

# Co-op CORNER

YOUR MONTHLY REPORT FROM SOCORRO ELECTRIC

SOCORRO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., HEREBY ANNOUNCES THE

## 2023 Annual Member Meeting and Election of Trustees

Saturday, April 1, 2023

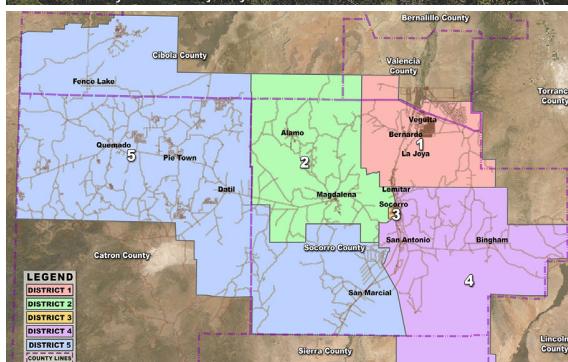
**Macey Center,  
NM Tech Campus**  
Socorro 801 Leroy Place  
Socorro, NM 87801

**Registration: 1 to 3 p.m.  
Business Meeting: 3 p.m.**



Please come out and join us at our Annual Member meeting! We will review the achievements of the past year and share our future goals. Also, at this year's meeting, there will be elections for two (2) Trustees - one from District 2 and one from District 3. If you reside in one of these districts and are interested, you can become a candidate for your district's position. The general areas for these districts are as follows: District 2 are the areas around and including Magdalena and Alamo; District 3 is the city limits of Socorro.

As mentioned in the January 2023 Enchantment Magazine, if you are interested in becoming a candidate for the position of Trustee for the SEC Board, you have until **January 31, 2023** to complete and file an "Affidavit Declaring Candidacy." You can find this form on our website or come by our office and ask for one. This form must be returned to the SEC office no later than January 31, 2023, by 4:30 p.m.



**JANUARY 2023**



2012 Cat Rescue



- Office Phone: 575.835.0560  
1.800.351.7575
- Option 1: Payment, Account Balance, Report an Outage
- Option 2: Speak with Service Rep. about an Outage
- Option 3: Payment Arrangements
- Option 4: New Construction
- Option 5: Search Phone Directory
- Option 6: Office Hours/Directions
- Option 7: Spanish Instructions
- Option 8: Member Services

After Hours: 1.800.351.7575  
Outage Phone: 1.855.881.8159

Office Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8am - 4:30pm

Member Service: Marilyn Madrid,  
MSR Supervisor - Ext 1504  
mmadrid@socorroelectric.com

Accounting: Jimmy Capps,  
CFO - Ext 1503  
jcapps@socorroelectric.com

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etapia@socorroelectric.com

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## Spotlight on TEAM SEC - Meet our Staff, Your Neighbor

Angelica Trujillo joined the SEC team June 9, 2022, as an Engineering Aide and moved into the GIS Technician/Engineering Aide role in September, where she remains today. Angelica brings a business background along with excellent customer service.

Previously, Angelica was a Payroll/Accounts Payable Clerk and an Assistant for the business office with Magdalena Municipal Schools. She has also been a teller for Wells Fargo and was a waitress for several years. She attended the University of New Mexico and has an AABA degree and was in Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. Additionally, she has a CPO License and a SBO License through the State of New Mexico, Bookkeeping Certificates, and is a Notary.

She was born and raised in Magdalena where she resides with her 8-year-old daughter. They enjoy doing crafts together, playing basketball, going for drives in the mountains, fishing, gardening, and spending time with animals, and she loves to cook and bake. We are proud of the huge accomplishments that Angelica has already made in the six months of her employment at SEC, and we can't wait to see all that she will contribute to the SEC team and our members. Welcome aboard Angelica!

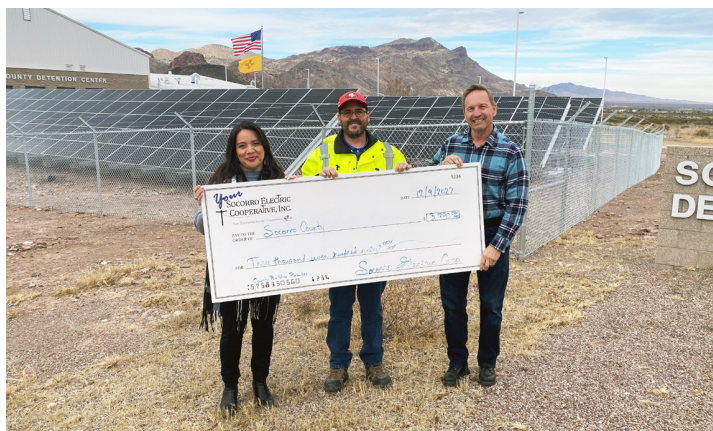


**Angelica Trujillo**  
GIS Technician/Engineering Aide

## Socorro County works with SEC to receive Energy Efficient rebate checks!

The Solar project at the Socorro County Detention Center is one of many county property sites that were identified in an energy efficiency project and goal of the county to reduce its carbon footprint as well as to effectively and efficiently address energy needs at various facilities throughout the county. The County's energy analysis of the Detention Center's needs indicated that the energy savings from the solar installation would repay its cost.

If you are a member business owner/operator and would like SEC's support to assist you in receiving rebates on LED Lighting, Heat Pumps, and other Energy Efficiency programs please call us today at 575-835-0560! After your chosen electrician/contractor has determined the best plan for energy efficiency upgrades in your building, we will come out along with your electrician, and do a pre-inspection. After the energy efficient upgrades are complete, we will do a post-inspection and submit your rebate for you! We'd love to work with you through this process and our time is free of charge!



L to R: SEC Director of Communications and Public Affairs Ellena Tapia hands another \$3,790 rebate check for LED lighting to Socorro County Facilities Director Qualyn Crespin and County Manager Michael Hawkes.



### Basin Electric Power Cooperative \$1,000 Scholarship now open for applicants!

An application & additional information is available in our office or on-line at <https://www.socorroelectric.com/youth>

## December 21, 2022 Board Report - the Board ....

- received departmental reports from Staff and recommendations from Board Committees.
- discussed Tri-State's increased rate on Green Power from \$0.09 to \$0.10 per 100kWh block.

Meetings are normally on the 4th Wednesday @ 2 p.m. of each month. Please visit the website for specific meeting dates/times as they may vary with holidays, etc.

**Board Meeting Minutes, Agendas, Videos, and Policies are posted here:**

<https://www.socorroelectric.com/board-resources-agendas-minutes-meeting-videos>

### Upcoming SEC Holidays:

- Martin Luther King Jr. - January 16
- Washington's Birthday - February 20