



## **RPNM TO DELAY PRE-PRIMARY STATE CONVENTION RESULTS IN THE INTEREST OF ELECTION INTEGRITY**

**Albuquerque, February 26**—The Republican Party of New Mexico today decided to postpone releasing Pre-Primary State Convention results after its electronic voting system encountered glitches. RPNM quickly moved to its back-up plan to have paper ballots in the interest of election integrity after the software malfunction.

The paper ballot voting went smoothly, and the results of the contests will be released once all ballots are properly and carefully counted.

The decision to switch to paper ballot was a prudent one by RPNM leaders to ensure the voting was safe, secure and accurate.

Hundreds of delegates from around the state elected candidates for governor, Lt. governor, Congress and other statewide offices.

RPNM will release results of the voting once they are available.