Fostering Student Success from Cradle to Career

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New Mexico Higher Education Department
Capital Projects Committee Meeting
Animas Conference Room
2044 Galisteo Street, Suite 4
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Wednesday, October 8, 2025 9:30 a.m.

#### **ACTIONS**

1. Call Meeting to Order

Meeting called to order at 9:30am

2. Roll Call of Committee Members

Present were Chairman Campos, Member Martinez, Member Guillen, Member Jorgensen, Member Trujillo, and Member Brown

3. Approval of Agenda

**Approved** 

4. Approval of Minutes from September 10, 2025, Capital Projects Committee Meeting Approved

- 5. Announcements:
  - a. Next Capital Projects Committee Meeting will be held on November 12, 2025.
  - b. The NMHED FY27 General Obligation Bond Capital Recommendation will be presented at the DFA Infrastructure Planning & Development Division (IPDD) public hearing on Friday, October 17 and scheduled for 4:15pm.

## Projects to be reviewed

6. New Mexico Junior College – \$9,300,000

Rodeo & Agricultural Education District - Phase 1

Presenters: Dr. Charley Carroll, VP of Operations & Special Projects, NMJC; Josh Morgan, VP for Finance, NMJC

**Approved** 

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# 7. Southeast New Mexico College - \$180,000 Former JSS Elementary Lease

Presenters: Dr. Kevin Beardmore, President, SENMC; Gary Martinez, Director of Construction and Special Projects, SENMC; Carolyn Kasdorf, Interim VP of Business and Finance

## **Approved**

## 8. Navajo Technical University - \$16,843,500

## G5381 NTU Interdisciplinary Building Construction

Presenters: Abe Bitok, Director of Support Services, NTU; Sylvia Tyler, Budget Manager, NTU; Dr. Jason Arviso, VP of Operations and Carlos Murrietta, Architect

#### Approved contingent on the following:

- Provide updated funding screenshot attachment
- Provide revised Form 5
- Provide revised Scope of Work

## 9. University of New Mexico - \$1,850,000

### **Building Acquisition at 1820 Randolph Road SE**

Presenters: Thomas M. Neale, Director of Real Estate, UNM

#### Approved contingent on the following:

- Provide revised Form 5
- Provide revised description notating I&G confirmation and details including space to be utilized by contract archaeology

## 10. Clovis Community College - \$3,200,000

## **CCC Gentry Purchase - Sept 2025**

Presenters: Dr. Jonathan Fuentes, President, CCC; Bob Dart, VP IT & Operations, CCC; Robin Kuykendall, Executive Vice President, CCC; Heather Lovato, Chief Financial Officer, CCC

## **Approved**

## 11. New Mexico Highlands University - Up to \$6,100,000 Refinancing of System Revenue Bonds Series 2009B

Presenters: Dr. Neil Woolf, President, NMHU

### **Approved**

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12. New Mexico Highlands University - Up to \$8,035,000 Refinance System Revenue Bonds, Series 2012

Presenters: Dr. Neil Woolf, President, NMHU

**Approved** 

13. Adjourn

Adjourned at 11:25am