



STATE OF NEW MEXICO EXECUTIVE OFFICE SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Weatherization Assistance Program, established in 1976, serves as the nation's largest residential energy efficiency initiative, providing crucial support to low-income families who may lack the means to invest in energy-efficient upgrades; since its inception, millions of households have benefited from enhanced energy efficiency and improved financial stability; and

WHEREAS, since 2022, Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham has invested tens of millions of dollars in weatherization programs to improve energy efficiency and support New Mexico families; and

WHEREAS, the NM EnergySmart Weatherization Program is dedicated to assisting low-income households across New Mexico in reducing energy consumption, lowering utility costs, and improving health and safety through the implementation of energy-efficient measures in their homes; and

WHEREAS, Housing New Mexico | New Mexico Mortgage Finance Authority (MFA) has successfully administered this vital program through community-based nonprofit organizations, delivering statewide services since 1997; and

WHEREAS, the NM EnergySmart Weatherization Program receives funding from a variety of sources including the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program, New Mexico Gas Company, Public Service Company of New Mexico, New Mexico Housing Trust Fund, the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, and El Paso Electric; and

WHEREAS, "Weatherization" refers specifically to the DOE's initiative, while "EnergySmart" is tailored to New Mexico's unique context and needs.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Michelle Lujan Grisham, Governor of the State of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim October 30th, 2025, as:

"Weatherization Day"

throughout the state of New Mexico.

Attest:

Maggie Toulouse Oliver

Maggie Toulouse Oliver
Secretary of State

Done at the Executive Office this
17th day of September 2025.

Witness my hand and the Great Seal
of the State of New Mexico.



Michelle Lujan Grisham
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Governor