

**2018
Doña Ana
County
Legislative
Coalition
Actions**



What is the DACLC?



- Coalition came together Fall of 2007
- Mission:

The DACLC seeks to identify and promote significant legislative initiatives to benefit Las Cruces and our surrounding communities' economic & developmental needs.


Coalition Membership



**For a TRUE-ly
bright future for
New Mexico**

**All eyes should turn to
Dona Ana County to
understand the power
of possible**

**OUR
STRENGTH
IS IN OUR
UNITY**



Uniting as ONE VOICE around a common set
of priorities for education, workforce, and
economic development.



**Dona Ana County leads
NM in High School
Graduation Rates,
Exports & Job Growth**

**Harnessing &
Targeting our
Assets with
Collaborative
Efforts Shows
how working
together can
drive Success**





Collaboration Drives Opportunities

- **Early College High Schools**
- **Santa Teresa International Border Crossing**
- **Spaceport America**
- **White Sands Missile Range**
- **Downtown Revitalization**
- **NMSU**

**Unite as
ONE VOICE
to Lead
New Mexico
into
TRUE CHANGE**

**Creating
a
Quality
of Place**

DACLC Focus in 3 Basic Areas

Capital Items



**Operational
Funding**



Legislative Policy

2018 DACLC Legislative Priorities

CAPITAL

- GLCCC/Spaceport America – 5 Yr Infrastructure Planning
- NMSU – Ag Modernization & Educational Facilities
- DACC-NMSU – Infrastructure Upgrades / Replacement
- CLC – City Wide Investments & Interchange Improvements
- DAC – Santa Teresa – Runway 10-28 Upgrade & Reconstruction
- DAC – Santa Teresa – Crosswind Runway Planning & Investment

OPERATIONAL

- MVEDA – Regional Economic Development Initiatives
- DAC – Proper Funding Levels for Spaceport America
- The Bridge – Increasing Investment in Dual Credit for Higher Ed

LEGISLATIVE

- Spaceport America – Commercial Space Protection Act
- DAC – Enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact

Las Cruces Day in Santa Fe

Las Cruces Community Advocacy Event hosted by the Council of Conquistadores of the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce in Santa Fe, NM

- **Date: January 27, 2018 – January 29, 2018**
- **Host Hotel: Eldorado Hotel**
- **Events in the past have included:**
 - **Legislators' Recognition Reception**
 - **Governor's Mansion Reception**
 - **Business Brunch**
 - **Legislative Issues Breakfast**
- **Networking opportunities throughout the weekend**



**For more information & to register
call 575-524-1968**



**Thank You for your
Commitment to
Advocacy
in
Southern NM**