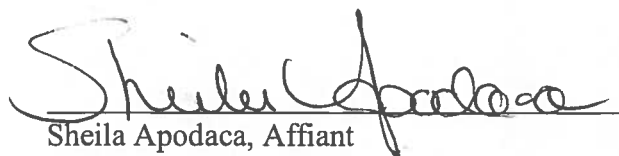


Affidavit of Notice to the Public

I, Sheila Apodaca, the undersigned, on oath, swear and affirm that the Notice of Public Hearing for the proposed repeal and replacement of Rule 7.4.6-Requirements Governing the Harm Reduction Syringe Exchange Program, was provided to the public as identified below:


1. On July 12, 2022, I verified that the Notice of Public Hearing was electronically posted on the New Mexico Department of Health agency website at <http://nmhealth.org/publication/rules/>, in accordance with the State Rules Act at NMSA 1978, § 14-4-5.2.
2. On July 12, 2022, I verified that the Notice of Public Hearing was posted on the New Mexico Sunshine Portal website, in accordance with the State Rules Act at NMSA 1978, § 14-4-5.2.
3. On July 12, 2022, I emailed the Notice of Public Hearing to persons who have made a written request for notice from the agency of announcements addressing the subject of rulemakings and who have provided the agency an electronic mail address, in accordance with the State Rules Act at NMSA 1978, § 14-4-5.2. The list of persons who requested notice includes the following persons: Tim Gardner, tgardner@drnm.org; Marilyn Wolfe, MWolfe@drnm.org; Crystal Hodges, chodges@nmag.gov.
4. No persons have provided a postal address to request written notice by postal mail.
5. On July 12, 2022, I emailed the Notice of Public hearing to the New Mexico Legislative Counsel Service, at lcs@nmlegis.gov, in accordance with the State Rules Act at NMSA 1978, § 14-4-5.2.
6. On July 12, 2022, I emailed the Notice of Public Hearing to Westlee Painter of New Mexico Small Business Regulatory Advisory Commission, the identified contact person for the receipt of proposed rule changes, at Westlee.Painter@state.nm.us, pursuant to the Small Business Regulatory Relief Act at NMSA 1978, § 14-4A-4.
7. On July 12, 2022, I ensured that the Notice of Public Hearing was also posted publicly on the exterior doors at the Harold Runnels Building, where the Office of the Secretary for the Department of Health and the Public Health Division are located, at 1190 S. St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.


Sheila Apodaca, Affiant

STATE OF NEW MEXICO }
COUNTY OF SANTA FE }

SWORN TO and SUBSCRIBED before me on the 11th day of August, 2022 by Sheila Apodaca.



Notarial Officer

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Christopher D. Woodward
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