



**DATE:** September 20, 2022  
**TO:** Southeast New Mexico College  
**FROM:** Dr. Ned Elkins, Chair, Board of Trustees and Board Presidential Search Committee  
**RE:** Announcement of Presidential Finalists – For Publication

The SENMC Board of Trustees is pleased to announce that it has selected six (6) finalists for the presidency of SENMC.

The SENMC presidential finalists are (in alphabetical order):

**Billy Adams, Ed.D.**, is Vice President of Instruction at Panola College in Carthage, TX.

**Kevin Beardmore, Ed.D.**, is Vice President of Student Affairs at Owensboro Community and Technical College in Owensboro, KY.

**Kathy Cecil-Sanchez, Ph.D.**, is Vice President of Instruction at Lone Star College-University Park in Houston, TX.

**Andrew Nwane, Ph.D.**, is Interim President of Southeast New Mexico College in Carlsbad, NM.

**Lorenzo Reyes Jr., Ph.D.**, is Associate Vice President of Workforce, Economic, and Resource Development at San Juan College in Farmington, NM.

**Larry Sanderson, Ed.D.**, is Vice President of Institutional Research and Accreditation at New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs, NM.

Public forums will take place September 26 – 28, 2022. Detailed information including candidate bios, interview agendas, and dates/times for the public forums will be provided in the coming days. Information may be found on the Southeast New Mexico College website at [www.senmc.edu](http://www.senmc.edu). A meeting to announce the Board of Trustees' selection for President is scheduled **for October 17, 2022**, at 6:00pm, in Room 153, at Southeast New Mexico College, located at 1500 University Drive, Carlsbad, New Mexico.