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Public meeting scheduled on Rapid City Minimum Unit/Parole Offices

Pierre, S.D. – A public meeting is scheduled regarding the Department of Corrections proposal for a permanent minimum security unit and parole office building in Rapid City.

The meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 29th from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. MDT at the Western Dakota Technical Institute Rushmore Building at 1600 Sedivy Lane, across from the STAR of the West Sports Complex.

During the 2009 legislative session, House Bill 1271 was passed to authorize the South Dakota Building Authority and Department of Corrections to provide for the purchase, design, construction and equipping of a combined minimum security and parole facility. House Bill 1271 requires the Secretary of Corrections to conduct public meetings to solicit input and share information with citizens, business owners and school administrators located within two miles of the property to be purchased.

The state intends to establish this facility at 2725 Creek Drive (Lot 8, Block 1, South Creek Industrial Park) in Rapid City. Any member of the public who has questions, comments or concerns with the establishment of this facility is encouraged to attend.

Another public meeting will be scheduled in May.