

PUBLIC MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

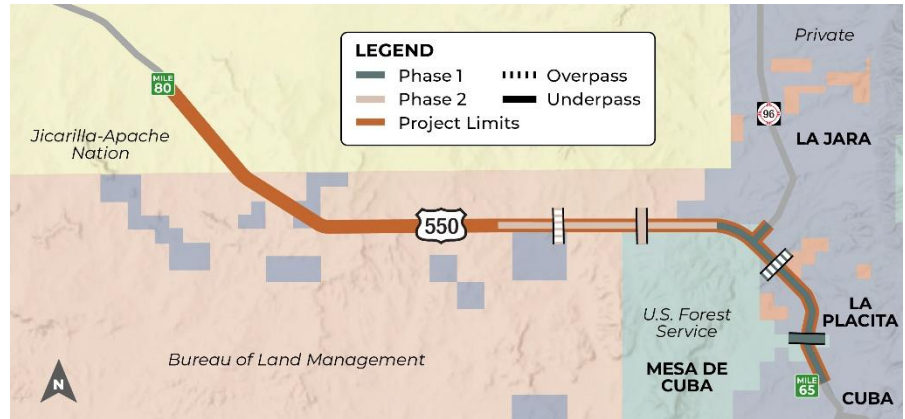
for the

US 550 Wildlife-Vehicle Collision Mitigation Project

Phases 1 and 2

Control Number 9901211

The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) is hosting an in-person public meeting for the US 550 Wildlife-Vehicle Collision Mitigation Project: Phases 1 and 2. The project is designed to improve safety for both drivers and wildlife by reducing wildlife-vehicle collisions and improving wildlife movement across the highway. Planned improvements include



wildlife crossing structures, 8-foot-tall game fencing, and other features that help animals safely cross US 550. The overall project is divided into five phases, with designs for Phases 1 and 2 under development. Phase 1 extends along US 550 from milepost (MP) 64.98 to MP 69.92 and along NM 96 from MP 0.00 to MP 0.5. Phase 2 extends from MP 68.92 to MP 73.17 on US 550. Both phases include overpass and underpass wildlife crossing structures and game fencing.

The NMDOT anticipates starting construction of Phase 1 in early 2027 and is also seeking funding to advance construction of Phase 2. Community members are encouraged to attend and learn more about the project.

WE NEED TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Wednesday, June 17, 2026, 6:00 PM

Paula Enyeart Community Building
Sandoval County Fairgrounds
16 Rodeo Road, Cuba, NM 87013

TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE

For technical assistance, requests for hard copies, or other assistance, call John Taschek at (505) 980-0993.

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HOW TO SHARE COMMENTS & QUESTIONS

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**The comment period ends
July 15, 2026.**

