

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS  
NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY  
May 20, 2008

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The Board of Regents of New Mexico State University met in the Hiram Hadley Conference Room (130) in Hadley Hall, on the New Mexico State University main campus, Las Cruces, New Mexico, on Tuesday, May 20, 2008. Chair Gallagher called the special meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Regents Present	Mr. Bob Gallagher, Chair (by phone) Mr. Blake Curtis, Vice Chair (absent) Mr. M. Steven Anaya, Secretary/Treasurer (absent) Ms. Laura Conniff, Member (by phone) Mr. Ed Kellum, Member (by phone)
Ex-officio Regents Present	Dr. Joe Pfeiffer Mr. Justin O'Connell
President	Not present
Executive Vice President/Provost	Dr. Waded Cruzado
Regents Chief of Staff	Dr. Pat Williams
Other Presenters Present	Senior Vice President Jennifer Taylor Associate Vice President Maureen Howard Vice President Nick Franklin

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Regent Gallagher called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

**2. INTRODUCTIONS**

- (a) Introduction of Press, Elected Officials, and Others by Maureen Howard, Associate Vice President for University Communications and Marketing Services

Associate Vice President Howard introduced Diana Alba and Ashlee Meeks from the Las Cruces Sun-News.

**3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Regent Conniff moved, seconded by Regent Kellum, to approve the agenda as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

**4. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**5. CONSENT CALENDAR (Voted on by one motion, or moved to Action or Informational Items)**

- (a) Approval to Name Hydrotherapy Area, Room 225 as the Stuart and Betsy Meersheidt Hydrotherapy Room (Vice President Nick Franklin)

Regent Kellum moved, seconded by Regent Conniff, to approve the naming of the Hydrotherapy Area, Room 225 as the Stuart and Betsy Meersheidt Hydrotherapy Room. The motion carried unanimously.

**6. ACTION ITEMS**

- (a) Approval of External Auditors for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2008  
(Senior Vice President Jennifer Taylor)

Senior Vice President Taylor gave a presentation and requested approval for the External Auditors for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2008. Regent Conniff recommended the firm following a presentation to the Regents' Audit Committee which includes Regent Laura Conniff and Regent Bob Gallagher. The firm recommended to receive the university's external audit contract was Moss-Adams LLP.

Regent Conniff moved, seconded by Regent Kellum, to approve the External Auditors for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2008. The motion carried unanimously.

**7. OTHER**

**8. ADJOURNMENT**

Regent Gallagher adjourned the meeting at 8:39 a.m .

Minutes recorded by Socorro Saenz-Lobato.

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Robert M. Gallagher, Chair  
Board of Regents

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M. Steven Anaya, Secretary/Treasurer  
Board of Regents