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THE MINNEHAHA COUNTY BUILDING COMMITTEE CONVENED AT 8:00 A.M. May 3, 2022, pursuant to adjournment on April 5, 2022. Committee Members present were: Commissioners Bender, Beninga, Karsky, Facilities Director Kriens, Auditor Kyte, and Commission Administrative Officer Muller. Commissioners Barth and Heiberger were present via Zoom Videoconference. Also present were Kym Christiansen, Commission Recorder, and Eric Bogue, Chief Civil Deputy State's Attorney.

MOTION by Beninga, seconded by Karsky, to approve the April 5, 2022, Building Committee Meeting Minutes. By roll call vote: 8 ayes.

JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER FINAL REPORT

Tyler Klatt, Assistant Commission Administrative Officer, introduced Bill Garnos to present the final report on the Juvenile Detention Center Population Trends and Forecast. This is a key component of the first phase of the Juvenile Detention Center feasibility study is understanding the population trends and forecasts of the facility. The purpose of the study is to provide an objective and independent assessment of current juvenile detention population trends; provide transparency and documentation; and provide a data-driven means for assessing each county's current and future demand for juvenile detention beds, and the detention capacity available to meet those needs, to assist with facility planning. The report provided a detailed look at the juvenile detention population trends as well as juvenile detention population projections. The report also provided key findings and conclusions related to the areas of admissions; average daily population; and juvenile detention population projections. Discussion items included the impact of having juveniles being held at the Juvenile Detention Center when they maybe charged as an adult along with the cost to house a juvenile at the Juvenile Detention Center.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Dan Kippley, Sioux Falls, spoke about the fairgrounds task force and the fairgrounds agreement.

MOTION by Beninga, seconded by Karsky, to adjourn. By roll call vote: 8 ayes.

APPROVED BY THE BUILDING COMMITTEE:

Cindy Heiberger
Building Committee Chair

ATTEST:

Kym Christiansen
Commission Recorder