

**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, August 20, 2026

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 July 02, 2026, Special Meeting**
 - B. Commission's July 16, 2026, 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**
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- 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. Keeton v. NMRC (Pending Litigation)**
 - B. Zia Park LLC v. NMRC and Western Gaming, LLC (Pending Litigation)**
 - C. San Juan Board of County Commissioners v. NMRC (Pending Litigation)**
 - D. Mescalero Apache Tribe v. NMRC (Pending Litigation)**

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

A. Request for Approval of Payment of Purses for the Downs at Albuquerque Race Meet and the Zia Park Race Meet Pursuant to Rule 15.2.3.8(D)(4)(a)

B. Request for Approval of the 2026 Downs at Albuquerque Board of Stewards

C. Approvals for Sunland Park

1. Request for Approval of the 2027 Shue Fly Nomination Blank
2. Request for Approval of the 2027 West Texas Derby Nomination Blank
3. Request for Approval of the 2027 Stakes Schedule
4. Request for Approval of Gaming and Breakage

D. Approvals for Ruidoso Downs

1. Request for Ratification of Approval to Cancel July 24, 2026's Race Card, Distribute Purses Evenly Between the Owners of Each Respective Race, and Distribute Losing Jock Amount of \$125.00 to the Jockeys (Excluding Scratched Horses)
2. Request for Ratification of Approval to Replace Paddock Judge Roger Farrell with Jackie Riddle on July 24, 2026, and July 25, 2026

10. Adjournment

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