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**LT. GOV DENISH INVITES NEW MEXICANS TO ATTEND
FINANCIAL EDUCATION SUMMIT**

Topics will provide access to information for all New Mexicans, from seniors to students and business owners to dislocated workers.

Albuquerque – Lt. Gov. Diane Denish today invited New Mexicans to attend a day-long workshop developed to provide tips and tools on managing personal finances.

The New Mexico Coalition for Financial Education and the N.M. Regulation and Licensing's Securities Division is sponsoring the Fourth Annual Lt. Governor's Summit on Financial Education in Albuquerque on Monday, April 19. The summit will be held at The Hotel Albuquerque from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The free day of events will bring together educators, business owners, community leaders, policymakers and experts in economic and financial education to provide a full range of workshops, educational events, classes, seminars and exhibitors to New Mexicans. Breakfast and lunch also will be free to participants.

"I'm pleased to be a part of this event and I encourage all New Mexicans to empower themselves with knowledge about how to manage their personal finances," said Lt. Gov. Diane Denish. "This type of information can help bring financial stability to New Mexico families."

The summit's topics were created to provide access to information that targets the specific concerns of all of New Mexicans, from seniors to students and business owners to dislocated workers.

Lt. Governor, Diane Denish will speak on the current financial challenges facing New Mexicans. Attorney General Gary King and State Treasurer James Lewis also will speak at the summit. They Keynote speaker is **Rickie C. Keys, PhD, MPH**, Senior Fellow of Health and Social Policy at the University of Denver. Dr.

Keys is founder and executive director for The Renewal Fund, a 501 (c) (3), non-profit health and community improvement organization that focuses on addressing health and income disparities.

The summit also serves as an opportunity for information sharing and as a platform to develop cooperative efforts within the financial services industry.

The New Mexico Coalition for Financial Education is a joint partnership between leaders in the state's financial industry. The coalition's mission is to present New Mexicans with idea on how to gain and keep control of their personal financial lives.

Space is limited and participants must register for the free event in order to attend. Contact Bernice Geiger at: 505-383-2327 or register by email at: bernice.geiger@state.nm.us.

Visit the Coalition Web site at: www.nmfined.org for a detailed schedule of the day's workshops.

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