



## Joe M Stell Adjudications Ombudsman Program

The primary mission of the Joe M Stell Ombudsman Program is to educate unrepresented (*pro se*) parties about: 1) why they would want to actively participate in water rights adjudication, and 2) how to participate in an informed and timely fashion. The Ombudsman acts as a third party neutral advisor and can help *pro se* claimants understand options available to them for responding to pleadings and offers of judgment or consent orders from the state. The Ombudsman does not offer legal advice.

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### Details

**Minimum Age:** 21

**Maximum Age:** 100

**Restrictions:** Annual budget limitations.

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### Services

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### Locations

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### Parent Organization

#### University of New Mexico Utton Transboundary Resources Center

The Utton Transboundary Resources Center researches and provides information to the public about water, natural resources and environmental issues, with a particular focus on New Mexico and the Southwest. It also supports collaborative natural resource management using multidisciplinary expertise and inclusive, diverse stakeholder involvement.

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