Welcome to The Village of Magdalena
• A rural ranching community located in Socorro County.
• 2.5 hrs. South of Albuquerque
• Elevation 6,572
• Mining, Shipping point for Cattle
• Trails End (End of the Stock Yard Trail)
• Current Population 963

• Largest Employers: Very Large Array, Magdalena Ridge Observatory, Alamo Navajo Reservation, New Mexico Tech and Presbyterian Hospital.
Magdalena Cosmic Park Project

Why Cosmic?

• Situated between two world premier space science research centers; The Very Large Array & The Magdalena Ridge Observatory.
• To promote STEAM Education
• To generate additional tourism and connect the park to our Star Party efforts.
Collaboration with the VLA
Gate Way to The Stars
Very Large Array - Open Daily
Guided Tours each first Saturday

Cowboy Action Shooting
First and Third Saturdays

Magdalena Sky Parties
April and October Dark Sky Windows
Sky viewing guided by local astronomers with scopes provided by the Very Large Array.

Magdalena Open Studio & Gallery Tour
May - First Weekend

Old Timer's Reunion
July - Second Weekend
Rodeos, Parade and Dances.
Spanish and Indian Villages.

Magdalena Steel Chicks
Music Festival
August

Holiday Arts & Crafts Fair
December - First Weekend

Magdalena Chamber of Commerce
866-854-3217 (Toll Free)
info@magdalena-nm.com
www.magdalena-nm.com

Magdalena is NEW MEXICO True

"They don't make places like this anymore"
34°07'12.2"N 107°14'40.9"W
Gateway to the Stars

Magdalena Ridge Observatory

The Magdalena Ridge Observatory (MRO) is located on South Baldy Peak, 23 miles southeast of Magdalena at an elevation of 3231m (10,600 ft). www.mro.nmt.edu/about-mro/

2.4 Meter Telescope - used to study solar system astronomical targets, including asteroids, and artificial earth satellites.

NESSI - New Mexico Tech's Extra Solar Spectroscopic Survey Instrument - is used for characterizing exoplanets.

MRO Interferometer - is used to explore the universe with resolutions over 100 times that of the Hubble Space Telescope.

Magdalena Ridge Observatory

The Very Large Array (VLA)

The National Radio Astronomy Observatory's Karl G. Jansky Very Large Array is located 24 miles west of Magdalena along Hwy 60 on the Plains of San Augustine at an elevation of 2124 m (6970 ft). Twenty-seven antennas arranged in a "Y" configuration are linked together to act as one, "very large" radio telescope. The VLA observes the Universe in "Radio Light" uncovering cosmological mysteries such as black holes and star formation. The VLA Visitor Center is open daily from 8:30 am until Sunset. https://public.nrao.edu/tours/visitorcenter

Spaceport America®

Near Truth or Consequences, New Mexico (99 miles/1.5 hour drive, SE of Magdalena via Interstate 25, Exit 79). Spaceport America is a commercial spaceport used for both passenger and payload launches into space. http://spaceportamerica.com

Magdalena Sky Parties

Magnificent skyviewing through scopes provided by the Very Large Array with local astronomers as guides. Come to camp or stay in local lodging. www.magdalena-nm.com
VLA Bone Yard
VLA Bone Yard
Mayor Diego Montoya
Look for Allies & Stake Holders

- The Village of Magdalena
- Village Clerk & Employees
- Village Trustees
- Village Librarian
- Garden Club
- Volunteer Fire Department
- Community Members
Learning Curve

• Construction Process
• Form a 501c3
• Funding-Resiliency Grant
• Financial Match and or in-kind contributions
Presentation Drawings
What we learned

• The land is part of the historic registry. Approval was required from the Historic Preservation Department to build on the land.

• A licensed commercial contractor was required to pull a permit and do the work.

• We would have to have an inspection before and after the concrete pour.
Assistance from the Village
Permission from the Village
Moving according to plan!
Holiday Season
Expect the unexpected!
Warmer Days – Donated Cement
1 week to cure
Contractor with the right equipment
Finishing Touches
It’s a wrap!
Historic Carrizozo Revitalization Goals:

- Enhance the image and character of the community.
- Create a thriving locally-owned business environment.
- Support a walkable, livable and healthy community.
- Enhance tourism and the economic vitality of downtown Carrizozo.
- Reinforce the identity as a ranching and railroad community.
- Support a sense of security, identity, and economic stability.
PROJECT 1500

CARRIZOZO
ADOPT-A-BLOCK
PARTY

Date: Tuesday—April 17, 2012
Time: 5:30 pm
Place: Carrizozo School  Multi-Purpose Room

CWI will be giving away
Free energy efficient light bulbs
Free Hot Dogs and Soda
Free drawing for door prizes
Free drawing for a stainless BBQ grill
“Book Nook”
Special Saturday for Kids at the Library!

Deborah Geary will present a book to read each month with art projects, games, a snack and child-centered activities.

WHEN: Saturday, January 23, 2016 11:00 A.M.–Noon

WHERE: Library Book Store at The Children’s Center, Airport Rd.

WHO: children from ages 3-10 Parents welcome!
Carrizozo Festival and Artist’s Studio Tour
AUGUST 15-16, 2015

SATURDAY
All activities on Historic 12th Street and at McDonald (Spider) Park

12th Street Classic:
CARRIZOZO PARADE 10AM
(Alumni entries welcomed and encouraged)

- Old Fashioned Cake Walk 1 PM
- Alpaca Farm Animals and Fiber Demonstrations
- Craft Vendors
- Children’s Games and Activities, Prizes!
- “Taste of Carrizozo” Food Vendors
- Friends of the Library Book Sale
- Historic Carrizozo Photo Exhibit
- Are There Ghosts In Carrizozo? 6 PM
- Historic Carrizozo Walking Tour 11 AM
- Carrizozo Heritage Museum Open 10-2 PM
- Artist’s Studio Tours 10-5 PM
- Street Dance (Dancing Under The Stars) 7 PM

SUNDAY
All activities at Carrizozo Community Park and Lake
(Former Golf Course)

- Horseshoe Tournament 8 AM Sign-up; 9 AM Start
- Community Potluck 12 Noon
- Kid’s Fun Day:
  - Krazy Hair Day - Come see what fun Alli can do with your hair 12 Noon
  - Fishing Contest at stocked Community Lake (ages 6-16) 1 PM
  - Kite Flying Contest - Lots of categories and prizes; categories for children and adults of all ages 2 PM
- Artist’s Studio Tours 10-5 PM
- Historic Carrizozo Walking Tours continue 10:30 AM
  (Meet in the Wells Fargo parking lot)
- Carrizozo Heritage Museum Open 10-2 PM
- Live Music Throughout The Entire Festival

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Come home to Carrizozo
Our Mission Statement:

The Greater Tularosa Foundation (GTF) was formed to facilitate the creation of a public plaza for the Village of Tularosa as well for the purpose of assisting in the renovation of Tularosa’s historic main street—Granado Street. The foundation is involved in assisting the village and others to preserve the history of Tularosa and of the Tularosa Basin. GTF is further involved in other educational activities which, in the opinion of the foundation’s board, are in the public interest of the Village of Tularosa and its residents.

www.TheGreaterTularosaFoundation.Org
www.facebook.com/TheGreaterTularosaFoundation
Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.

-Ralph Waldo Emerson
TULAROSA!
Historic Granado St.
GREATER TULAROSA FOUNDATION
DOWNTOWN VISION
Commerce

Greater Tularosa Foundation
Downtown Vision

Community
Commerce  Tourism

Greater Tularosa Foundation Downtown Vision

Community  Beauty
THREE PROJECT INITIATIVES TO HELP REACH THESE GOALS
3 Initiatives to reach goals

- Improve Granado Street
- Build a Plaza
- Create a Visitor Center
Reaching the public
Teamwork
Details of Project Visions
Before
Frontier Program Assistance
Future Visitor Center Location
Visitor Center vision before Frontier
LOCATION/SIZE FOR FUTURE PLAZA BEFORE 2014
General Plaza, Visitor Center, & Granado visions in 2014
THE VILLAGE OF TULAROSA

in conjunction with
The Greater Tularosa Foundation

FRONTIER COMMUNITIES INITIATIVE
APPLICATION

2014

APPLICATION TIME!
Fresh eyes & Technical Expertise!!!
Improving Granado Street
Create a Visitor Center
Draft Designs before Frontier
Facing east Across Highway
Across Highway Vision
Facing South Across Granado
Facing South Vision
Historic Granado Street Revitalization Plan
Tularosa, New Mexico

Final Revitalization Plan
THE VILLAGE OF TULAROSA'S
NMDOT TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES
PROGRAM APPLICATION

GRANADO STREET PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS
JANUARY 15, 2015

APPLICATION TIME!
April 13, 2015

Mr. Ray Cordova
Mayor
Village of Tularosa
705 St. Francis Dr.
Tularosa, NM 88352

Dear Mr. Cordova,

It is my pleasure to inform you that the New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) has selected the Village of Tularosa to receive a Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) funding award for the project “Granado St Pedestrian Improvements.” The project award amounts for Federal Fiscal Years (FFY) 2016 and 2017 are displayed below. Please note the breakdown of the federal (reimbursable) portion, local match and non-match, and total project cost.
The Village of Tularosa

in conjunction with

The Greater Tularosa Foundation

Frontier Communities Initiative Application

2015
Fresh eyes & Technical Expertise!!!
The foundation & stakeholders just started meeting with the new Frontier team so we aren’t far along yet ....
...BUT WE WERE INSPIRED TO THROW A BIG HALLOWEEN EVENT! ROBYNE GAVE US GREAT ADVICE & INFORMATIVE RESOURCES!
HALLOWEEN on GRANADO STREET FESTIVAL!!
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31ST, 4 PM - 9 PM!
IN TULAROSA ON GRANADO ST. BETWEEN ST. FRANCIS DR. & 2ND ST.
(FREE ENTRY. ACTIVITIES FOR BOTH KIDS & ADULTS!)

- SCHEDULE OF EVENTS -

Starting at 4 pm
- events continue to 7 pm unless specified -
Kids’ Games (~ 4-7 pm)
4 FOOD TRUCKS!
Vendors! ART! Non-Profit Booths!
LIVE MUSIC
(Grande String Ensemble & Kevin Baker’s Country Band)
Granado St. Business Trick-or-Treating!
Kevin Baker ART EXHIBITION!
Face Painting
TRUNK-OR-TREATING!
ZOMBIE ALLEY!
(Zombies emerge & walk up Granado, 4:30 pm)
Greater Tularosa Foundation Project Info Room
Starting at 6 pm
- events continue to 9 pm unless specified -

Starting at 7 pm
GLENRIO BAND
(Jazz, Rock & Roots Music!)

Starting at 8 pm
Adult Costume Contest with Prizes!
Event ends at 9 pm

To benefit the Greater Tularosa Foundation
www.TheGreaterTularosaFoundation.org/Halloween & Facebook.com/GreaterTularosaFoundation

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Gold
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Our Event Poster
Thank you Frontier & NMMS!