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RESOLUTION #2018-26

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE 2019
LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES OF THE
NEW MEXICO COUNTIES**

WHEREAS, in August 2018, the Board of Directors of the New Mexico Counties approved five legislative priorities for consideration by the New Mexico Legislature at its 2018 regular legislative session; *and*

WHEREAS, NMC has requested that the Board of County Commissioners in each of the state's 33 counties discuss and approve a resolution supporting NMC's legislative priorities; *and*

WHEREAS, this is an important step in assuring maximum understanding of, and support for, NMC's legislative priorities at the county level; *and*

WHEREAS, the adoption of such resolutions will enable NMC to demonstrate to the state legislature strong local and statewide support for NMC's legislative priorities; *and*

WHEREAS, the legislative priorities include support for legislation on the following five issues:

- **HB 2 Appropriations
Detention Reimbursement Fund**
Restore funding for the County Detention Facilities Reimbursement Act to the original appropriation level of \$5 million.

Prisoner Transport and extradition
Create a line item in the DFA Budget for \$750,000 to reimburse sheriff's offices that provide transportation of state prisoners.