



STATE OF NEW MEXICO EXECUTIVE OFFICE SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Weatherization Assistance Program, established in 1976, is the nation's largest residential energy-efficiency initiative, providing essential support to low-income households that may not have the resources to invest in energy-saving improvements; and

WHEREAS, since its inception, this program has helped millions of families improve the efficiency, comfort, and safety of their homes while supporting long-term financial stability through reduced energy costs; and

WHEREAS, since 2022, my administration has invested tens of millions of dollars in weatherization programs to expand energy-efficiency services and strengthen support for New Mexico families, ensuring greater access to healthier, safer, and more affordable homes; and

WHEREAS, the NM Energy\$mart Weatherization Program plays a critical role in assisting low-income households throughout New Mexico by reducing energy consumption, lowering utility expenses, and improving in-home health and safety through the installation of energy-efficient measures tailored to the needs of each residence; and

WHEREAS, Housing New Mexico | New Mexico Mortgage Finance Authority (MFA) has successfully administered this vital program since 1997 in partnership with community-based nonprofit organizations, ensuring that weatherization services are delivered effectively and equitably to residents across the state; and

WHEREAS, the NM Energy\$mart Weatherization Program is supported by a diverse network of funding partners, including the U.S. Department of Energy, the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program, New Mexico Gas Company, Public Service Company of New Mexico, the New Mexico Housing Trust Fund, and the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, reflecting a robust and collaborative commitment to improving energy efficiency statewide; and

WHEREAS, "Weatherization" refers specifically to the U.S. Department of Energy's national initiative, while "Energy\$mart" represents New Mexico's tailored approach to meeting the unique energy-efficiency needs of our residents.

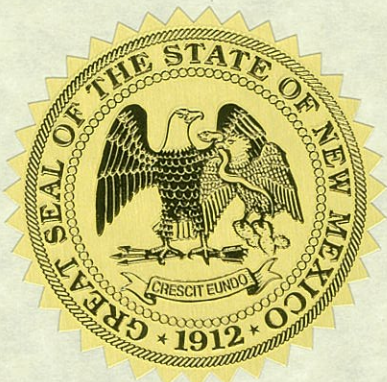
NOW THEREFORE, I, Michelle Lujan Grisham, Governor of the State of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim October 30th, 2026, as:

"Weatherization Day"

throughout the state of New Mexico.

Attest:

Maggie Louise Oliver
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Secretary of State



Done at the Executive Office this
20th day of August 2026.

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

Michelle Lujan Grisham
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Governor