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Outgoing NM ASSP President's Message:

NM ASSP Chapter Members,

As I write my closing message to you as Chapter President, I am grateful and proud of the organization. This past year has been a memorable one for our organization, and every accomplishment reflects your enthusiasm, expertise, and unwavering support. I want to take a moment to highlight a few key successes we achieved together:

2025/2026 Highlights

- Professional Development Conference – 13 outstanding speakers delivered 18 engaging sessions, joined by 5 valued vendor partners, and attended by 24 dedicated professionals. Your participation and feedback helped make this one of our most impactful conferences to date.
- Technical Meeting Series – We hosted 8 well-attended technical meetings featuring dynamic speakers who shared cutting-edge insights and practical tools. These sessions fostered lively discussion, sparked collaboration, and reinforced our commitment to continual learning.
- Member Appreciation Dinner – We gathered at M'tucci's Twenty-Five for

an evening of camaraderie, celebrating the contributions of our volunteers and recognizing the achievements of our members. The energy and sense of community in the room was truly inspiring.

None of this would have been possible without the collective dedication of our incredible Board and committee volunteers. From program planning and speaker outreach to event logistics, each of you gave your time, creativity, and heart to make every initiative a success. Thank you for exemplifying the spirit of service that defines our chapter.

Looking Ahead

While my term is ending, our momentum is only beginning. The incoming Board—led by Selina Santiago—is already building on this year's foundation. Together, they will:

- Expand professional development offerings to address emerging industry trends
- Grow our mentorship and networking programs to connect members across all career stages
- Deepen partnerships with local

businesses, universities, and community organizations

- Enhance member engagement through innovative events and volunteer opportunities

How You Can Stay Involved

- Volunteer on a committee or lend your expertise as a speaker
- Invite colleagues to our meetings and events—your word of mouth is our greatest asset
- Share your ideas with the Board; your voice shapes our direction

Thank You

Serving as your President has been an honor I will always cherish. I am grateful for your trust, inspired by your achievements, and optimistic about our Chapter's future. Please join me in congratulating and supporting our new leadership team as they guide us into another year of growth and success.

With sincere appreciation and warm regards,

Jessica Bolduc, CIH, CSP, CHMM
Outgoing President
ASSP NM Chapter



Incoming NM ASSP President's Message:

Dear ASSP New Mexico Chapter Members,

I am honored and excited to serve as your President for the 2026-2027 term. Together, we will continue to advance the mission of the American Society of Safety Professionals by promoting safety excellence and fostering a strong community of safety professionals across New Mexico.

This year, our focus will be on enhancing member engagement, expanding professional development

opportunities, and strengthening partnerships within our industry and community. We will continue to offer educational events through our monthly technical presentations, as well as valuable networking opportunities. Your involvement is key to ensuring an active and engaged chapter!

Your feedback and participation are essential to our chapter's success. I encourage each of you to actively engage, share your ideas, and collaborate with fellow members. Together, we can create a vibrant and sup-

portive environment that empowers all of us to make a meaningful impact on workplace safety.

Thank you for your commitment to safety and to our chapter. I look forward to working with you and making 2026-2027 a remarkable year for ASSP New Mexico.

Stay safe and engaged!

Selina Santiago, CSP
President, ASSP NM Chapter
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A Message from our President-Elect — NM ASSP PDC 2026 Review and Gratitude

Thank you to everyone who attended our 2026 Professional Development Conference and to those who took the time to complete our post-conference survey. We sincerely appreciate your thoughtful feedback and continued support of our chapter.

Overall, the survey results were very encouraging. Attendees gave high marks to the conference experience, particularly for the registration process, facilities, communications, and overall organization. We also received many positive comments recognizing the quality of our speakers and the efforts of our volunteers, vendors, and planning committee. Thank you for helping make this year's conference a success.

Additionally, your feedback gave us valuable insight into the types of educa-

tional opportunities you'd like to see moving forward. Several members expressed interest in emerging topics such as artificial intelligence. As we plan our Chapter meetings and professional development opportunities for the coming year, we'll look for ways to incorporate these and other timely subjects that are meaningful to our members.

As we prepare to serve as your Executive Committee, I'm excited about the opportunities ahead. One of our primary goals this year is to make our Chapter more accessible and engaging for safety professionals throughout New Mexico. That means continuing to evaluate how we deliver programs, creating opportunities for members to connect and participate while also ensuring our meetings provide value, whether you're a long-time member

or attending for the first time.

Our chapter is strongest when our members are actively involved. We encourage you to attend meetings, invite a colleague, volunteer on a committee, or simply share your ideas with the Officers. Your input helps shape the direction of our chapter, and we want every member to feel that they have a voice.

Thank you again for your feedback, your participation, and your commitment to advancing the safety profession. I'm looking forward to working with all of you as we build an engaging and successful chapter year together.

Sincerely,

John Wiesenfeld
President-Elect
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See us at:

<https://nm.assp.org/>



Post-PDC Survey — We'd *Still* Love Your Feedback!

First, we would like to send a heartfelt thank you to everyone who was able to attend this year's NM ASSP PDC Conference, held on May 11th and 12th at the Sandia

Casino Convention Center. This event would not have been a success without your support!

Secondly, if you haven't al-

ready had the opportunity, please go to [this link](#) and provide your feedback. With your assistance, we can plan an even better event next time!



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