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New Director of Human Resources Named for the Office of State Engineer

(SANTA FE, New Mexico) – New Mexico State Engineer John D’Antonio has selected a new Director of Human Resources for the agency.

Lynette Paulman-Rodriguez assumed her new responsibilities on April 26, 2003. Before becoming Director of Human Resources, she was the Senior Administrator for Human Resources at the Office of the State Engineer from 1999 to 2003. Prior to that, she worked for five years as a personnel director for a privately owned telecommunications corporation called CRD, Inc.

Paulman-Rodriguez has a bachelor’s degree in English from the University of Vermont and a Masters of Business Administration from the College of Santa Fe. She is originally from Vermont.

The Office of the State Engineer and the Interstate Stream Commission are separate but companion agencies charged with administering the state's water resources. The agencies have power over the supervision, measurement, appropriation and distribution of almost all surface and ground water in New Mexico, including streams and rivers that cross state boundaries. The State Engineer is also Secretary of the Interstate Stream Commission and oversees the staff of both agencies.

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