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Wednesday, March 3rd - 5:30 to 6:15 pm

HR 1 - For the People Act	FOR THE PEOPLE PROJECT	HR 4 - John Lewis Voting Rights Act
HR 51 - DC Admission Act		Ending the Filibuster

TOGETHER, WE'VE DEFEATED TRUMP.

Now, it's time for us to defeat the forces that allowed him to rise—and that continue to threaten our democracy.

Hosted by New Mexico Indivisible Congress in collaboration with the National Indivisible Movement.

Indivisible
invites you
to a virtual
TOWN HALL
with

**BEN RAY
LUJÁN**
U.S. SENATOR FOR NEW MEXICO

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You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Mar 3, 2021 05:30 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Roundtable Town Hall with Senator Ben Ray Lujan

Register in advance for this webinar:

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Dear Friend,

The [Utility Affordability and Relief Act \(HB 206\)](#), will help thousands of New Mexicans who are behind on their utility bills because of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Today or tomorrow, my colleagues Rep. Joanne Ferrary, Rep. Andrea Romero and Rep. Angelica Rubio and I will present HB 206 on the floor of the New Mexico House of Representatives.

HB 206 addresses the short and long term affordability of utilities, including electricity, gas, water and wastewater, by creating three programs:

- a program for partial forgiveness of utility bills in arrears
- a grant program to implement energy efficiency in low-income households and
- a requirement that utilities report customers in arrears or with disconnections, so that energy affordability can be assessed.

We will be debating the bill on the floor and, if passed, HB 206 will move over to the Senate.

I urge you to contact your State Representative and State Senator and ask them to support HB 206 so we can bring much needed assistance to some of New Mexico's most vulnerable.

[Find Your Legislator Here](#)

Please feel free to contact my office on my [website](#), your advocacy and input on legislation is important to me.

Sincerely,
Kristina Ortez
District 42



Other NM Bill Actions to take this week:

HB 47 - The Elizabeth Whitefield End-of-Life Options Act (EWEOLO) will be heard in the [Senate Health and Public Affairs Committee](#) (SHPAC) **tomorrow, Monday, March 1st**

Details about how to participate, or listen [here](#).

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Other Important Bills and Actions to take:

HB 291 Tax Changes

SB 199 Redistricting Act

HB 211 Redistricting Act

HB 40 Private Detention Center Moratorium Act

HB 51 Environmental Database Act

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