**We look forward to seeing you at Congreso Las Vegas, NM November 15th and 17th!**

**There are several options complete this form:**

**(a) PREFERED: Complete the form online at** [***www.lasacequias.org/congreso/blueform***](http://www.lasacequias.org/congreso/blueform)

 **(b) Mail this paper back to us at - 805 Early Street Suite 203B, Santa Fe, NM 87505 -**

**\* must be postmarked by Friday October 27, 2023 OR**

 **(c) Call our office at 505-995-9644 and we will complete the form with you over the phone**

Name of Region: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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A region in which a regional association of acequias is not formally organized can have a voting delegate on the Congreso. **That delegate must have the support of a number of acequias in that region, at least five or the majority (whichever is smaller).** With the completion of this form, your region can be recognized as a Type 2 region by NMAA.

Get the support of the minimum required number of acequias in your region and the Congreso will appoint you to a one-year term. In the year that you serve on the Congreso, NMAA will provide support to your efforts in forming a regional association. There is no limit on the number of terms a person can serve as long as that person has support from the acequias in that region.

To name a delegate, secure the support of acequia officials from a number of acequias in the region. Inform NMAA that you will be sending a delegate and attend the annual meeting of the Congreso.

Delegate and Alternates:

Name Address Phone Email Delegate or Alternate

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Please list Acequia Officials who support you as a delegate for your region:

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**RENEW YOUR ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP!**

With membership, your regional association will receive a **newsletter subscription for each of your delegates and invitations to our educational and cultural events**. As voting members, you will contribute to shaping the policy positions of the NMAA and to collectively advocating for the future of acequias. If you have not yet renewed your membership, **please complete and mail back the enclosed membership dues envelope, or make a payment online at -** [**lasacequias.org/**](https://lasacequias.org/product/nmaa-membership/). Regional membership is $100/year.

**NMAA MISSION**

The mission of the New Mexico Acequia Association is to protect water and our acequias, grow healthy food for our families and communities, and to honor our cultural heritage.

NMAA will provide support to regional associations upon request in activities relating to acequia education and technical assistance. NMAA will also coordinate a statewide legislative strategy involving the input of regional leaders and the opportunity for all members to actively participate in that strategy. NMAA will actively follow through on resolutions passed by the Congreso de las Acequias.

**NMAA MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT**

We support the mission of the NMAA and are committed to working toward the goals of the NMAA. We agree that the goal of having a representative and democratic organization at the statewide level is essential to working to protect and strengthen all acequias in New Mexico. Our commitment as a member of NMAA is to send a delegation to the annual meeting of the Congreso de las Acequias to act with other regional delegates to establish priorities and strategies and to evaluate our progress in meeting our goals.

**Person completing this form:**

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Title on Acequia \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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