

## SALES TAX EXEMPTION REQUEST BECKER CITY HALL AND POLICE STATION RENOVATION

- Unpreceded growth in Becker:
   1980 Population 600
   2024 Population 5,042
- The last addition to building was 1996
- The need for more space and better law enforcement facilities is necessary
- Facility Assessment conducted in 2017 and planning began in early 2022 followed by 13 public meetings
- Determined more cost efficient to renovate the existing building than build new
- Cost: \$5,890,000 (should include furnishing, etc. with this amount to the legislature)
- The building is scheduled for completion in spring 2025



- Improved security and access points for police department and city hall with new central public entrance
- Changes in police department space including evidence processing, interview rooms and safe spaces
- Heating/cooling system and roof at the end of anticipated life
- Heated garage for all police squad vehicles
- Building needs to be more ADA Compliant

