

Status of Stream Access in New Mexico

Water and Natural Resource Committee

Impenetrable and hazardous fences still on the Pecos River as of June 2024





Barbed wire fences can be hazardous around blind corners and in swift water



Signs still exist on Pecos River threatening prosecution for use of streambed



Helpful sign on Pecos River alerting boaters to upcoming paddler friendly fences



Paddler friendly fence on lower Pecos River



Fence on upper Pecos River prior to retrofit



Retrofitted fence now paddler friendly



Paddler friendly fence on
boundary of Villa Nueva
State Park on lower Pecos
River

Constructed by Advanced
Environmental Solutions

River stewardship

