

**“Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Month”**

December 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022

**WHEREAS**, Roosevelt County officials value the health and safety of all our citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, local leaders, in government and in the community, know that the support of the citizens in our communities are the most effective tools they can have in their efforts to reduce the use of alcohol and other drugs by New Mexicans; and

**WHEREAS**, Roosevelt County is joining with other New Mexico DWI Coordinator Affiliates to support all efforts to reduce DWI crashes, DWI fatalities and the use of alcohol by residents throughout the State; and

**WHEREAS**, the New Mexico DWI Coordinators Affiliate represents 33 counties with the common goal of reducing the incidence of DWI, alcoholism, alcohol abuse, drug addiction or drug abuse and preventing or reducing the incidence of domestic abuse related to the use or abuse of alcohol; and

**WHEREAS**, the New Mexico DWI Coordinators in the 33 counties provide services under Local DWI Programs that provide Compliance Monitoring/Tracking for over 12,000 DWI/ DUI offenders ensuring that clients are in compliance with Court Ordered requirements; and

**WHEREAS**, students (K-12<sup>th</sup> grade) throughout the State also receive prevention education/activities through these programs; and

**WHEREAS**, nationwide, every day 926 people are injured or every 90 seconds someone is injured in drunk driving crash (MADD); and

**WHEREAS**, the reduction in alcohol involved vehicle crash fatalities and serious alcohol involved vehicle crash injuries is due in part to the dedicated work of the Local DWI Programs; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Month is to raise awareness around DWI, alcoholism, alcohol abuse, drug addiction and/or drug abuse, and the efforts of the DWI Affiliates and the Local DWI Programs; and

**WHEREAS**, Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Month will be celebrated in Curry, De Baca and Roosevelt counties in New Mexico during, December 1–31, 2022; and

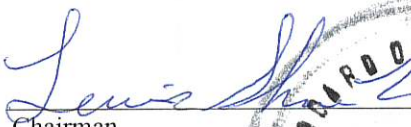
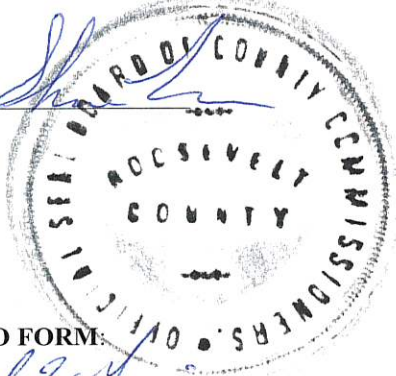
**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it proclaimed that the governing body Roosevelt County, Board of Commissioners, does hereby designate December, 2022 as:

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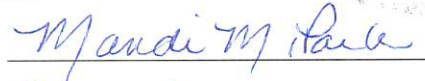
Roosevelt County Board of Commissioners urges all citizens, parents, governmental agencies, public and private institutions, businesses, hospitals, schools and colleges in Roosevelt County to support efforts that will increase community awareness, understanding and action to address DWI in our community.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY**

Executed this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022


  
Chairman  


ATTEST:

  
Roosevelt, County Clerk



APPROVAL AS TO FORM:

  
Michael I. Garcia County Attorney

