

# FINAL SENT TO NMDOT

## Official Scenic Historic Marker Program



CPRC meeting: April 9, 2010

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**Name of Marker:** Dulcelina Salce Curtis (1904–1995)

**Review:**  Original Text/Replacement Marker  Revised Text  
 Move of Existing Marker  New Marker

**NMDOT District:**

**NMDOT Highway:**

**Suggested Site for Installation:** DOT right of way near Corrales.

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**Existing or Proposed Text:**

Teacher, agriculturalist, farmer and conservationist, Dulcelina Curtis led efforts to control flooding of arroyos in Corrales where a flood-control channel is named in her honor. The first woman appointed to a board of the U.S. Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation District, she received the National Endowment for Soil Conservation Award for New Mexico in 1988. She served on the Village Council and helped launch many of the town's civic organizations.

**Word count:** 69

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**Previous Title and Text:**  N/A

**Researcher/author:** Karren Sahler and Tom Chavez

**Source(s):**

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Radford, Jeff. "Heritage Day May 17 Features Salce Family." *Corrales Comment*, May 27, 2008.

Schwingendorf, Wende. "Civic Leader in Corrales Dies at 90." Metro Plus, April 19, 1995.

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**CPRC Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

**For Referral to:** Dee Beingessner, NMDOT

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