

# New Mexico Mining Safety Board (MSB) – Meeting, October 6, 2022 @ 10 AM

## AGENDA

### MSB members:

John Purcell (Chair), Howard Bartoo, Jeff Cook, Katharine Fishman, Jerry Higginbotham, Roy Newman., MikeRunner, John Swagdzis.

The State Mine Inspector (SMI), and the EMNRD Cabinet Secretary are Ex-Officio members of the MSB.

Chris Hefner, State Mine Inspector

Gerard (Jerry) Schoeppner, EMNRD Cabinet Secretary

Donna Bevacqua-Young, Counsel for State Mine Inspector

Scott Cameron, Counsel for Mining Safety Board

Administrative duties provided by Debora McVey of BMS staff.

### Location

FMI Chino Mine  
99 Santa Rita Road,  
Vanadium, NM

**All participants should plan to arrive at the Chino Mine Security Gate by 9:45 AM to sign in and view a Hazzard Recognition training video. Parking is available in the Visitor Parking Lot.**

**PPE including a hard hat, safety glasses, high-vis vest or clothing, and steel toes boots will be required. FMI will provide PPE if you do not have your own (please let John Purcell or Deb McVey know if PPE is needed).**

### Purpose of Meeting:

The MSB will conduct a regular meeting. The purpose of meeting is for regular MSB business including the approval of the last meeting's minutes; SMI and Chair reports; update on board vacancies and nomination process for new members; Safety Awards presented at NM Mining Association Annual Meeting; Status of the 2022 US Department of Labor Mine Safety Training Grant application; Miner fatality at Peabody Energy's El Segundo Mine on August 23, 2022; and any other new business that may be introduced. There will also be a tour of the Chino Mine and lunch provided by FMI after the tour.

***Other business items: If MSB members would like other items included on the agenda, please contact the SMI at 575-835-5460 or Chair (John Purcell) at 575-200-6771.***

### Agenda (Starting at 10 AM)

<b>Action</b>
Meeting will commence
Chair – Attendance, introductions, and safety share
Approval of today's agenda; <b>Action Item</b>
Approval of last the meeting's minutes, held on May 12, 2022; <b>Action Item</b>
SMI Report – Safety Awards presented at NMMA annual meeting, 2022 US Department of Labor Mine Safety Training Grant Application.
Chair Report – New Member status
Miner fatality at Peabody Energy's El Segundo Mine on August 23, 2022
Continuation of discussion on use of miner training practices haul truck training simulators
Nomination of a MSB Vice Chair

New Business, Next Meeting and business meeting adjourned <b>Action Item</b>
Tour of the Chino Mine from 11:00 AM to 1:30 PM
Lunch Provided by FMI after the tour.

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