

# CEO Weekly Brief - 4/30/2018 Dr. James Malm

### CAMPUS SAFETY WALK

The Campus Safety Committee, under the direction of Sargeant Richard Perez, will be conducting an evening campus safety walk on May 21st. Those interested in helping us promote campus safety and support crime prevention are invited to meet in front of the Zollinger Library at 9:00 p.m. The night time walk will allow participants to identify potential safety issues including lighting, signage and physical obstacles. Diagnostics such as foot candle light meters and cellular devices will be utilized to scientifically measure lighting capacity and cell service dead zones at various parts of the campus. All are invited and welcome to attend.

CAMPUS SAFETY WALK
MONDAY, MAY 21
9:00 P.M.

MEET IN FRONT OF ZOLLINGER LIBRARY

### **HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATOR**

I wish Sylvia Hunt, Human Resources Administrator, the best of luck as she will be separating from UNM-Gallup on May 11<sup>th</sup> to pursue a new professional opportunity. Please join me in thanking Sylvia for her service to UNM-Gallup and wishing her continued successes.

## DENTAL ASSISTING ADVISORY MEETING AND DINNER

Many thanks to Gayle Woodcock for inviting me to the dental assisting advisory board meeting and dinner this past week. I was happy to attend and learn of community efforts to make our program responsive to area needs and meet local clinicians who make internship and employment opportunities available to our students.



# STAFF RECOGNITION LUNCHEON

I was pleased and proud to attend the UNM Staff Recognition Luncheon and see three members of our UNM-Gallup community honored for their years of service. Ken Roberts, dean emeritus, was honored for 25 years of service, Suzette Wyaco, manager of enrollment services, for 25 years, and Rick Goshorn, director of business operations, for 15 years. The ceremony was great (see the video clip below) and is a small way to thank them for their dedication to the university.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nyVjM8HmV38&feature=youtu.be



Ken Roberts, Rick Goshorn, Suzette Wyaco

## INNOVATION ACADEMY

On April 23, I had the chance to meet and visit with Dr. Robert Del Campo at the Lobo Rainforest Building which is the headquarters for the Innovation Academy. Dr. Del Campo, Executive Director of the Innovation Academy, talked about the ways we might connect students to this initiative and how we might apply some of the concepts of the Academy to UNM-Gallup. To learn more about iA, please see the link below.

https://innovationacademy.unm.edu/

## PHYSICAL PLANT BUILDING

I testified before the State Board of Finance on April 23<sup>rd</sup> in support of our \$2 million physical plant building. The board voted unanimously to approve the proposal so we are now ready to break ground. The link below is to the official approval document.



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## PRESIDENT STOKES' STATEWIDE TOUR

President Garnett Stokes recently announced that she is embarking on a tour of New Mexico and hopes to travel to every city to share the UNM message and build a sense of community throughout the state. In anticipation of her visit to UNM-Gallup, I will be reaching out to our advisory board and our campus members to determine the best itinerary for Dr. Stokes that will showcase our great community. All suggestions are welcome!