

## ***GARREY EDWARD CARRUTHERS***

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**EDUCATION:** B.S. New Mexico State University  
Agriculture, 1964  
M.S. New Mexico State University  
Agricultural Economics, 1965  
Ph.D. Iowa State University  
Economics, 1968

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

#### HIGHER EDUCATION:

President, New Mexico State University, 1 June, 2013 to present

Dean, College of Business, New Mexico State University, 1 July, 2003 to  
31 May 2013

Director, Domenici Institute at New Mexico State University, January  
2009 to present

Vice President for Economic Development, New Mexico State University,  
13 April 2006 to 31 May 2013

Vice Provost for Economic Development, New Mexico State University, 1  
July 2004 to April 2006

Arrowhead Center, Inc., Chairman of the Board, 2004 to 31 May, 2013

Professor of Economics, College of Business, July 2003 to present

Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural  
Business, 1 December 1984 to 1 February 1985

Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Business, New Mexico State University, 1 July 1979 to 10 February 1981

Associate Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Business, New Mexico State University, 1 March 1978 to 1 July 1979

Acting Director of New Mexico Water Resources Research Institute, 1 July 1976 to 1 March 1978

Associate Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Business, New Mexico State University, 1 September 1975 to 30 June 1976

Associate Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Business, New Mexico State University, 1972 to 1974

Assistant Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Business, New Mexico State University, 1968 to 1972

## BUSINESS

President and CEO of the Cimarron Health Plan, 1 December 1993 to 30 June, 2003

Health Care Horizons, member of the Board and employee, 1 January 1991 to June, 2003

President, Garrey Carruthers Associates, Incorporated, 9 June 1979 to 1 January 1987

## GOVERNMENT

Governor, State of New Mexico, 1987-1990

Campaigned for the office of Governor, 1 February 1985 to November 1986

Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Land and Minerals Management (with policy and administrative responsibilities for the Bureau of Land Management, Minerals Management Service, and the Office of Surface Mining), 22 December 1983 to 1 December 1984

Assistant Secretary of the Interior of Land and Water Resources (with policy and administrative responsibilities of the Bureau of Land Management, Bureau of Reclamation, and the Office of Water Policy) 15 May 1981 to 22 December 1983

Consultant to the Secretary of the Interior, 10 February 1981 to 15 May 1981

Special Assistant to Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz, United States Department of Agriculture and White House Fellow, 1 September 1974 to 31 August 1975

## **NATIONAL, STATE, UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

### **BOARD MEMBERSHIP**

Board Member, University Research Association, Inc., February 2015 to present

Member, Burrell College of Medicine Board of Trustees, September 2014 to present

Member, Association of Governing Board's Council of Presidents, May 2014 to present

Member, Molina Healthcare, Inc. Board of Directors, February 2012 to present

Member, Bank of the Rio Grande Board of Directors, August 2012 to present

Member, Advanced Care Hospital of Southern New Mexico Board of Directors, January 2013 to present

Think New Mexico, founding Board member, member 2000 to present, Board President April 2010 to present

Borderplex Bi-National Economic Alliance Steering Committee, Co-Chair and member April 2012 to present

Member of the Board of Directors, First State Bancorporation, June 2008 to February 2011 – Chairman of the Board as of January 2010 through February 2011

Member of the Board, Molina Healthcare of New Mexico, 30 June, 2003 to March 2009

Member of the First Community Bank Community Advisory Board, April, 2006 to June 2008

Member of the Board, Accessbank, 2004 to 2006

Farm Credit Bank of Wichita Board of Directors, January 1990 to 1997

#### UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Chair, NMSU Efficiency and Effectiveness Committee, September 2010 to October 2012

Member, NMSU Presidential Search Committee, May 2009 to November 2009

Chair Search Committee for Vice President for Research, 2005

NMSU Living the Vision Performance Plan, Chairman of the Committee, 2004 to October 2010

Technology Research Collaborative, Governor's Representative and Chairman of the Board, November, 2005 to February 2009

New Mexico EPSCoR, Co-chair of the Board, April 2005 to February 2008

US General Accounting Office Educators' Advisory Panel, 1 July 2005 to 2008

National Center for Public Policy and Higher Education, November 1998 to November 2007. Founding Director. Vice Chairman, November 2001 to November 2007.

New Mexico State University Golf Association, served as President and Vice President

New Mexico State University Faculty Senate

New Mexico State University Athletic Council

New Mexico State University Graduate Council, Secretary

Phi Kappa Phi, President

Alpha Zeta, Sponsor

Agriculture and Home Economic Council, Advisor

Rodeo Club, Advisor

Agricultural Economics Club, Advisor

#### PUBLIC SERVICE

Co-Chaired and Chaired Efficiency and Effectiveness Task Forces for two Governors of New Mexico January 2010 and December 2010

Governor's Task Force on Ethics Reform – I & II, Co-Chair, 30 April, 2006 through January 2008

Governor's Blue Ribbon Task Force on Tax Reform, member of the committee from 2004 to 2005

U.S. Department of the Interior Transition Team, January 2001

New Mexico Medicaid Advisory Committee Chair, 1 July, 2003 to October 2010

New Mexico First, Board of Directors, 18 April, 2006 to 2012 and Co-chair of the Implementation Team for the Town Hall on Higher Education

Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce, Board Member and July 2005 to present (Served three of those years as the Government Affairs Division Chair)

Association of Commerce and Industry, Life Long Member of the Board, January 1990 to present

Mesilla Valley Economic Development Alliance Board of Directors, 1 July 2004 to April 2010

Mesilla Valley Hospital Board of Trustees, 2003 to 2007

New Mexico Appleseed, Board of Directors, 4 April, 2006 to May, 2007

President, New Mexico Association of Health Plans, 1 November 2002 to 2003

American Association of Health Plans, member, Executive Leadership Program Committee, 2001 to 2003

New Mexico Education and Accountability Task Force, August 1999-January 2000. Appointed by House Speaker Raymond Sanchez and Senate President Pro-Tem Manny Aragon

New Mexico Business Roundtable for Educational Excellence, Co-founder and Chairman of the Board, December 1998 – December 2003

The Advancement of Sound Science Coalition, founded April, 1993 to 1998, National Chairman

Chairman, Education Commission of the States (ECS), July 1989 to July 1990

Chairman, Education Commission of the States Minority Task Force, July 1989 to July 1990

Present member Mesilla Valley Rotary Club, Las Cruces

Past member Rotary Club of Albuquerque del Sol

United Way Las Cruces 1994-95 Campaign Chairman

Appointed by President Ronald Reagan to the President's Privatization Commission. 1987-1988

Reactivated Border Governor's Association, 1987. The Association, inactive since 1984, includes the four border governors from the United States and their six counterparts from Mexico.

National Governor's Association Committee Memberships:

1987-1988

Committee on Justice and Public Safety  
Committee on Economic Development and Technological Innovation  
Committee on Energy and Environment  
Task Force on Adult Literacy

1988-1989

Committee on Justice and Public Safety  
Committee on Economic Development and Technological Innovation

Committee on Energy and Environment  
Committee on Human Resources  
Lead Governor on Health

1989-1990

Committee on Justice and Public Safety  
Committee on Economic Development and  
Technological Innovation  
Committee on Energy and Environment  
Committee on Human Resources (Vice Chairman)  
Lead Governor on Health  
Lead Governor on Education  
Task Force on Education

1990-1991 (Governor's term ended December 31, 1990)

Committee on Energy and Environment  
Committee on Human Resources  
Committee on Justice and Public Safety  
Task Force on Health Care

President George H. W. Bush Campaign 1992  
State Finance Co-Chairman

George H. W. Bush Presidential Campaign 1988

New Mexico Republican Party  
Chairman, April 1977 to April 1979  
State Central Committee, February 1977 to present  
Executive Committee April 1979 to February 1981

Republican National Committee  
Member, April 1977 to April 1979

Commission on White House Fellowships Member, Dallas Panel,  
1976 Member, Dallas Panel, 1992

President Gerald Ford Campaign Committee  
Co-Chairman Dona Ana County  
Coordinator for New Mexico's 2nd Congressional District  
1 January to November 5, 1976

John Connally Presidential Campaign  
Chairman, New Mexico 1980

Americans for Change Volunteer, 1980

Breakfast Optimist Club of Las Cruces, served as President and Vice President

#### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Named one of the Top Ten Governors for Education in the United States by Fortune Magazine in their special issue, Spring 1990

New Mexico Distinguished Public Service Award, 2008

Junior Achievement New Mexico Business Hall of Fame, 2007 Laureate

Distinguished Teaching Award, College of Agriculture and Home Economics, New Mexico State University, 1993

Distinguished Alumnus Award, College of Agriculture and Home Economics, New Mexico State University, 1993

Advisor to President George H. W. Bush in preparation for the National Education Summit, University of Virginia, 1990

Distinguished Alumnus Award, Iowa State University, 9 June 1990

Official Representative of the United States of America appointed by President George H. W. Bush to lead a delegation to officially observe and monitor the first free election in Romania in 46 years, May 1990

#### **FIELDS OF CONCENTRATION:**

Public policy  
Water resources 113274economics  
Regional economics, rural development  
Economics of political decisions, program evaluation

#### **MEMBERSHIPS:**

Phi Kappa Phi  
Sigma Xi  
Omicron Delta Epsilon  
Gamma Sigma Delta



## **PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS 1966-1980:**

- Gray, James R. and Carruthers, Garrey E., Economic Impact of Recreational Developments in the Reserve Ranger District, New Mexico Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin 515, 1966.
- Carruthers, Garrey E., "Characteristics of Iowa Parks and Recreation Areas", Monograph for Iowa Conservation Commission, April, 1969, 76 pp.
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- Carruthers, Garrey E., Gotsch, William P., McArthur, J'Wayne and Waneka, William, Labor Resources in the Four Corners Economics Development-Region, Special Report No. 1, Four Corners Regional Commission, March 1971.
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- Carruthers, Garrey E., Eastman, Clyde, A Comparative Economic Analysis of North-Central New Mexico, New Mexico Agricultural Experiment Station Research Report No. 21 1, October 1971.
- Fuller, Stephen, Carruthers, Garrey E., and Randall, Alan, "Economic Constraints to Rural Development", Western Social Research Advisory committee, Tucson, Arizona, April 1971.
- Erickson, Eugene D., Carruthers, Garrey E., and Oberle, Wayne, "Delivery of Community Services to Rural Areas", Workshop on Current Rural Development Research, sponsored by Northeast Center for Rural Development July 1971.
- Carruthers, Garrey E., Gomez, Billy, and Urquhart, N. Scott, "Assessing Potential Commuting Mobility of Residents of a Rural Region", Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting, July 1971.
- Carruthers, Garrey E., and Urquhart, N. Scott, "Some Methodological Considerations for Rural community Services Research", Proceedings, National Workshop on Community Services, presented to the National Workshop on Problems of Research on Delivery of Community Services, Lincoln, Nebraska, December 13-16, 1971.
- Carruthers, Garrey E., Preliminary Economic Potential Analysis for North-Central New Mexico, monograph prepared for North-Central New Mexico Economic District, May 1972.
- Carruthers, Garrey E. I Mitchell, Keith, and Williams, Thomas, An Interindustry Model of the Economy of North-Central New Mexico, New Mexico Agricultural Experiment Station Research Report 237, July 1972, 48 pp.
- Eastman, Clyde, Carruthers, Garrey E. Urquhart, N. Scott, and Gomez, Bealquin, "Labor Mobility in North-Central New Mexico", New Mexico Business, Vol. 26, No. 6, June 1973.
- Carruthers, Garrey, E., Urquhart, N. Scott, Eastman, Clyde, Gomez, Billy, A Socio-Economic Analysis of Labor Mobility, North-Central New Mexico, New Mexico State University Agricultural Experiment Station Research Report 258, August 1973.

Carruthers, Garrey E., Renner, Kathryn, and Urquhart, N. Scott, Expansion of Economic Base Analysis: Labor Availability in North-Central New Mexico, New Mexico State University Agricultural Experiment Station Research Report 264, August 1973.

Mertes, James, Carruthers, Garrey E., and Renner, Kathryn, Regional Environmental Management in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico - Resource Problems and Resources Opportunities - An Interdisciplinary Study, preliminary draft presented to Eisenhower Consortium.

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Renner, Kathryn, Eubank, Randy, Urquhart, N. Scott and Carruthers, Garrey E., "Assessing Rural Community Viability in New Mexico", Proceedings, 1975 Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings, March 26-29, 1975.

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Carruthers, Garrey, E., "Planning to Control Non-point Water Pollution: An Agricultural Management Dilemma", New Mexico State University Agricultural Experiment Station Journal Article 689, published in Journal of the American Society of Farm Managers and Appraisers, 1979.

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