

# How Do Your State Legislators Rate on Conservation?



Photo credit: Gila River near Silver City by Dennis O'Keefe.



## conservation voters new mexico 2011/2012 Legislative SCORECARD



### What Is the Scorecard?

The Conservation Voters New Mexico (CVNM) Scorecard tells you the conservation score for each legislator from the 2011 and 2012 sessions combined (the 50th Legislature) so you can know if your Representative and Senator are representing your conservation values. The score is a percentage that indicates the number of pro-conservation votes the legislator cast out of all the votes that were scored. You can find more detail about the scoring process and the individual bills scored on our website at [www.CVNM.org/scorecard](http://www.CVNM.org/scorecard).

### Where Does it Come From?

Each year at the State Legislature, CVNM advocates on legislation that impacts our air, land, water, wildlife and communities. After thorough analysis of the measures, and in consultation with the broader environmental community, we convey the "pro-conservation position" of each bill to all the members of the legislature. After the legislative session, CVNM compiles the important votes into a scorecard that gives each legislator an annual

score. CVNM also computes the lifetime scores of legislators.

### What's the Upshot?

#### Legislators with scores of 100%

- 27% of Senators
- 13% of Representatives

#### Legislators with scores of 0%

- 15% of Senators
- 0% of Representatives

#### Legislators with scores of 50% or more

- 46% of Senators
- 54% of Representatives

#### Legislators with scores below 50%

- 54% of Senators
- 46% of Representatives



# 2011/2012 SENATE SCORECARD

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[www.CVNM.org/scorecard](http://www.CVNM.org/scorecard)

Senator (Party)	District	2011/ 2012 Score	Lifetime Average
Cisneros, Carlos (D)	6	<b>100%</b>	79%
Feldman, Dede (D)	13	<b>100%</b>	99%
Garcia, Mary Jane (D)	36	<b>100%</b>	88%
Griego, Eric (D)	14	<b>100%</b>	100%
Lopez, Linda (D)	11	<b>100%</b>	85%
Lovejoy, Lynda (D)	22	<b>100%</b>	85%
McSorley, Cisco (D)	16	<b>100%</b>	99%
Nava, Cynthia (D)	31	<b>100%</b>	89%
Ortiz y Pino, Gerald (D)	12	<b>100%</b>	94%
Rodriguez, Nancy (D)	24	<b>100%</b>	85%
Wirth, Peter (D)	25	<b>100%</b>	99%
Eichenberg, Tim (D)	15	<b>92%</b>	93%
Sanchez, Michael (D)	29	<b>90%</b>	92%
Keller, Timothy (D)	17	<b>83%</b>	85%
Fischmann, Stephen (D)	37	<b>77%</b>	89%
Morales, Howie (D)	28	<b>75%</b>	69%
Pinto, John (D)	3	<b>67%</b>	72%
Sapient, John (D)	9	<b>67%</b>	67%
Sanchez, Bernadette (D)	26	<b>62%</b>	60%
Martinez, Richard (D)	5	<b>46%</b>	65%
Campos, Pete (D)	8	<b>40%</b>	67%
Jennings, Timothy (D)	32	<b>40%</b>	43%
Munoz, George (D)	4	<b>40%</b>	43%

Senator (Party)	District	2011/ 2012 Score	Lifetime Average
Boitano, Mark (R)	18	<b>38%</b>	25%
Griego, Phil (D)	39	<b>25%</b>	54%
Ryan, John (R)	10	<b>25%</b>	35%
Ulibarri, David (D)	30	<b>24%</b>	40%
Beffort, Sue Wilson (R)	19	<b>20%</b>	34%
Neville, Steven (R)	2	<b>20%</b>	28%
Smith, John Arthur (D)	35	<b>20%</b>	39%
Payne, William (R)	20	<b>18%</b>	21%
Rue, Sander (R)	23	<b>18%</b>	29%
Harden, Clinton (R)	7	<b>15%</b>	33%
Burt, William (R)	40	<b>13%</b>	13%
Sharer, William (R)	1	<b>8%</b>	19%
Adair, Rod (R)	33	<b>0%</b>	18%
Asbill, Vernon (R)	34	<b>0%</b>	22%
Ingle, Stuart (R)	27	<b>0%</b>	24%
Kernan, Gay (R)	42	<b>0%</b>	23%
Leavell, Carroll (R)	41	<b>0%</b>	18%
Papen, Mary Kay (D)	38	<b>0%</b>	47%
Curtis, Lisa K. (D)*	21	<b>n.a.</b>	n.a.

\*Senator Lisa Curtis was appointed to fulfill the term of Senator Kent Cravens who resigned from the Senate in 2011. Curtis will not be scored at this time since she was not in office during the 2011 Session.

## Protecting the Enchantment, one vote at a time...

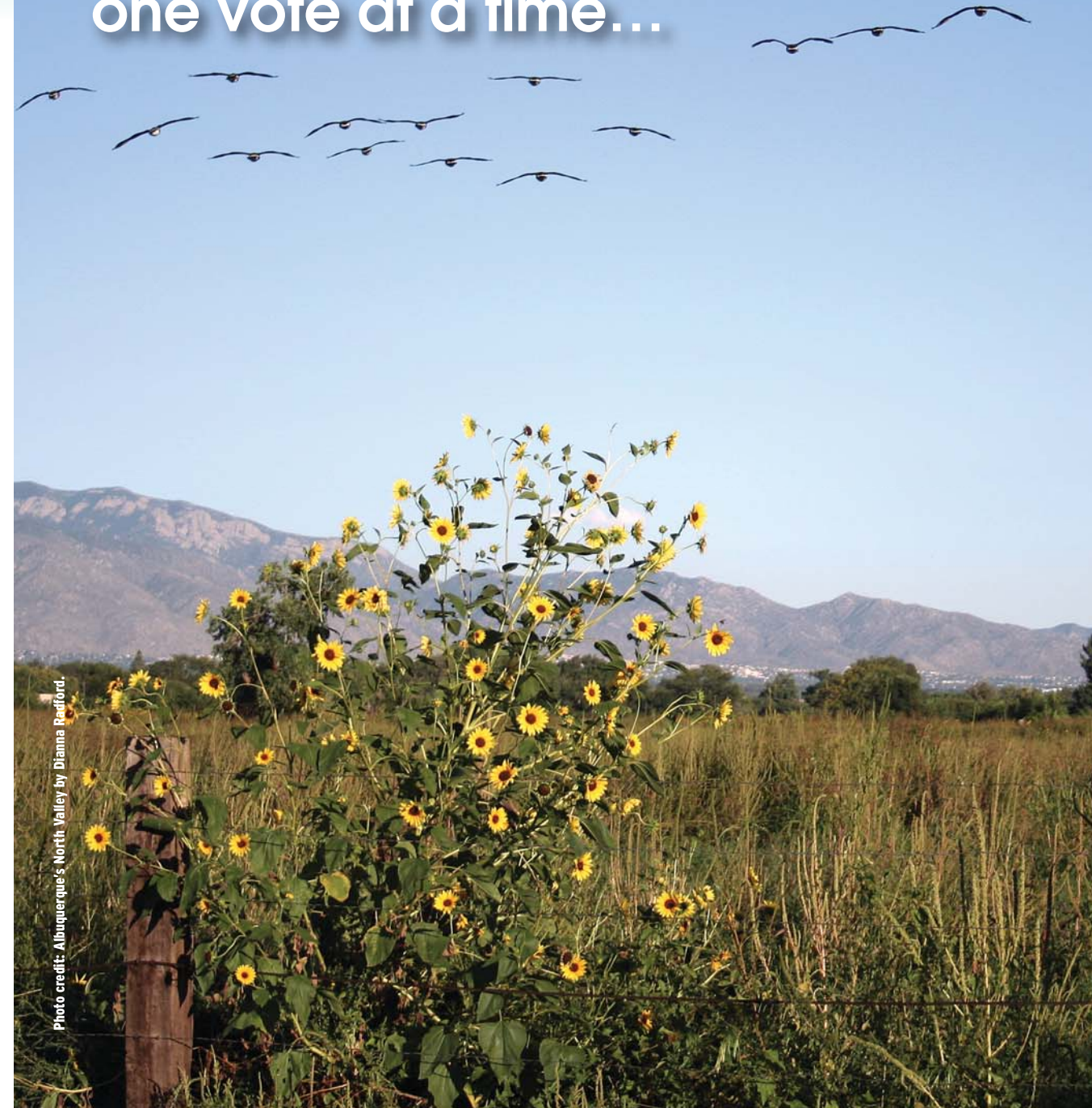


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**Conservation Voters New Mexico (CVNM)**, a nonpartisan, non-profit 501 (c) (4) organization, works to protect our Land of Enchantment by:

**Educating** legislators and the public on critical conservation issues;

**Lobbying** on behalf of pro-conservation legislation;

**Holding legislators accountable** for decisions that impact our environment; and

**Endorsing and electing** pro-conservation candidates to public office.

### Do your part to protect New Mexico!

Your support of CVNM makes our work possible. Please visit our web-site at [www.CVNM.org](http://www.CVNM.org) or call us at **505-992-VOTE (8683)** to get involved. We're counting on you to help us build a conservation majority with the vision to create a safe, clean and healthy New Mexico for our families and our future.

...turning  
conservation values  
into New Mexico  
priorities

# 2011/2012 HOUSE SCORECARD

Representative (Party)	District	2011/2012 Score	Lifetime Average
Chasey, Gail (D)	18	100%	90%
Chavez, Eleanor (D)	13	100%	100%
Egolf, Brian (D)	47	100%	100%
Martinez, W. Ken (D)	69	100%	83%
Miera, Rick (D)	11	100%	94%
O'Neill, Bill (D)	15	100%	100%
Park, Al (D)	26	100%	95%
Sandoval, Edward (D)	17	100%	78%
Stewart, Mimi (D)	21	100%	99%
Lujan, Antonio (D)	35	94%	97%
Picraux, Danice (D)	25	90%	92%
Stapleton, Sheryl Williams (D)	19	89%	72%
Gutierrez, Joni Marie (D)	33	88%	93%
Varela, Luciano "Lucky" (D)	48	88%	89%
Cervantes, Joseph (D)	52	83%	74%
Garcia, Miguel (D)	14	81%	93%
Martinez, Rodolpho "Rudy" (D)	39	80%	71%
Gonzales, Roberto "Bobby" (D)	42	79%	78%
Garcia, Thomas (D)	68	75%	71%
King, Rhonda (D)	50	75%	72%
Lundstrom, Patricia (D)	9	75%	66%
Maestas, Antonio "Moe" (D)	16	75%	86%
Powdrell-Culbert, Jane (R)	44	75%	29%
Rodella, Debbie (D)	41	75%	62%

Representative (Party)	District	2011/2012 Score	Lifetime Average
Madalena, James Roger (D)	65	71%	69%
Lujan, Ben (D)	46	70%	81%
Trujillo, Jim (D)	45	70%	69%
Alcon, Eliseo Lee (D)	6	67%	67%
Dodge, George (D)	63	67%	67%
Jeff, Sandra (D)	5	67%	56%
Garcia, Mary Helen (D)	34	64%	67%
Saavedra, Henry Kiki (D)	10	63%	58%
Salazar, Nick (D)	40	57%	65%
Begaye, Ray (D)	4	50%	51%
Chavez, Ernest (D)	12	50%	66%
Rehm, William "Bill" (R)	31	50%	44%
Vigil, Richard (D)	70	50%	60%
Roch, Dennis (R)	67	44%	39%
Chavez, David (R)	7	42%	42%
Tripp, Don (R)	49	42%	36%
Cook, Zachary (R)	56	38%	32%
Crook, Anna (R)	64	38%	34%
Hall, Jimmie (R)	28	38%	37%
Lewis, Tim (R)	60	38%	38%
Little, Rick (R)	53	38%	38%
Nuñez, Andy (DTS)	36	38%	47%
White, James (R)	20	38%	34%
Wooley, Bob (R)	66	38%	38%
Baldonado, Alonzo (R)	8	33%	33%
Hamilton, Dianne Miller (R)	38	33%	35%
Bandy, Paul (R)	3	31%	36%
James, Conrad (R)	24	30%	30%

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Larrañaga, Larry (R)	27	30%	33%
Smith, James (R)	22	30%	30%
Irwin, Dona (D)	32	29%	47%
Anderson, Thomas (R)	29	27%	25%
Brown, Cathrynn (R)	55	25%	19%
Doyle, David (R)	23	25%	25%
Espinoza, Nora (R)	59	25%	23%
Herrell, Yvette (R)	51	25%	25%
McMillan, Terry (R)	37	25%	25%
Tyler, Shirley (R)	61	25%	26%
Taylor, Thomas (R)	1	21%	22%
Bratton, Donald (R)	62	19%	21%
Ezzell, Candy Spence (R)	58	19%	27%
Gray, William "Bill" (R)	54	19%	21%
Strickler, James (R)	2	17%	19%
Kintigh, Dennis (R)	57	13%	14%
Gentry, Nate (R)	30	10%	10%
Hall, Jim W. (R)*	43	n.a.	n.a.

\*Representative Jim W. Hall was appointed to fulfill the term of Representative Jeannette Wallace who passed away during 2011. Hall will not be scored at this time since he was not in office during the 2011 Session.

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### What Can I Do?

**Call or write to your legislators to let them know how you feel about their scores.** Say thank you if they are doing well and let them know of your disappointment if they are not. Remind them that you will be paying attention in the future and that conservation matters to you.

**If you look at the mailing label on this scorecard and you are a current member of CVNM, you will see the district numbers of your legislators right below your own name and address.** You can find contact information for the legislators at [www.CVNM.org/scorecard](http://www.CVNM.org/scorecard).

**You can also take your contact to the next level.** Invite your legislators for coffee or lunch and get

to know them a bit, giving them the opportunity to know you as well. New Mexico legislators are refreshingly accessible and eager to meet constituents. Building an on-going relationship can help you be heard when the pace picks up.

**Finally, your support to CVNM helps us get the word out on which legislators are in step (or out of step) on key conservation issues. Please consider making a renewed gift today. You can make a donation online at [www.CVNM.org](http://www.CVNM.org) or by sending it in the mail to: CVNM, 507 Webber St., Santa Fe, NM 87505.**

**Thank you for caring about the Land of Enchantment!**



## 2011/2012 Legislative SCORECARD



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a conservation majority  
that will protect  
the Enchantment!  
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