

New Mexico Mining Safety Board (MSB) – Meeting, August 1, 2024 @ 1 PM

AGENDA

MSB members:

John Purcell (Chair), Jerry Higginbotham (Vice Chair), Michael Ackman, Howard Bartoo, Jeff Cook, Katharine Fishman, Roy Newman, Mike Runner.

The State Mine Inspector (SMI), and the EMNRD Cabinet Secretary are Ex-Officio members of the MSB.

Chris Hefner, State Mine Inspector

Albert Chang, Director Mining and Mineral Division

Billy Jimenez, Counsel for State Mine Inspector and Mining Safety Board

Administrative duties provided by Bethany Jessen of BMS staff.

Location

Bureau of Mine Safety, room 101

101 East Road

Socorro, NM

with Teleconference

Capability

<https://zoom.us/join>

ZOOM meeting ID: 942 8683 4584

PASSWORD: 028452

Purpose of Meeting:

The MSB will conduct a regular meeting. The purpose of the meeting is for regular MSB business including the approval of the last meeting's minutes; SMI and Chair reports; 2024 NM Mine Rescue Competition; update on board vacancies and nomination process for new members; and any other new business that may be introduced.

Other business items: *If MSB members would like other items included on the agenda, please contact the SMI at 575-835-5460 or Chair (John Purcell) at 575-200-6771.*

Agenda (Starting at 1 PM)

Action

Meeting will commence.

Chair Attendance introductions, and safety share

Approval of today's agenda **Action Item**

Approval of last the meeting's minutes, held on March 5, 2024; **Action Item**

Introduction – New board member Mike Ackman.

SMI Report – Requirements for the Safety Program for Surface Mobile Equipment Final Rule (56.23000), Supervisor classes for M/NM supervisors.

Chair Report – MSHA Silica Rule – Final Rule. NM Mining Association Convention August 28 –