

AN ACT

RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; CREATING THE FRONTIER
COMMUNITIES PROGRAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. Section 3-60B-1 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1985,
Chapter 88, Section 1) is amended to read:

"3-60B-1. SHORT TITLE.--Chapter 3, Article 60B NMSA
1978 may be cited as the "Main Street Act"."

SECTION 2. Section 3-60B-4 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1985,
Chapter 88, Section 4, as amended) is amended to read:

"3-60B-4. MAIN STREET PROGRAM--CREATED--COORDINATOR--
POWERS AND DUTIES.--

A. There is created the "main street program" in
the economic development department. The secretary of
economic development shall employ a coordinator to oversee the
program.

B. The coordinator shall:

(1) carry out state responsibilities
pursuant to contract with the national main street center of
the national trust for historic preservation;

(2) coordinate activities of the program in
consultation with the historic preservation division of the
cultural affairs department;

(3) advise the New Mexico community

development council on the development of criteria for requests for proposals and selection of local government grantees for the program to be funded through community development block grants;

(4) monitor the progress of main street projects;

(5) assist local main street project managers;

(6) assist in the development of the frontier communities program; and

(7) perform other duties necessary to carry out the provisions of the Main Street Act."