

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO RACING COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING FINAL AGENDA**

Note: This Regular Commission Meeting will be held in 3 sessions (Two open sessions – open to the public-- and the Executive Session – closed to the public.) by Teams Video Conference and in person in the New Mexico Racing Commission Boardroom at 4900 Alameda Blvd. NE, Suite A, Albuquerque, New Mexico. The link to join the open session(s) is listed below and can also be found on the NMRC website.

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Public Meeting

Date: Thursday, November 20, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

The meeting will commence at 9:00 AM and each item will be addressed by the Commission in the following order:

- 1. Roll Call**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 3. Approval of Agenda***
- 4. Approval of Minutes**
 - A. Commission's August 21, 2025, Regular Meeting
 - B. Commission's September 30, 2025, Special Meeting
 - C. Commission's October 23, 2025, Regular Meeting
- 5. Commissioners' Reports**
- 6. Agency Director Reports* (Limited to maximum 5 minutes speaking time)**
 - A. NMRC Executive Director Report
- 7. NM Horse Breeder's Association Reports**

- 8. Executive Session Items pursuant to Sections 10-15-1(H)(1) and (7) NMSA 1978:**

(Executive session is estimated to begin at approximately 9:30 AM and continue until approximately 11:00 AM. Each agenda item will be addressed by the Commission in order. Be aware executive session may begin prior to 9:30 and/or end before or after 11:00.)

 - A. Martinez and Hernandez v. NMRC (Pending Litigation)
 - B. Fred Heinrich (Licensing)
 - C. SunRay Park (Licensing)
 - D. Sunland Park (Licensing)
 - E. Zia Park (Licensing)
 - F. Downs at Albuquerque (Licensing)

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9. Unfinished/New Business and/or Action Items:

A. Request for Approval of Fred Heinrich's Secondary License Application

B. Request for Approval of Grace Period for Rule 15.2.6.9(B)(5) (Out of Competition Testing Penalties for Hair Violations) Until Further Notice

C. Request for Approval of 2025-26 Sunland Park Stewards

D. Request for Ratification of Approval to Amend Zia Park 2025 Stewards

E. Approvals for SunRay Park

1. Request for Approval of 2026 Simulcast Imports
2. Request for Approval of 2026 Stakes Schedule
3. Request for Approval of 2026 Four Corners Futurity Nomination Blank
4. Request for Approval of 2026 NM Breeders Futurity Nomination Blank

F. Approvals for Sunland Park

1. Request for Approval of 2026 Simulcast Imports
2. Request for Approval of 2025-26 Post Time Schedule and Wagering Format
3. Request for Approval of 2026 Payment of Purses (Pursuant to 15.2.3.8.D(4) NMAC)
4. Request for Approval of Variance for Thursday, December 25, 2025

G. Approvals for Zia Park

1. Request for Approval of 2026 Simulcast Imports
2. Request for Ratification of Approval to Amend Zia Park 2025 Racing Officials
3. Request for Approval of Variance for Thursday, December 25, 2025

H. Approvals for Downs at Albuquerque

1. Request for Approval of 2026 Simulcast Imports
2. Request for Ratification of Approval of Variances for Saturday, October 18, 2025 (Only ran 7 races) and Wednesday, October 22, 2025 (Only ran 2 races)
3. Request for Ratification of Approval to Run Thirteen Races on Sunday, October 19, 2025, and Run Ten Races on Friday, October 24, 2025
4. Request for Ratification of Approval to Distribute Purses for Races 3 through 10 Equally Among the Participants Entered on October 22, 2025
5. Request for Ratification of Approval to Change Post Times for Friday, October 24, 2025, and Saturday, October 25, 2025 (as a precautionary measure due to malfunction of lighting system on October 22, 2025)

I. Approvals for Ruidoso Downs

1. Request for Approval of 2026 Simulcast Imports
2. Request for Approval of Variance for Thursday, December 25, 2025

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10. Adjournment

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