

## **Nominee**

Dr. Robert Flynn, New Mexico State Univ, Artesia

## **Statement of Qualifications & Interest**

As a research and extension person I bring a tool box of what works and how to bring it to the public. Always a work in progress. I also learn a great deal from NMRC and fellow board members!

Agriculture generates several waste streams including water, manure, wood waste, and plastics. I envision the next two years as an opportunity to review current composting curriculum and assist in any necessary changes for the years to come. I see a need for controlling plastics in both agricultural and municipal operations. My programming with ACES Master Gardeners and agricultural conferences can help to address improved practices regarding waste management and environmental stewardship