Administration and Finance Weekly Activity Report Week Ending: September 5, 2014

- The 3rd Annual Cowboys for Cancer Fundraiser Event at the NMSU Golf Course on August 29 was a huge success. A total of 69 groups competed in a morning and afternoon shotgun start, and the tournament generated in excess of \$50,000 for the Cowboys for Cancer Research. Bryan Foster, the Food and Beverage Manager at the NMSU Golf Course, was the tournament director and did an outstanding job of coordinating this tremendous event.
- **Prepping the Greens** The golf course is currently undergoing its annual fall maintenance. The greens are aerated and top-dressed along with desired areas being over-seeded with cool season grasses to make the course more enjoyable in the winter months. This maintenance will be finished September 10th, and we look forward to the course being in very good shape this winter.
- Local food and beverages at Pan American Center The New Mexico Market, located in the Pan American Center, was unveiled for NMSU's Volleyball game on Sept. 4th. This stunning slice of New Mexico's tastes and sights will feature local food and beverages at games and special events in the Pan Am.
- Feedback Welcome The NMSU <u>Storm Water Management Program annual report</u> is open for public review. The comment period ends September 17, 2014. Please forward any comments to <u>Jack Kirby</u>, Assistant Director for Environmental Health & Safety.
- **Hazard Mitigation Plan** NMSU joined with Doña Ana County in a multi-jurisdictional <u>Hazard Mitigation Plan</u> that was recently approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). By receiving this approval, NMSU is eligible for the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program and Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Program for the next five years.
- ICT Help Desk handles over 2100 requests for help During a fourteen day period at the start of the fall semester, the ICT Help Desk successfully assisted students, faculty, and staff in resolving 2,104 separate technology issues. The Help Desk, which is primarily staffed by student employees, typically experiences high call volumes during the first few weeks of each semester. Excellent work Help Desk staff!