

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO**

IN RE: THE CJA PANEL FOR
THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

Misc. No. 25-MC-00004-34

ORDER ESTABLISHING CJA PANEL OF ATTORNEYS

THIS MATTER comes before the court pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A and § 5 of the CJA Plan for the District of New Mexico adopted by the court in 2015. This order supersedes all previously entered orders establishing the CJA Panel of Attorneys. The Court has reviewed the applications for membership on the CJA Panel, has considered the recommendations of the CJA Panel Committee, and orders as follows.

The attorney listing is divided by division (Albuquerque, Las Cruces, and Roswell). The listed attorney is appointed for the CJA panel(s) and term specified after their name. Alternative language abilities for each attorney are listed as well. The panels include the **General Felony Panel**, the **Complex Case Panel**, the **Post-Conviction Panel**, and the **Auxiliary Panel**.

Attorneys appointed to the **Auxiliary Panel** will handle misdemeanor, supervised release revocation, Rule 5/Rule 32.1 matters and material witness matters. Attorneys appointed in a criminal matter must perfect an appeal if requested by the client to do so. The Tenth Circuit will determine counsel on appeal.

The term of service for all attorneys appointed under this Order shall be effective as of the date this Order is entered. All terms expire on December 31st on the year listed.

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Albuquerque Division Attorney Name	Term Expires	General Felony	Complex Case	Post Conviction	Auxiliary	Language(s)
Acton, Greg	2026	X	X	X		Spanish
Albertorio, Roberto	2026	X				Spanish
Alvarado, Alejandro	2026				X	Spanish
Anderson, John	2027	X	X			
Anderson, Richelle	2027	X	X	X		
Assed, Ahmad	2028	X	X			Arabic
Baker, Wayne	2026	X	X	X		
Barreras, Monnica	2028	X	X	X		
Baughman, Ryan	2026	X				
Bhalla, Carey	2028	X	X			
Bowles, Jason	2028	X	X			
Bullion, Todd	2026	X				
Burgess-Farrell, Susan	2028	X	X			
Bustamonte, Ed	2026	X	X			Spanish
Chadborn, Daniel	2026	X		X		
Clark, Thomas	2028	X	X			
Coberly, Todd	2027	X	X	X		
Cooper, Robert	2026	X	X			
Cornish, Tim	2028	X				Spanish
Crow, Robert (BJ) Elvin	2028	X	X			
Davidson, Scott	2028			X		
Dodd, Christopher	2028	X	X		X	
Duncan, Teri	2026		X			
Eicker, Peter	2026	X	X	X		
Erickson, Hans	2026	X	X			
Esquibel, Diego	2027	X	X	X		
Fox-Young, Justine	2026	X	X	X		
Funke, Elise	2026				X	
Gagan, Mallory	2027	X	X			
Gallegos, Daniel	2028	X	X	X		
Glazener, Jedidiah	2027	X				
Golightly, Kelly	2027	X				
Gorence, Robert	2026	X	X			
Gorman, Sarah	2028	X	X			Spanish
Greig, William	2028				X	
Hannum, Eric	2028	X				
Harrison, Carter	2028	X	X	X		
Harrison, Elizabeth	2027	X	X	X		
Hart, Nicholas	2026	X	X			
Hoswell, Jacqueline	2028				X	
Hotchkiss, Todd	2026	X	X	X		
Johnson, Erlinda	2027	X	X			Spanish
Jones, Michael	2026	X				

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Albuquerque Division Attorney Name	Term Expires	General Felony	Complex Case	Post Conviction	Auxiliary	Language(s)
Kochersberger, Donald	2026	X	X			
Linnenburger, Paul	2028	X	X	X		
LaPado, Alicia	2026	X		X		
Lopez, Alicia	2026	X	X	X		
Lopez, Martin	2026				X	Spanish
Lowry, Marc	2027	X	X			
Marjon, Joachim	2026	X				Spanish
Mendoza, Nicholas	2026	X				
Meyers, Joel	2026	X	X	X		
Mitsunaga, Megan	2026	X				
Moss, Nicole	2027	X	X			
Pines, Max	2026	X				Spanish
Pori, Brian	2026	X	X	X		
Porter, Barry	2026	X	X			
Ray, Marshall	2026	X	X			Spanish
Robert, Marc	2027	X	X			
Romero, Roman	2026	X		X		Spanish
Rosenfield, Michael	2026				X	
M. Naomi Salazar	2026	X				Spanish
Sapien, Phillip	2026	X	X			Spanish
Schaffer, Britany	2027	X		X		
Shattuck, Joseph	2027	X	X			Spanish
Simms, Letitia	2026	X	X			
Spindle, Joseph	2026	X	X			
Stanford, Jon	2026	X	X			
Tallon, Daniel	2026	X			X	
Toya, Roshanna	2027				X	
Villa, Ryan	2027	X	X	X		
Weed, Darlene	2028				X	
Wilwol, Clay	2028				X	Spanish
Zamora, Robert	2027				X	
Zwart, Wouter	2027			X		

Las Cruces Division Attorney Name	Term Expires	General Felony	Complex Case	Post Conviction	Auxiliary	Language(s)
Almanza, Estevan (Steven) Lorenzo	2028	X	X		X	Spanish
Benjamin, Brock	2028	X	X		X	Spanish
Booth, Shaharazad McDowell	2027	X	X		X	Farsi
Camunez, Rosanne	2026				X	

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Las Cruces Division Attorney Name	Term Expires	General Felony	Complex Case	Post Conviction	Auxiliary	Language(s)
Carreon, Mario A.	2027	X	X		X	Spanish
Castanon, Felix	2026	X			X	
Chavez, Israel	2028				X	Spanish
Clark, Russell Dean	2027	X	X		X	
Dantonio, Mark	2026	X			X	
Del Valle, Kenneth	2027	X	X			Spanish
Dominguez, Octavio	2026	X			X	Spanish
Giovannini, Peter	2027				X	Spanish
Granberg, John	2028	X	X			Spanish
Greek, Jane	2027	X	X			
Harbour, Cori A.	2027	X	X	X		
Hernandez, Ramon	2028				X	Spanish
Hosford, Stephen E.	2026	X	X			
Ibarra, Carlos	2028	X			X	Spanish
Insurriaga, Jessica	2028				X	Spanish
McElhinney, Charles J.	2027	X	X			
Mondragon, Orlando	2028	X	X			Spanish
Orquiz, Noel	2028	X	X			Spanish
Ottaway, Andrew	2026	X			X	
Pierce-Varela, Cesar	2026	X	X		X	Spanish
Pineda, Pedro	2026	X			X	Spanish
Ragsdale, Luke	2028	X	X			
Rasmussen, Damian	2026	X	X			
Ruvalcaba, Carlos	2028				X	Spanish
Spencer, Joshua	2026	X				Spanish
Stillinger, Mary	2028	X	X	X		Spanish
Valenzuela, Felix	2026	X	X	X		Spanish
Villalobos, Matilda	2026	X			X	Spanish

Roswell Division Attorney Name	Term Expires	General Felony	Complex Case	Post Conviction	Auxiliary	Language(s)
Crow, Robert (BJ) Elvin	2028	X	X		X	
Ottaway, Andrew	2026	X			X	
Ragsdale, Luke W.	2028	X	X		X	

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All other applications and requests are DENIED. With the concurrence of the active Article III Judges in the District, this Order is entered for the Court.

DONE this 13th day of November, 2025.

FOR THE COURT:¹

/s/
KENNETH J. GONZALES²
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

1 For the court, pursuant to Administrative Order Misc. No. 83-252.

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