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SENATE BILL

55TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2021

INTRODUCED BY

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ENDORSED BY THE LAND GRANT COMMITTEE

AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND
ADMINISTRATION FOR THE LAND GRANT COUNCIL TO HIRE A NEW MEXICO-
LICENSED PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR AND AN ATTORNEY WHO SPECIALIZES
IN PROPERTY LAW.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--One million dollars
(\$1,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
department of finance and administration for expenditure in
fiscal years 2022 through 2026 for the land grant council to
hire one New Mexico-licensed professional surveyor and one
attorney who specializes in property law to assist land grants
in defining and defending their common lands statewide. Any
unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of
fiscal year 2026 shall revert to the general fund.

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