Administration and Finance
Weekly Activity Report
Week Ending: August 15, 2014

- **NMSU Housing welcomes students for the fall semester.** Sunday, August 17, begins Welcome Week for hundreds of new students moving to their on-campus housing with the Aggie BBQ that afternoon. **NMSU Barnes & Noble along with Auxiliary Services** donated 1600 backpacks to do dorm stuff so the students will have one bag in their dorm room with fliers and information about the bookstore, and other spots on campus.

- **NMSU Barnes & Noble Bookstore is working with 2 elementary schools to encourage graduation.** Kohlberg Elementary School in El Paso, which is rated 10 out of 10, has adopted NMSU as their college they would talk about to their students to encourage not just graduating from high school, but going to college and graduating also. T-shirts, key chains for their back packs, pennants and banners were donated to the first grade bi-lingual class. This mission is also being partnered with by Jaramillo Elementary School in Belen, NM, which has 4 NMSU alumni on staff.

- **Hardman & Jacobs Undergraduate Learning Center** Selective demolition at Hardman Hall is in process to make way for the new Hardman & Jacobs Undergraduate Learning Center. The shell of the central auditorium and (2) classrooms above will remain and be incorporated into new construction. The building is scheduled to be open for Fall of 2015 classes.
• **Pete Domenici Hall**  Jaynes Corp is completing the final touches on the interior of the building and has received the temporary Certificate of Occupancy so they can now receive and place furniture in the building. Disassembly and removal of the construction fencing is slated to begin and site cleanup is underway. Department staff and students are scheduled to start moving into their new offices on August 25th.

• **New Light Pole Banners** - UCOMM and Facilities partnered on the design and installation of 21 light pole banners recognizing our Regents Professors. The banners are prominently displayed on the International Mall, building Aggie pride as you walk by!