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United Way of Central New Mexico's Affinity Group

Albuquerque, NM – United Way of Central New Mexico's Affinity Groups unite members of the community with others who are passionate about creating positive change in central New Mexico.

Hispano Philanthropic Society (HPS) has selected Roberta Ricci, Director of Development for CNM Foundation, as Chair and Jesus D. Ontiveros, Senior Manager at Sandia National Laboratories, as Vice Chair. HPS was created in 2009 and has grown to almost 400 members. Its mission is to be the national leader in recognizing, engaging, and encouraging Hispanic leadership in philanthropy. Members raise money to support nonprofit agencies that provide services to middle schools in the areas of attendance, behavior and coursework. www.uwcnm.org/hps

United Way of Central New Mexico, founded in 1934, serves a four-county region. UWCNM's mission is to bring people and resources together to measurably improve lives and strengthen our communities. To learn more, visit www.uwcnm.org or call 505-247-3671.

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