

Aitkin County Connection #25

The Aitkin County Government Center and Judicial Center construction projects are continuing to move ahead, below is an update and next steps.

- The Government Center is complete and all offices except Administration are in their new homes. Entrance to the Government Center is from the parking lot to the West of the building. The main entrance from 210 will be completed soon and include a drop box for the public to leave items for Government Center departments.
- The Judicial Center, (Original Courthouse) is being remodeled and will house all court related offices such as County Attorney and Probation. The remodel is nearly complete with finishing flooring being installed soon in Courtroom 1 and meeting room spaces.

Construction Updates, ongoing and into the near future;

- New safe and secure entrance is framed in, construction will continue in this area as sheetrock and finishes are installed.
- A continuation of the wood window framing on the front wall of the Court's Lobby.
- Insulating plumbing fixtures and work on the cooling system
- Framing ceilings in the Court's Lobby and sheetrocking 3rd floor
- Matching safe and secure entrance to the new addition.

Construction Pictures;

- 1.) New Safe and Secure Front Entrance, all visitors to the Judicial Center will enter here.
- 2.) Probation Office Front Desk
- 3.) Probation Department typical office
- 4.) Ground Floor, Safe and Secure Front Entrance, stairway along original façade
- 5.) Ground Floor front entrance, matching to new addition
- 6.) New reception area for County Attorney, originally the Treasurers Offices
- 7.) Former Lobby area of Auditors and Treasurers Offices
- 8.) Former jury assembly meeting rooms soon to receive flooring
- 9.) Courtroom and Juror's Box remodeled to be ADA accessible and match existing historic bench

















