

# Middle Rio Grande National Wildlife Refuge – It has a nice ring to it, doesn't it?



Interior Secretary Ken Salazar visited Albuquerque to announce the establishment of the Middle Rio Grande National Wildlife Refuge. The refuge, located in the South Valley at the former Price's Dairy, would protect wildlife habitat and provide education, recreation and economic opportunities for New Mexicans and visitors. To learn more, [click here](#).

## The land has brought New Mexico together.

Thank you, fellow New Mexicans, for your unanimous support of the Middle Rio Grande National Wildlife Refuge:

- Sen. Jeff Bingaman
- Sen. Tom Udall
- Rep. Martin Heinrich
- New Mexico Senate
- Bernalillo County Commission
- Albuquerque City Council
- South Valley Civitan Club
- Mountain View Neighborhood Association



## Now it's time to finish the job.

Congress needs to stop diverting Land and Water Conservation Fund dollars from projects like the Middle Rio Grande National Wildlife Refuge. (To learn more about the LWCF, [click here](#).)

# Let's protect what makes New Mexico great for our children and all future generations to enjoy.