



# NEW MEXICO HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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# FY20 HIGHER EDUCATION BUDGET

- **\$822 million recurring funding for higher education institutions - an increase of 3%;**
  - \$112.5 million in capital outlay funds to equip and improve higher education institution facilities statewide;
  - \$62 million of student financial aid: \$20 million new funding for college affordability and \$20 million to support teachers through scholarships and student loan repayment;
  - \$5.5 million in one-time funding to equip institutions for degree and workforce training programs.



# SUMMARY OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION

✓	<b>HB7</b>	<b>Rep. Micaela Cardena</b>	<b>Higher Education Centers of Excellence</b>
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\$2 million to the Higher Education Department for Centers of Excellence:

- San Juan College – Renewable Energy
- NM Tech – Cybersecurity
- NMSU – Sustainable Agriculture
- UNM – Bioscience

✓	<b>HB420</b>	<b>G. Andrés Romero</b>	<b>School Advanced Placement Policy</b>
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Requires that New Mexico state colleges and universities grant credit for any advanced placement examination taker who has scored a “3” or more on the advanced placement test. The credit would be given in a corresponding course, if it exists, or as an elective credit if there were no corresponding course at the student’s institution. If a college or university could demonstrate evidence showing that a score of three is not adequate, it would not need to comply; otherwise updated credit policies would need to be published before the start of the 2019-2020 school year.



# SUMMARY OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION

✓	<b>HB128</b>	<b>Rep. Linda M. Trujillo</b>	<b>Increase Access For Senior Citizen Education</b>
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Amending sections of the Senior Citizens Reduced Tuition Act to provide for greater access to reduced tuition. \$5.00 per credit hour, up to ten hours per semester.

✓	<b>HB20</b>	<b>Rep. Joy Garratt, Sen. Michael Padilla, Christine Trujillo and Rep. Raymundo Lara</b>	<b>Grow Your Own Teachers Act</b>
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Provides scholarships for Educational Assistants (EA's) who want to become teachers. Creating a fund, allowing for professional leave for classes and practice teaching. Educational Assistants must have worked as an EA in a public school for at least two years and be in good standing with the school district. EA's must be enrolled in or accepted by an undergraduate Teacher Preparation program at a regionally accredited public postsecondary educational institution in New Mexico. Qualifying eligible students shall receive an amount not to exceed \$6,000.00 per year for not more than five years. Awards shall be based on financial need.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION

✓ **HB127** **Rep. G. Andres Romero,** **College Affordability Act Changes**

\$20 Million to College Affordability Endowment

Raises minimum annual distribution from \$2 million to \$3 million

Same Eligibility Requirements as before

Possible addition of \$5 million addition to endowment depending on FY19 state revenues.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION

✓	<b>HB275</b>	<b>Rep. Sheryl Williams Stapleton, Rep. Debra M. Sarinana, Rep. Raymundo Lara, Rep. Joanne J. Ferrary, Rep. Natalie Figueroa</b>	<b>College of Education Affordability</b>
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Providing financial aid for students who want to become teachers. Changing the Teacher Loan Repayment Act to more specifically target the types of high-need teachers who qualify for the program.

Eligibility Requirements changed. High-need positions are considered to be filled by teachers who:

- Have an endorsement and currently teach bilingual education;
- Have an endorsement and currently teach early childhood education or special education;
- Have an endorsement and currently teach science, technology, engineering, mathematics or career technical education courses; or
- Teach in a low performing school which serves a high percentage or economically disadvantaged students (40% or more of the students receive free & reduced lunch).

First year teachers no longer qualify. Teachers must have taught at least three years in New Mexico.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION CONT.

✓	<b>HB275 Part II</b>	<b>Rep. Sheryl Williams Stapleton, Rep. Debra M. Sarinana, Rep. Raymundo Lara, Rep. Joanne J. Ferrary, Rep. Natalie Figueroa</b>	<b>Teacher Preparatory Affordability Scholarship</b>
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Providing financial aid for students who want to become teachers. Creating a Teacher Preparation Affordability Act.

- New Mexico Resident
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Enrolled half time – Undergraduate Teacher Preparation Program
- Have not earned an appropriate educational credential to be licensed as a teacher by NMPED
- Maximum of \$6,000 per year



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION

✓	<b>HB420</b>	<b>Rep. G. Andres Romero, Rep. Raymundo Lara, Rep. Natalie Figueroa, Rep. Joy Garratt</b>	<b>School Advanced Placement Policy Reporting</b>
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Requiring Public Postsecondary Educational Institutions to accept for credit passing scores on the College Board Advanced Placement Examinations. Requiring the Higher Education Department to report institutional advanced placement policies to the New Mexico Legislature and the Governor.

✓	<b>HB480</b>	<b>Rep. Doreen Y. Gallegos, Rep. Nathan P. Small</b>	<b>Graduate Medical Educational Expansion Grants</b>
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Creating a Graduate Medical Education Expansion Grant Program. Providing funding to create and expand physician residency programs. Creating the Graduate Medical Educational Expansion Review Board.





# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION

✓	<b>SB163</b>	<b>Sen. Clemente Sanchez, Rep. Alonzo Baldonado, Sen. Gregory A. Baca</b>	<b>Valencia County Instructional Center</b>
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Creating an off-campus instructional center for the University of New Mexico in Valencia County.

✓	<b>SB179</b>	<b>Sen. Elizabeth “Liz” Stefanics</b>	<b>Disabilities Students Lottery Scholarships</b>
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Allowing certain students with disabilities to receive the Legislative Lottery Tuition Scholarship by changing the definition of “qualified student”. A New Mexico resident who had to leave the state to receive an education pursuant to the federal Individuals with Disability Education Act shall be eligible for tuition scholarship if the student graduated from an accredited high school in another state and otherwise meets the qualifications for a tuition scholarship pursuant to the definition of “qualified students”.

✓	<b>SB244</b>	<b>Sen. Gerald Ortiz y Pino, Rep. Miguel P. Garcia</b>	<b>Legal Services for Land Grants &amp; Acequias</b>
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Establishing a tuition waiver program to increase legal services for Acequias, Land Grants-Mercedes and Low-income residents of Colonias.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION



**SB21**

**Sen. Gay G. Kernan**

**Health Professional Loan Repayment Changes**

Amending sections of the Health Professional Loan Repayment Act and the Osteopathic Medicine Act to establish designated Health Professional Loan Repayment funding to assist Osteopathic Primary Care Physicians working in designated shortage areas.



**SB251**

**Sen. George K. Munoz**

**Tuition & Fee Waivers for Foster Children**

Amending the Foster Child Tuition And Fee Waiver. The student was in legal custody of the CYFD, New Mexico Indian Nation, Tribe or Pueblo on or after the day of the student's fourteenth birthday.



**SB314**

**Sen. Mary Kay Papen**

**NMSU Campus in San Luis Potosi, Mexico**

Allowing New Mexico State University to establish a university campus in San Luis Potosi, Mexico.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION



**SB407**

**Sen. Benny Shendo, Jr.**

**Lottery Funds for Tribal Colleges**

Allows Tribal Colleges to receive funds from the New Mexico Legislative Lottery Tuition Fund.



**SB447**

**Sen. Ron Griggs,  
Sen. Gregg Fulfer**

**Engineering & Surveying Scholarship & License**

Establishes an Engineering and Surveying Scholarship program and additional grounds for reciprocity for engineers licensed in other jurisdictions. Amending provisions relating to certification as a surveyor intern. Allows the Board to accept alternatives to physical seals.



**SB545**

**Sen. Stuart Ingle,  
Sen. Pat Woods**

**Veterinary Clinic Student Interns**

Allows agreements between the New Mexico Department of Agriculture and schools of Veterinary Medicine to have student interns in New Mexico Veterinary Clinics and Practices as part of the students' degree program.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION CONT.

<b>X</b>	<b>HB120</b>	<b>Rep. Tomas E. Salazar, Rep. Christine Trujillo, Rep. Joy Garratt, Rep. Derrick J. Lente</b>	<b>Bilingual Teacher Preparation Act</b>
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Provides for the establishment, operation, expansion and improvement of teacher preparation programs for college of education students who want to teach English language learners.

<b>X</b>	<b>HB251</b>	<b>Rep. Roberto “Bobby” J. Gonzales, Rep. Patricia A. Lundstrom, Rep. Tomas E. Salazar</b>	<b>Higher Education Coordinating Council</b>
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Creating a Higher Education Coordinating Council; providing powers and duties; having the Council undertake certain State Board of Finance duties pertaining to public postsecondary educational institutions.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION CONT.

<b>X</b>	<b>HB313</b>	<b>Rep. Linda M. Trujillo</b>	<b>Community College &amp; Tech School Financial Aid</b>
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Providing for the development of a financial assistance model for Community Colleges and Technical and Vocational Institutes.

<b>X</b>	<b>HB542</b>	<b>Rep. Dayan Hochman-Vigil, Rep. Daymon Ely, Rep. Natalie Figueroa, Rep. Abbas Akhil</b>	<b>Law Enforcement &amp; C.O. Loan Repayment</b>
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Enacting the Law Enforcement and Correctional Officer Loan Repayment Act.

<b>X</b>	<b>HB561</b>	<b>Rep. Patricia Roybal Caballero</b>	<b>Lottery Scholarship Based on Need</b>
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Making the Lottery Tuition Scholarship a full scholarship based on financial need.



# SUMMARIES OF INTRODUCED LEGISLATION CONT.

<b>X</b>	<b>SB155</b>	<b>Sen. William Soules</b>	<b>Research Grants Closing Fund</b>
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Providing for a competitive application process and review panel.

<b>X</b>	<b>SB160</b>	<b>Sen. Bill Tallman, Rep. Dayan Hochman-Vigil</b>	<b>Student Loan Bill of Rights Act</b>
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Enacting the Student Loan Bill of Rights Act; providing penalties.

<b>X</b>	<b>SB614</b>	<b>Sen. Linda M. Lopez</b>	<b>Multicultural Educator Loan-For-Service Act</b>
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Enacting the Multicultural Educator Loan-For-Service Act.

<b>X</b>	<b>SB80</b>	<b>Sen. William Soules</b>	<b>Forfeited Lottery Prizes to Tuition Fund</b>
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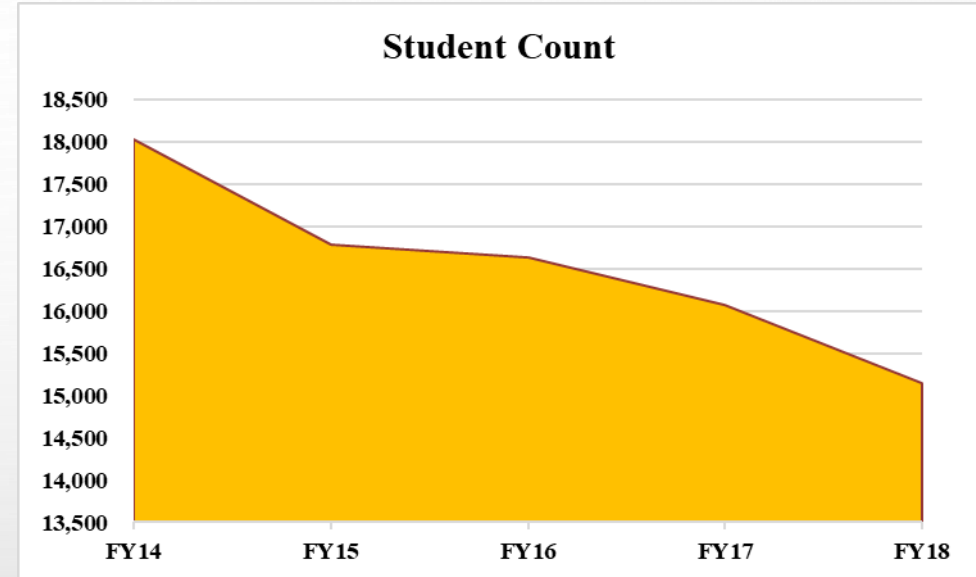
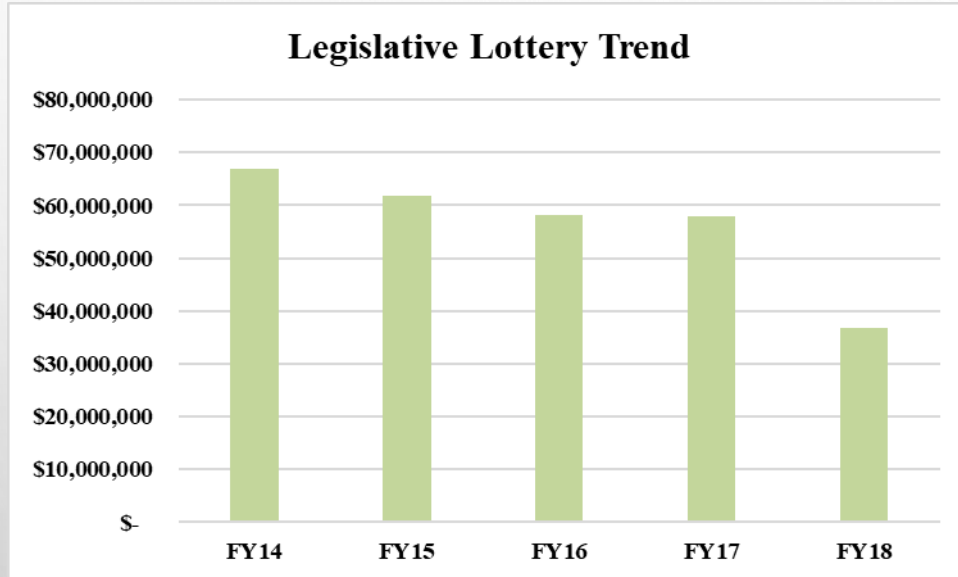
Providing for the payment of forfeited lottery prizes to the Lottery Tuition Fund.

# SCHEDULED RULE PROMULGATION

- ADVANCED PLACEMENT
- TEACHER LOAN REPAYMENT
- LEGISLATIVE LOTTERY SCHOLARSHIP
- SENIOR CITIZEN REDUCED TUITION
- GROW YOUR OWN TEACHERS ACT
- TEACHER PREPARATION AFFORDABILITY



# LEGISLATIVE LOTTERY SCHOLARSHIP



Currently Estimating \$45 million revenue for FY20, or:

- ~\$2150 research;
- ~\$1462 comprehensive;
- ~\$545 community college. (Per Semester)





# NEW TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

## HOW DOES THIS AFFECT YOU?

- INSTITUTIONS WILL HAVE TWO NEW PROGRAMS TO ADMINISTER

### 1. **HB20 GROW YOUR OWN TEACHERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

- ENROLLED HALF TIME – UNDERGRADUATE TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM
- DEMONSTRATE FINANCIAL NEED
- MUST BE A EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANT (EA)
- WORKING IN A NEW MEXICO PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR A MINIMUM OF 2 YEARS
- IN GOOD STANDING WITH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- HAVE NOT EARNED AN APPROPRIATE EDUCATIONAL CREDENTIAL TO BE LICENSED AS A TEACHER BY NMPED
- MAXIMUM OF \$6,000 PER YEAR

### 2. **HB275 TEACHER PREPARATION AFFORDABILITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

- NEW MEXICO RESIDENT
- DEMONSTRATE FINANCIAL NEED
- ENROLLED HALF TIME – UNDERGRADUATE TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM
- HAVE NOT EARNED AN APPROPRIATE EDUCATIONAL CREDENTIAL TO BE LICENSED AS A TEACHER BY NMPED
- MAXIMUM OF \$6,000 PER YEAR

- **HOW WILL THESE PROGRAMS BE FUNDED?**

- ALLOCATION BASED FORMULA

