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### **Santa Fe Business Incubator Receives PNM Fund Reduce Your Use Grant**

The Santa Fe Business Incubator (SFBI) has implemented PNM's energy saving programs to replace interior and exterior lighting with energy efficient fixtures and bulbs. The new, greener lighting will reduce operational costs and overheads, allowing us to focus more on client services. This is the second time SFBI has been awarded the Reduce Your Use Grant which has greatly advanced our efforts for energy efficiency and cost savings.

According to Diane Harrison Ogawa, Executive Director, PNM Resources Foundation, organizations from across the state applied for the grants totaling \$250,000. "Our goal is to support communities and community organizations in PNM service territories across New Mexico," she said. "This year, we are excited to be funding projects in a variety of communities including Deming, Alamogordo, Rio Rancho, Santa Fe and Albuquerque."

The Santa Fe Business Incubator is a non-profit business development and job creation program that fosters the growth of new businesses, helps create new jobs, increases the tax base and helps diversify our community's economy since 1997.

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