



Town of Taos **NEWS RELEASE**

CONTACT: Cathy Romero, Executive Assistant, cromero@taosgov.com, (575) 751-2002

For Immediate Release:

Taos Blood Drive at Town Hall Successful

March 21, 2014 - The Taos Blood Drive co-sponsored by the Town of Taos and United Blood Services, was held on March 14th and March 15th at the Town Hall Training Room.

According to Cathy Romero, Town of Taos Executive Assistant, the event was anticipated to generate seventy-nine pints of donated blood. Fortunately, by the end of the drive, eighty-six pints of blood had been donated.

“On behalf of the Town of Taos, I would like to thank everyone that came out to donate their blood in an effort to save a life,” Mayor Barrone said of the successful drive. He continued, “Your support of this event is crucial to health of the citizens in our state and community.”

Blood drives held at business locations contribute nearly 10% of our state’s blood supply and are vital to ensuring an ample supply of blood here in our beautiful state of New Mexico. Each donation has the potential to impact up to three different hospital patients, including patients at our very own Holy Cross Hospital.

-End-

TOWN OF TAOS GOVERNING BODY

Mayor Daniel R. Barrone
Mayor Pro Tem Andrew T. Gonzales
Councilmember Frederick A. Peralta
Councilmember George “Fritz” Hahn
Councilmember Judith Y. Cantu

400 Camino de la Placita
Taos, New Mexico 87571
(575) 751-2002

Town Hall Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Visit us on our website: www.taosgov.com