



STATE OF NEW MEXICO EXECUTIVE OFFICE SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Proclamation

WHEREAS, New Mexicans wish to live in harmony with the land, water, and other natural resources to leave a better earth for our children and grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, conservationists across our beautiful state work to conserve natural resources and to create a healthy land; and

WHEREAS, leadership for conservation of natural resources on private lands is provided by a partnership that includes conservation districts, state conservation agencies, other federal agencies, tribes and the Natural Resources Conservation Service in the U.S. Department of Agriculture; and

WHEREAS, the Natural Resources Conservation Service and its predecessor, the Soil Conservation Service, have been helping landowners meet their conservation goals;

NOW, THEREFORE I, Bill Richardson, Governor of the State of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim April 27, 2005 as:

"Conservation Day"

throughout the State of New Mexico to honor the 70th anniversary of the Natural Resources Conservation Service.

Attest:

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rebecca Vigil-Giron".

Rebecca Vigil-Giron
Secretary of State

Done at the Executive Office this
6th day of April, 2005

Witness my hand and the Great Seal
of the Great State of New Mexico

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bill Richardson".

Bill Richardson
Governor

