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New Mexico Indian Affairs Department issues statement on the passing of Senator Carlos Cisneros

SANTA FE – The Indian Affairs Department on Wednesday shares the following statement regarding the passing of Senator Carlos Cisneros.

Cabinet Secretary Lynn Trujillo, Indian Affairs Department:

“Today we mourn the passing of Senator, Carlos Cisneros. Senator Cisneros dedicated his life to advocating for Northern New Mexico communities, which include the eight northern pueblos, in the New Mexico Senate. The Senator touched the lives of thousands of New Mexicans over the course of his 34-year career. He will leave behind a legacy of commitment and service to the people of New Mexico. We offer our deepest condolences to his family, friends and to the people of New Mexico.”

Governor Michael Chavarria, Pueblo of Santa Clara

“It is with a heavy heart that I offer my sincere condolences to the family and friends of Senator Carlos Cisneros. I am thankful for having had the opportunity to work with him during his time in the New Mexico Legislature and grateful for the service that he provided to the tribal communities of Northern New Mexico.”

Governor Richard Aspenwind, Pueblo of Taos

“Thank you, Senator Cisneros, you were a good example of a public servant, a good friend to Taos Pueblo.”

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