

AGENDA ITEM NO. 14

Division Chiefs
Santa Fe, NM
January 27, 2023

NMDGF 2022 Year in Review



Wildlife Management Division

2022 Year in Review

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Santa Fe, NM
January 27, 2023





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Ecological and Environmental Planning Division 2022 Year in Review

Matt Wunder
Santa Fe, NM
January 27, 2023

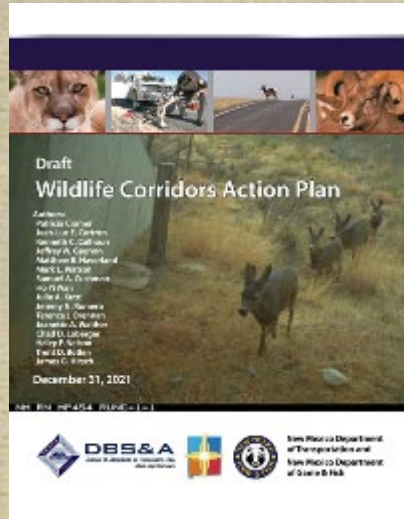


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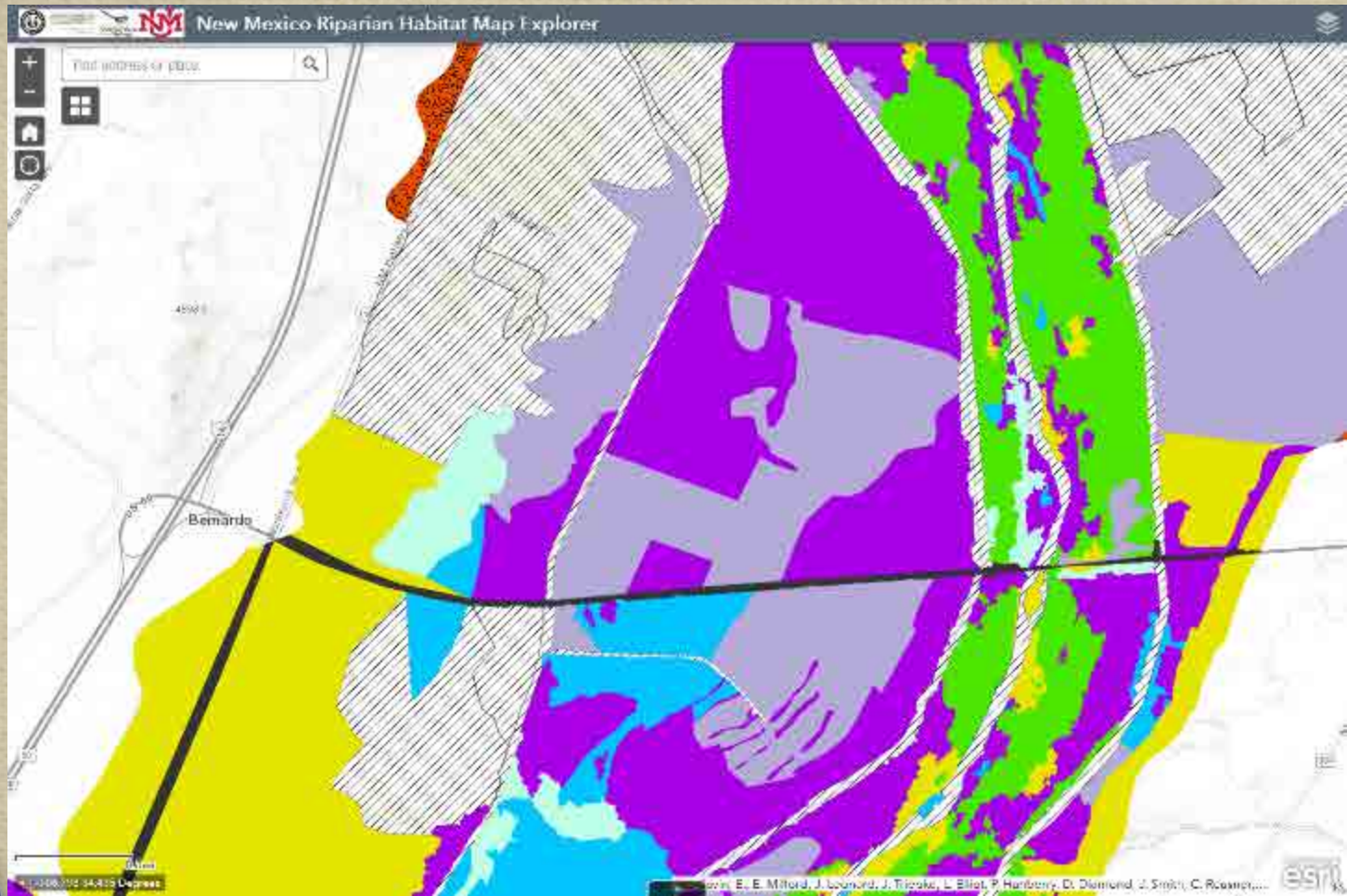


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Wildlife Connectivity



Riparian Habitat Map



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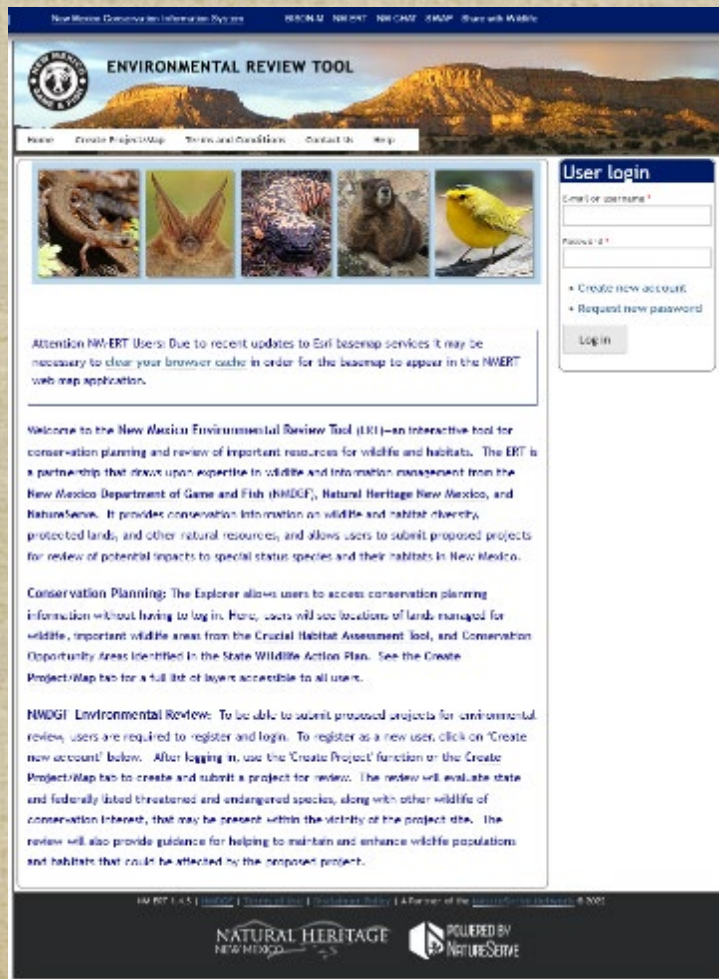
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Terrero Mine/Lisboa Springs Hatchery Operable Units



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Mine and Energy Development Site Inspections



River Stewardship Program Proposal Review



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Information and Education Division 2022 Year in Review

James Pitman
Santa Fe, NM
January 27, 2023



2022 IED Promotions and Hiring



James Pitman
Division Chief
March 2022



Tristanna Bickford Carrell
Asst. Chief of Education
June 2022



Ryan Darr
Asst. Chief of Information
June 2022



Janey Brotherton
Public Relations Coord.
May 2022



Stephanie Walton-Filipczak
Asst. Hunter Education Coord.
June 2022



Desi Ortiz
OHV Program Manager
September 2022



Michaela Wolfe
Info. Center Supervisor
October 2022



Darren Vaughan
Communication Director
October 2022



Tyler Twichell
OHV Law Enforcement Coord.
October 2022



Off-Highway Vehicle Program

- 226 students at hands-on OHV courses
- 553 students in online OHV courses
- 2,200 public interactions at OHV events
- Updated brochures/signs with QR codes
 - 9,000 brochures & 250 signs



Desi Ortiz
OHV Program Manager



Chris Johnson
OHV Education Coord.



Tyler Twichell
OHV Law Enforcement Coord.



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Hunter Education Program

- 3,190 students at HE courses
- 38 new instructors
- 92 students at B/HE camps
- 18 Youth HE Grad Hunts
- 265 registered in MY Program
- VR Field Dressing Systems



Jennifer Morgan
Hunter Education Program Coord.



Stephanie Walton-Filipczak
Asst. Hunter Education Coord.



Roselyn Washington
HE Office Manager & Financial Spc.

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R3 & Skills Education Programs

- 180 students in the RH Program
- 142 students in YHEC
- Clovis Range Opening
- 11 students “Intro to Hunting” Camps
- NASP
 - 10,623 students
 - 195 new instructors
 - 664 participants in Virtual State Tournament
- 1,364 participants at 3D Events



John Martsh
R3 Program Manager



Cody Johnston
Shooting Sports Coord.



Bruce Atencio
Archery Education Coordinator

Conservation & Aquatic Education

- 5,406 participants in Conservation Education
- 6,535 participants in Aquatic Education
- 4,848 Virtual Academy participants
- 253 active volunteers



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Conservation Education Mgr.

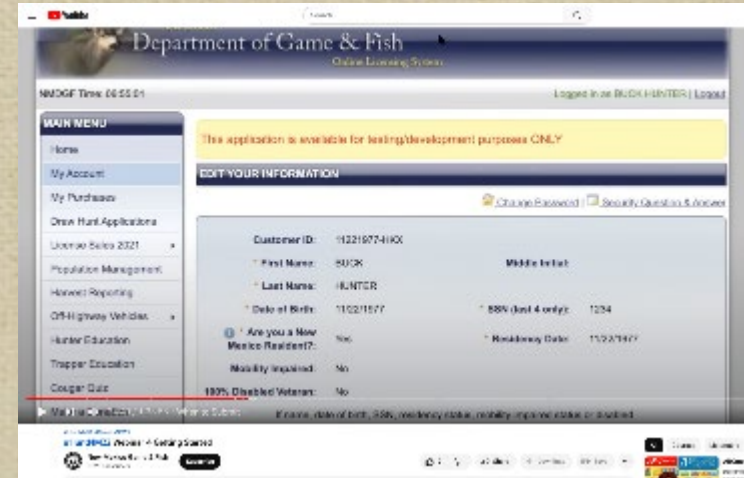


Dennis Segura
Aquatic/Sport-Fishing Education Coord.



Information Center & Draw

- Implemented Five9 phone system
- Big Game Draw Period
 - 8,831 calls taken
 - 784 hrs. 22 min. and 11 sec.
- Video Series/Early Incentives
 - 56,556 watched
 - 96,160 early applications



Michaela Wolfe
Info. Center Supervisor



Larry Garcia
Public Relations Coord.



Robin Quintana
Public Relations Coord.



Janey Brotherton
Public Relations Coord.



Public Outreach & Marketing

- RIBs & *NM Wildlife* bilingual
 - 374,072 downloads and 100,000 printed
 - *NM Wildlife* – 609,757 opens
- Outdoor Adventure Show
 - Over 3,700 in attendance
- Governor's Auction
 - \$171,749 raised
- Facebook/Instagram/Twitter
 - 66,952 followers (up 5,500)
 - Blue Verification Badge



Star Gonzales
Marketing Manager



Darren Vaughan
Communication Director



Ross Morgan
NW PIO



Colleen Payne
SW PIO



Rachel Conger Baca
Pubs. Editor/Graphic Designer

Administrative & Information Services Divisions 2022 Year in Review

Paul Varela / Gavin Lujan
Santa Fe, NM
January 27, 2023



- The FY22 financial audit received a clean unmodified opinion and we resolved the significant deficiency from last year.
- Generated \$37.8M in federal revenue during FY22, the most ever in a single year.
- We increased our net position by \$23.6M during FY22.



- Spent 92.5% of the total operating budget in FY22
- Helped purchase the L-Bar Ranch by establishing the grant and budget authority.



- Successfully transitioned back into the office post covid without an initial negative impact to vacancy rates.
- The total number of customers was 121,451 and the total number of applications was 275,166 for the public draw.



- Enhanced Cyber Security Posture
- Multi Factor Authentication(MFA) enforced throughout agency for email/VPN
- New Service Desk System – TrackIT



Field Operations Division 2022 Year in Review

Tim Cimbale
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New Updated Poach Coach



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2022 Make-A-Wish Elk Hunts



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2022 Shikar Safari Officer of the Year



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Fallen Officers Memorial



- Deputy Game Warden Ananias Green
- EOW: 11/15/1941
- Flag sent to Great-Great Grandson



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2022 Historic Wildfire Year

- Conservation Officers assisted the public during this devastating wildfire season
- Hermit's Peak/Calf Canyon Fire: 5,000 working hours
- Ruidoso Fire: 110 working hours



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Corrales Outdoor Show



- Over 500 members of the public attended!
- Successful event with help from multiple NMDGF division staff



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Hands on with Wildlife Work



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2022 Field Operations Stats

- Field Contacts: 50865
- Citations: 1985
- OHV Contacts: 1800
- OHV Citations: 190
- I&E Events: 232
- Special Ops: 105



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2022, A Great Year!



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