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EDD Announcements

[New Mexico Advanced Energy Award Pilot Program](#)

Learn more in the highlight section below.
Deadline: Feb. 6.

[Quantum Technologies Award Pilot Program](#)

\$100,000 grants to early-stage companies working in quantum technologies. Applications accepted on a rolling basis through **May 30, 2025**.

[NM Mainstreet Boot Camp & Executive Director Orientation](#)

Jan 22-23
500 Marquette Ave NW, Suite 240
Albuquerque, NM 87102

[NM Mainstreet Conference](#)

La Fonda at Santa Fe
Feb 5-7

[EDD Job Openings:](#)

Human Resource Manager
Salary Range: \$67,432 - \$104,519
Job ID 150968
Apply by Jan 20

Business Resources

[Small Business Grants](#)

A catalog of grants available for small businesses from across federal government agencies.

[CooperationWorks! Training Resources](#)

National network of cooperative business development professionals and resources with an extensive library of free webinars and other resources to help cooperative businesses start and grow.

[7\(a\) Working Capital Pilot Program](#)

A newly structured line of credit, made by 7(a) lenders and backed by the SBA, to give greater flexibility than a traditional term loan.

[State Small Business Credit Initiative Technical Assistance Program \(SSBCI TA\)](#)

Offers funding opportunities, mentorship, and support tailored specifically to New Mexico small businesses. Program assistance is available in Spanish and English.

[\\$10K Emerging Entrepreneurs Grant](#)

Help to close the funding gap for BIPOC entrepreneurs in the beauty industry.

OSST Entrepreneurship Coordinator

Salary Range: \$68,302 - \$109,283

Job ID 151297

Apply by Jan 24

Articles/Links

[New Mexico Wildlife Center Open For Scheduling Completely Free Field Trip Programs For K-12 School Groups](#)

[Recently passed act to bolster New Mexico's business of outdoor recreation](#)

[The top 5 business stories of 2024](#)

[Governor leans in for site readiness- but is it enough to attract investment?](#)

[Made in New Mexico: Ideum brings cutting-edge interactive exhibits to life in Corrales](#)

Applications accepted on a rolling basis.

[BMO Fellowship](#)

Training in entrepreneurship, sustainability, and leadership to help advance environmental sustainability focused ventures. **Priority Deadline: January 17, then accepted on a rolling basis.**

[Arrowhead Center BizSprint San Juan](#)

Free 6-week business support program for existing and aspiring business owners in San Juan County. **Deadline: January 31.**

[3D Printing Technician Bootcamp](#)

Offered through Santa Fe Community College, this 12-week intensive course trains participants in CAD design fundamentals and design for 3D printing, post processing, LEAN manufacturing, technical writing, and more. This program is tuition-free and provides a stipend. **Classes start February 3, applications accepted now.**

[Rural Energy for America Program](#)

Provides guaranteed loan financing and grant funding for rural small businesses and agricultural producers to implement renewable energy systems or make energy efficiency improvements.

Deadline: March 31.

New Mexico Advanced Energy Award

This state-funded grant offered through the Economic Development Department's Office of Strategy, Science & Technology funds proposals in advanced energy innovation and commercialization from New Mexico small businesses engaged in research and development.

The funds seek to assist early-stage companies developing a unique product with strong growth potential.

Application deadline: February 6, 2025 at 5pm MST.

All potential applicants are highly encouraged to join the informational webinar on **January 15.**

Learn more about the program, sign up for the webinar, and apply on the [New Mexico Advanced Energy Award Pilot Program webpage.](#)

Community Resources

[Tribal Energy Development Capacity Grant](#)

Seeks to develop the Tribal management, organizational, and technical capacity needed to maximize the economic impact of energy resource development on Federally recognized Tribal land. **Deadline January 16, 2025.**

[Tribal Colleges and Universities Head Start Partnership Program Grants](#)

Provides competitive funding for Tribal colleges and universities for the purpose of establishing or enhancing partnerships with Head Start programs that effectively increase the number of qualified education staff working in American Indian Alaska Native Head Start and Early Head Start programs. **Deadline: January 21, 2025.**

[Preserve Route 66 Legacy Business Grant Fund](#)

Financial support to businesses to preserve historic places and spur economic development along the Route 66 corridor. **Deadline: January 23.**

[Tribal Clean Energy Planning and Development Grant](#)

Supports Tribal entities to conduct clean energy planning, comprehensively assess the feasibility and viability of deploying clean energy technology, or conduct clean energy design and development activities. **Deadline: January 23.**

[High Energy Cost Grants](#)

Assists energy providers in lowering costs for families and individuals in communities with extremely high per-household energy costs. **Deadline: February 28.**

[Rural Health Care Services Outreach Program](#)

Grant program supports organizations that promote and deliver rural health care services by strengthening local resources and capacity in rural communities. **Deadline: January 27.**

[Rural Business Development Grant](#)

Promotes economic development and job creation in rural areas by providing grant funding for either business opportunity grants or business enterprise grants to local/county/state governments, nonprofits, and Tribal entities. **Deadline: February 28, 2025.**

[Community Wildfire Defense Grant](#)

Grant supports communities in restoring and maintaining landscapes, creating fire-adapted communities, and improving wildfire responses. **Deadline: February 28.**

[Promoting Internet Needs of New Mexicans \(PINON\) Grant](#)

Grants from \$25,000-\$500,000 to support subgrantees in enhancing their digital equity programs tailored for populations vulnerable to digital exclusion. Informational webinar Tuesday, January 21. **Deadline: March 21.**

More Upcoming Webinars & Live Events

- Jan 14 | [University of New Mexico Business and Economic Summit](#)
- Jan 14 | [Rural & Tribal Program NOFO Informational Webinar](#)
- Jan 14 | Boost your Business: how to solve your technical challenges with NMSBA (Rosewell) [RSVP](#)
- Jan 15 | [Advanced Energy Award Pilot Program Informational Webinar](#)
- Jan 22 | [Leadership Development for Women](#)
- Jan 25 | [Polishing Your Business Idea](#)
- Jan 28 | [PINON Grant Orientation Webinar](#)
- Feb 5 | [Calling All Science & Engineering Entrepreneurs and Investors Discover the latest technologies from the University of New Mexico](#) (Albuquerque)

Ongoing Webinars:

- [NM Small Business Administration \(NMSBA\) Events](#)
- [NM Small Business Development Center Trainings and Webinars](#)
- [NM Tax and Revenue New Businesses and New Employers workshops](#)
- [NM Taxation and Revenue overview of business tax programs](#)
- [US and Foreign Commercial Service Trade Events](#)
- [Albuquerque SCORE Webinars](#)

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Have a great resource you want to share with our community?

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