Central Nebraska Veterans’ Home
Kearney, Nebraska

The new Central Nebraska Veterans’ Home at Kearney will be constructed on a 75 acre site at 56th Street and Cherry Avenue. This state of the art, fully accessible facility, will be approximately 330,000 square feet on a single level with 225 bedrooms. Other important facts:

- Total estimated project cost $101,000,000
- Employment equivalent 400 employees

The City of Kearney, Buffalo County, and the Buffalo County Economic Development Council have teamed together to provide an additional $10,104,000 to assist in the development and enhancement of this project. A breakdown of local funding is as follows:

- $1,400,000 Site costs, grading, internal roads, etc.
- $2,000,000 Reduced water, sewer, electric, refuse costs
- $200,000 Landscaping – beautification projects
- $1,004,000 Transportation needs, equipment
- $2,500,000 Employee relocation/retention incentives, scholarships, training
- $1,000,000 Veterans’ Memorial
- $2,000,000 Chapel, library, woodshop, ceramic shop, water features, lit paved trails and fishing ponds

Kearney and Buffalo County, previous home of the Kearney Air Base, are proud to welcome back our veterans.

To learn more about the new Central Nebraska Veterans’ Home – Kearney, please visit the City of Kearney’s web site at www.cityofkearney.org and click on Central Nebraska Veterans Home – Kearney. Also, you may email any questions or comments to: welcomehome@kearneygov.org.