



Martin's Clean Energy Vision

Moving New Mexico's Energy Economy Forward

Martin Heinrich has worked to position New Mexico as a leader in the growing clean energy economy with a trained workforce ready to fill thousands of new jobs.

Martin understands the steps we need to take now to prepare our energy infrastructure for a carbon-free future. He is a recognized leader on energy storage, a game-changing technology that will make our power grid more resilient and efficient. Martin negotiated a deal extending renewable energy tax incentives that are driving billions in investment and creating thousands of jobs in New Mexico's renewable energy industry, primarily in rural communities. Martin is also working to make it easier for New Mexico's clean energy producers to export their energy to other states. By building off of his accomplishments and bold vision, Martin will move New Mexico's energy economy forward.

GRID MODERNIZATION

Martin is working to modernize our electric grid by incorporating and incentivizing energy storage and microgrids. His vision includes:

- Investing in research and deployment of energy-storage systems
- Providing tax credits for energy storage technologies
- Modernizing transmission and distribution lines, including building more microgrids, improving cybersecurity, and incorporating a diversity of energy sources, energy storage, demand response, and more generation points into the grid

GROWING WIND & SOLAR:

Martin knows that wind and solar power present a major opportunity to create jobs and investment in industries of the future. Clean energy projects worth billions are breaking ground in New Mexico and thousands of New Mexicans work in clean energy jobs. Martin knows there's more potential for growth by:

- Investing in New Mexico's wind and solar industry through federal tax credits
- Repealing President Trump's solar tariffs
- Boosting community solar projects - particularly in low-income communities
- Helping small businesses, local government, rural and tribal communities, power providers and schools go solar



MODERNIZING TRANSMISSION INFRASTRUCTURE

With year-round wind and predictable solar resources, Martin knows that New Mexico can be the epicenter of the rapidly growing clean energy economy. Martin believes there's more to be done to meet New Mexico's full potential as a renewable energy powerhouse by:

- Making it easier to export New Mexico's clean energy to markets out West
- Investing in new transmission infrastructure that will encourage private companies to build new solar and wind projects in New Mexico

TECH-TRANSFER & WORKFORCE

Martin is working to make it easier for lab-developed energy technology to be commercialized and wants to invest in workforce training programs by:

- Improving the process to transfer innovative technologies from Department of Energy labs to the private sector
- Boosting funding for national labs to research cutting-edge energy technology
- Supporting job training programs like the North American Wind Research and Training Center at Mesalands Community College in Tucumcari
- Increasing the participation of women and minorities in the energy sector