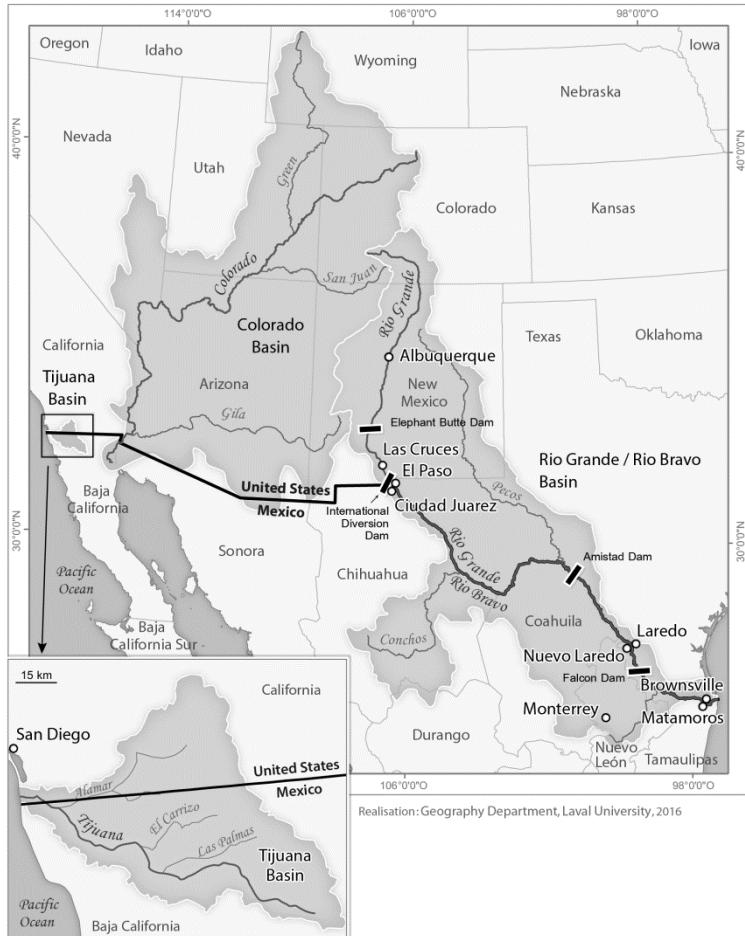


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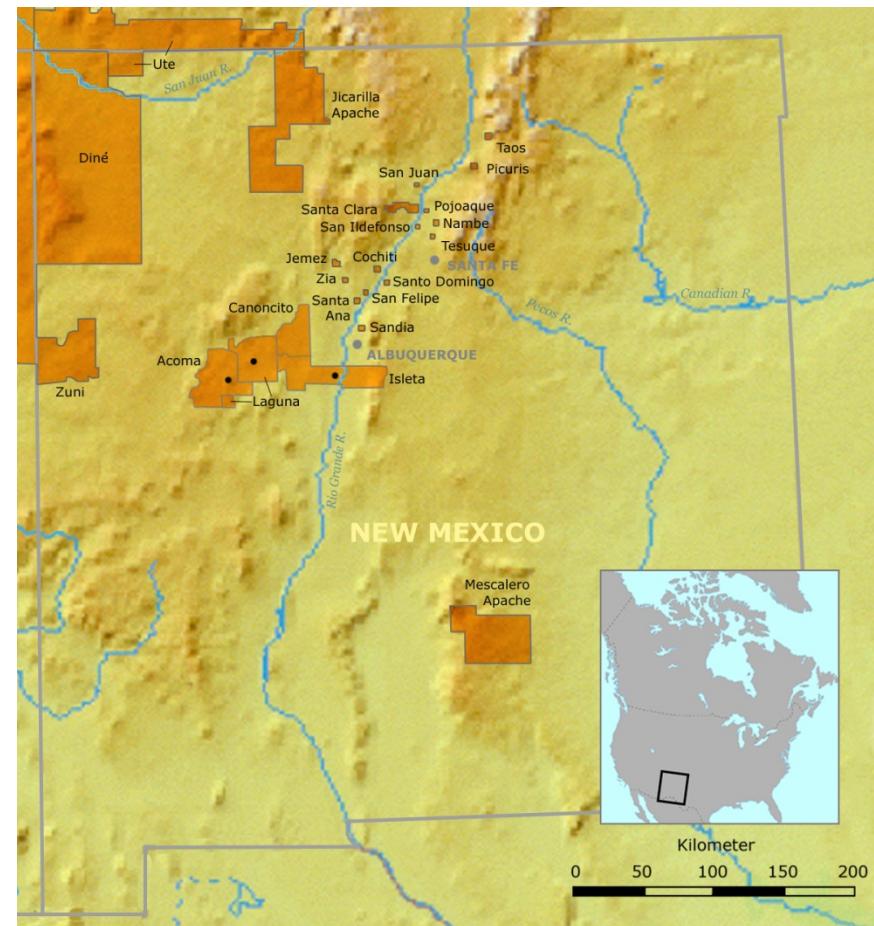
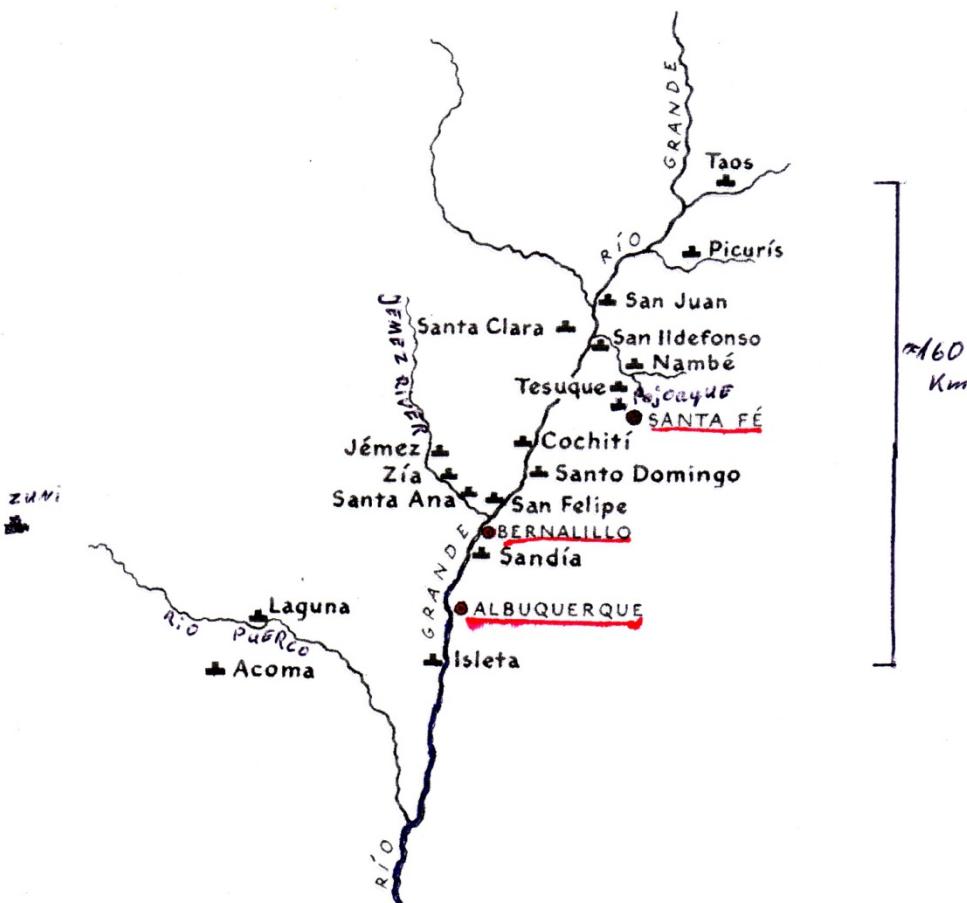
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# Le Rio Grande/Bravo



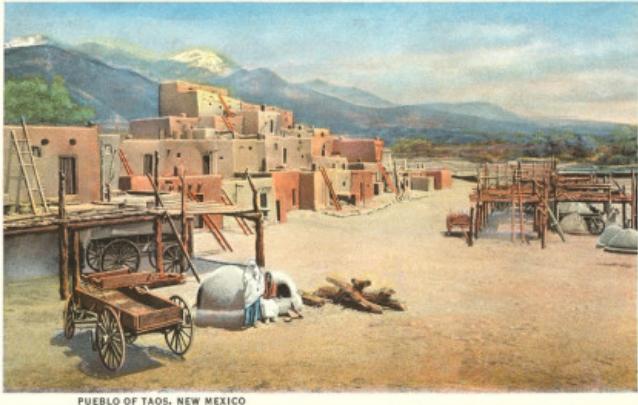
# Dans le Nouveau Mexique

## Les 19 Pueblos et le Rio Grande



# « Maisons juxtaposées en adobe »

Taos



Isleta



Isleta Casino





Warchief Secretary Harold T. Lefthand, Warchief Benito Sandoval, and Lieutenant Warchief Albert Archuleta (Taos Pueblo, NM)

# Gouvernement



Le Nouveau-Mexique a la plus forte proportion d'Indiens après l'Alaska. Ici, une peinture murale à Albuquerque représentant les droits civiques accordés aux minorités.

<http://www.lemonde.fr/> Le Nouveau Mexique, un état insoumis



Laurie Weahkee est à l'initiative de l'organisation Native American Voters Alliance, qui vise à inscrire les Indiens sur les listes électorales. **60 000 Indiens ont été inscrits sur les listes en 2008, soit 9,5 % des électeurs. Les deux tiers adhèrent au Parti démocrate et seulement 15 % sont affiliés au Parti républicain.**

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Le pueblo d'Isleta est l'un des nombreux villages historiques du Nouveau-Mexique habités par des Indiens. Ils ont obtenu le droit de vote en 1948.

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# Isleta



L to R: Ray Jojola - Sheriff, Antonio Chewiwi - Lt. Governor, Edward Paul Torres- Governor, Isidor Abeita - Lt. Governor, Benedict Piro - Sheriff



POW-WOW—Finale of Thunderbird American Indian Dancers' Dance Concert and Pow-Wow, presented by Theater for the New City  
January 31 to February 9, 2014.  
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# “The Rio Grande River at Isleta poisons wildlife and crops”

- “A Supreme Court decision reaffirms a 2,500 member tribe's right to tell the city of Albuquerque what it can and cannot dump into the Rio Grande River, 1998.”
- “This reaffirms our conviction as a tribe to protecting our environment.”
- “It's the only way we can get that high degree of protection for the Rio Grande.”  
<http://www.hcn.org/issues/123/3922>
- The tribe's initial water quality standards were approved on December 24, 1992. The standards include classifications, designated uses, water quality criteria and other policies and procedures establishing water quality standards for waters of the Tribe.
- [Pueblo of Isleta Water Quality Standards \(PDF\)](#)  
<https://www.epa.gov/wqs-tech/water-quality-standards-regulations-pueblo-isleta>



# ...in 2015

- “It basically takes away the significance of our beliefs because of someone else spoiling the one matter we depend on, and that’s the water.”
- “Our ceremonies and our religious culture here in our community are of utmost importance to us.”
- “That’s what’s kept us who we are as a people. And so when there’s any threat to that, it’s very frightening for our people. It’s a threat to our existence as far as we’re concerned.”

<http://publichealthnm.org/2015/02/18/small-tribe-big-river-isleta-eyes-pollution-in-the-rio-grande/>