



Groundbreaking for University Center-Black Hills Held in Rapid City

Community and higher education leaders joined the South Dakota Board of Regents Nov. 13, 2009, in Rapid City for ceremonies to begin construction on the new permanent home for University Center-Black Hills. The 59,000 square-foot facility, adjacent to Elk Vale Road and Exit 61, will meet the region's increased demand for public higher education services in western South Dakota. Among those participating in the groundbreaking were (from left) Rapid City Mayor Alan Hanks, Regent James Hansen, Regents Executive Director and CEO Jack Warner, SDSM&T President Robert Wharton, and BHSU President Kay Schallenkamp.

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