❖ Summer Movie Series
- ❖ Small Business Summer



Comments

**LEA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS****AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM****LCBCC Meeting Date: Thursday, September 22, 2022**

Submit this summary form & all attachments to the Finance Director clow@leacounty.net & cc the Community Engagement Manager sstout@leacounty.net; Public Information Officer mrussell@leacounty.net and County Manager mgallagher@leacounty.net by: **Monday, September 12, 2022**

County Manager Approval required for all time sensitive issues that do not meet the above deadline.

DATE SUBMITTED mm-dd-yyyy: 09/19/2022	SUBMITTED BY Name, Title, Dept: Sandrea Brito, Community Engagement Manager	
SUBJECT: Community Engagement Projects	ATTACHMENT(S): PowerPoint	
NO. OF ORIGINALS FOR SIGNATURE: None	ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion Item	
BUDGET LINE ITEM NUMBER: N/A	FISCAL BUDGET YEAR: N/A	
STRATEGIC PLAN Implementation of 5 Year Strategic Plan: Section 2.3: Continuous communication with the public is beneficial and necessary.		
SUMMARY: Discussion of Lea County Community Engagement Projects. <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Employee Recognition- Employee Wellness- Community Events- Community Awareness- Community Partnerships- Lea County Cares Projects- Community Engagement- Coming Soon		
Requested Items Needed for Presentation Easels/Laptop/Projector/Etc.: Easel <input type="checkbox"/> If checked, how many: Laptop <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Projector <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="checkbox"/>	See Additional Summary Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
SUBMITTER'S RECOMMENDATION(S): Give Update on Community Engagement Projects and seek input from the Commissioners	Submitter's Signature Department Director, Etc. 	
FINANCE REVIEW Fiscal Impact/Cost:	Reviewed by Finance Director	
LEGAL REVIEW: (Note: Travel does not need legal review)	Reviewed by County Attorney	
COUNTY MANAGER REVIEW:	Approved by County Manager to be Placed on Agenda 	
Item No. <u>0302</u> RECORDING SECRETARY'S USE ONLY ~ COMMISSION ACTION TAKEN		
Approved: _____	Denied: _____	Other: <u>Discussion</u>
Resolution No. _____	Policy No. _____	Ordinance No. _____
Continued To: _____	Referred To: _____	Comments: _____