## **FINAL SENT TO NMDOT**

## Official Scenic Historic Marker Program



**CPRC meeting**: CPRC Approved April 13, 2007 Final Approval, August 8, 2008

Name of Marker: Doña Ana (1604–1680)
County: Doña Ana County
Review: ☐ Original Text/Replacement Marker ☐ Revised Text ☐ Move of Existing Marker ☐ New Marker
NMDOT District: 1
NMDOT Highway: Doña Ana Road Suggested Site for Installation: Doña Ana Road at Taylor Road
Proposed Text:
The name of the county of Doña Ana originates from Doña Ana Robledo, who died near here while fleeing south with other settlers during the 1680 Pueblo Revolt. She was buried below the peak that now bears her surname in the Robledo Mountains, so named in memory of her grandfather who was buried there in 1598.
Word Count: <u>56</u>
Previous Title and Text:   N/A
Researcher/author: Dr. Thomas E. Chavez
<b>Source(s</b> ): <i>Origins of New Mexico Families</i> . Fray Angelico Chavez Library <i>My Penitente Land.</i> Fray Angelico Chavez Library
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CPRC Comments: Yes
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