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McKee Foundation Gift Builds University Library Engineering Collection

The New Mexico State University Library has received a gift of \$2,500 from the Robert E. and Evelyn McKee Foundation of El Paso. The gift is to be used for the purchase of current engineering materials for the Library's collection.

Engineering librarian Joanna Szurmak said, "This generous gift enables the Library to better serve the students of New Mexico State University by providing up-to-date costly resources to support the engineering curriculum."

Robert E. McKee is known and remembered as the "master builder" who built much of El Paso, as well as many other cities, including Los Angeles, Dallas, New Orleans and Atlanta, where he built hospitals, hotels, banks, airports and other major structures. The descendants of McKee and his wife Evelyn continue their legacy of generosity to programs of higher education.

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