

CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

Form of Government

The City has a Mayor-Council form of government with a salaried full-time Mayor elected every four years. The nine-member council is elected by district for four-year overlapping terms. The nonpartisan elections are held each October of odd numbered years. The Councilors' remuneration is equivalent to one-tenth the Mayor's salary.

The Charter provides for a Chief Administrative Officer appointed by the Mayor and approved by the Council who is responsible for the administration of the merit system and, subject to the authority of the Mayor, supervises the operations of all departments.

Year of Incorporation: 1885

| <u>Area</u> (City area) | <u>Year</u> | <u>Square Miles</u> |
|-------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | 1950 | 48.3 |
| | 1960 | 61.1 |
| | 1970 | 80.6 |
| | 1980 | 106.6 |
| | 1990 | 135.0 |
| | 1992 | 137.5 |
| | 1993 | 158.5 |
| | 1994 | 161.1 |
| | 1995 | 161.5 |
| | 1996 | 161.8 |
| | 1997 | 163.6 |
| | 1998 | 181.0 |
| | 1999 | 181.5 |
| | 2000 | 181.7 |
| | 2001 | 184.3 |

Fire Protection (1)

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| Administration building | 1 |
| Number of stations | 21 |
| Number of employees | 575 |
| Fire Academy | 1 |
| Fire Marshall's Office | 1 |
| Arson building | 1 |

Police Protection (1)

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| Traffic station | 1 |
| Number of sub-stations | 5 |
| Number of employees | 1,237 |

Recreation (1)

Park System – Neighborhood, Community & Regional (acres):

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| Developed | 1,529 | |
| Undeveloped | <u>387</u> | |
| Total | | 1,916 acres |

Open space areas (2) 28,500 acres

| <u>Facilities (1)</u> | <u>Number of Improvements (1)</u> |
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| Ballfields: | |
| Youth Baseball Fields | 49 |
| General/Adult Lit Ball Fields | 21 |
| General/Adult Unlit Ball Fields | 3 |
| Basketball Courts: | |
| Full | 56 |
| Half | 66 |
| Game Fields | 85 |
| Play Areas | 123 |
| Community centers (gymnasiums at 8 locations) | 20 |
| Community Center Satellites | 1 |
| Golf Courses (3 18-hole and 9-hole, and 1 9-hole) | 4 |
| Swimming pools (5 indoor pools) | 12 |
| Tennis courts (25 lit) | 139 |
| Trails (72 miles paved & 12 miles unpaved) | 84 miles |
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| <u>Libraries</u> | <u>Volumes June 30, 2001</u> |
| Albuquerque Public Library (1) (Main branch and 16 area branches,bookmobile, bookvan) | 1,345,900 |
| University of New Mexico: | |
| General, Fine Arts, Parish, Centennial & Zimmerman | 1,975,872 |
| Law school library | 224,794 |
| Health science center library | 171,712 |
| Other | 39,058 |
| Total | 2,411,436 |
| Technical Vocational Institute | 61,041 |
| Source: listed libraries | |
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| <u>Municipal Water (1)</u> | |
| Number of customers (June 2001) | 150,146 meters |
| Average daily water production (FY 2001) | 98.8 million gallons per day |
| Miles of water lines (June 2001) | 2,470 |
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| <u>Municipal Sewer (1)</u> | |
| Number of sewer customers (June 2001) | 144,514 |
| Miles of storm lines (June 2001) | 497 |
| Miles of sanitary lines (June 2001) | 1,846 |
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| Storm drainage channels including lined channels and unlined arroyos | 203 miles |
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| Sources: | |
| (1) City Departments | |
| (2) Acreage includes the Rio Grande State Park, which the City does not own, but is within the City's jurisdiction. | |