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Alameda Medians

Bernalillo County requests \$300,000 to plan, design and reconstruct medians within Alameda Blvd. between the Rio Grande and 2nd St. The medians along Alameda Blvd. were originally designed and constructed by the New Mexico Department of Transportation in 1995 and 1996. The planting plans for the medians were particularly dense. Consequently, much of the material had to be cut out and removed over the years because plants were growing into one another and into the right-of-way. Today, few of the original plants remain in the medians, primarily with the exception of the largest trees. Bernalillo County proposes to use the requested funds to redesign and reconstruct the medians using an appropriate landscaping plan that avoids the current outcome. Aging irrigation infrastructure would also be reconstructed where necessary.

Alameda Blvd., also known as New Mexico State Highway 528, is a New Mexico Department of Transportation maintained right-of-way. However, Bernalillo County has an airspace agreement to maintain the landscaping both within the medians between Rio Grande and 2nd St. and along the south side of Alameda Blvd.



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