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****Media Advisory****

Governor Susana Martinez to Announce Latest Segment of Rio Grande Trail

Las Cruces, NM — Today, Governor Susana Martinez will announce the latest segment of the Rio Grande Trail, which would stretch more than 500 miles from Texas to Colorado. Local leaders will join Governor Martinez for the announcement.

The Rio Grande Trail has the potential to attract visitors from all around the world, much like the Appalachian Trail or the Pacific Crest Trail. Last year, Governor Martinez signed legislation to establish a commission to bring state, local, tribal, and private stakeholders together to create the trail. The Governor also directed New Mexico State Parks to designate more than 20 miles in six parks throughout the state as the first miles of the Rio Grande Trail.

When: 2 p.m. Thursday October 20, 2016

Where: La Llorona Park
3440 W. Picacho Ave.
Las Cruces, NM 88007

****Note: Earlier in the day at 11:30 a.m., the Governor will attend the Tough Enough to Wear Pink Fashion Show at the Pan-Am Center in Las Cruces.*