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### **Anchorum Health Foundation Announces \$50,000 In Wildfire Relief Grants for Southern New Mexico**

**Santa Fe, NM** — Anchorum Health Foundation is proud to announce \$50,000 in wildfire relief grants awarded to the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico and the Mescalero Apache Tribe. These grants will support communities and residents in Lincoln County, Otero County, and the Mescalero Apache Tribe, which were affected by the South Fork Fire, Salt Fire, and flooding earlier this summer. The funds are intended to aid relief efforts in these impacted areas.

“Recovering from devastating fires goes beyond physical rebuilding,” said Anchorum’s Senior Vice President of Philanthropy, Jenny Parks. “It’s about addressing the deep emotional and psychological scars left by displacement, ensuring our communities not only rebuild their homes, but also restore their sense of security and well-being.”

“The Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico is truly grateful for the support Anchorum Health Foundation has provided to Lincoln and Otero counties,” said Director of Impact and Outreach, Diana O’Brien. “This support will help to aid individuals, families, and businesses that have been affected by the fires and continued flooding. This includes emerging and long-term economic revitalization. The support from Anchorum Health Foundation will make an important difference.”

The \$50,000 award was split evenly between the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico and the Mescalero Apache Tribe.

*Anchorum Health Foundation is dedicated to improving the conditions that have the greatest influence on the health of communities in our region. We are committing our resources to strengthening community-based partners tackling critical local issues. For more information, visit [anchorum.org](http://anchorum.org).*

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