Ruby Valley Medical Center Provides Aerial Video For Visual News Media

As part of the Ruby Valley Medical Center's Grand Opening celebration on August 18th, an aerial video is available to television and internet new services

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Sheridan, Montana (August 15, 2018) – With the production support of Northern Rockies Engineering, Ruby Valley Medical Center has created an aerial video of the nearly completed new Medical Center which will serve the healthcare needs of the 2,200 residents of the Ruby Valley. The six minute video provides a variety of aerial clips of the exterior of the new Ruby Valley Medical Center and is available to television and internet news outlets to augment coverage of the Medical Center's grand opening celebration.

The aerial video can be previewed on the Ruby Valley Hospital's YouTube channel at https://youtu.be/STV6OiLcg6c. The complete video file can be downloaded in H.264 (.mp4) and Quicktime (.mov) formats with the links shown below. Custom formats can be requested by contacting Debra McNeill at (406) 596-0002 or debramcneillcfa@gmail.com.

The Ruby Valley Medical Center will celebrate its Grand Opening on August 18th starting at 11am at the Medical Center's main entrance at 321 Madison Street in Sheridan, Montana. The event will include self-guided tours of the Ruby Valley Medical Center, speakers and a ribbon cutting ceremony, refreshments and commemorative gifts.

The Ruby Valley Medical Center is the culmination of a years of planning and development to provide the residents of the Ruby Valley with a healthcare facility that meets regulatory standards, provides current and upcoming healthcare technologies such as telemedicine, and allows for growth of services. The Ruby Valley Hospital's current facility, which was opened in 1964, is no longer able to meet the healthcare needs of the residents of the Ruby Valley.

The Ruby Valley Medical Center was built with a \$9,950,000 loan from the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development Community Facilities Program (USDARDCF), \$2,500,000 raised by the Ruby Valley Healthcare Foundation and years of ongoing support by the Ruby Valley Hospital Auxiliary. The USDARDCF loan will be financed at 2.375% over 37 years. New equipment for the Ruby Valley Medical Center cost \$1,500,000. The equipment purchases were funded by a \$1,100,000 loan from the USDARDCF financed at 2.375% over 15 years and a \$400,000 donation from the Ruby Valley Healthcare Foundation.

The Ruby Valley Medical Center is a critical access hospital with five in-patient beds, two observation beds, in-house CT and radiology diagnostic imaging, and laboratory. The Medical Center's emergency department has expanded to three trauma rooms and has added a decontamination area. The new helistop pad will provide much more efficient access to helicopter medical transport for patients needing emergency surgical or specialized care. The new clinic includes seven examination rooms plus areas for visiting specialists and telemedicine. The physical therapy department has four dedicated private treatment rooms and a much larger gym facility.

Please visit the Ruby Valley Hospital's website at www.RubyValleyHospital.com for additional information about the current hospital and the Ruby Valley Medical Center. (The website will change to www.RVMC.org in late August.)

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About the Ruby Valley Medical Center

The Ruby Valley Medical Center is a critical access hospital and Montana designated trauma receiving facility serving Sheridan, Twin Bridges, Alder, Laurin, Silver Star, Virginia City, Nevada City and Waterloo. The Medical Center offers 5 in-patient beds, diagnostic imaging, laboratory, physical therapy, speech language pathology, swing bed, 24 hour emergency care and a highly qualified nursing staff. Our healthcare providers support patients through the Ruby Valley Medical Center and the clinic in Twin Bridges. The Ruby Valley Medical Center

also provides mobile emergency medical services through Ruby Valley Emergency Medical Services. The Ruby Valley Medical Center receives financial support from the Ruby Valley Healthcare Foundation and the Ruby Valley Medical Center Auxiliary. The Ruby Valley Medical Center is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

Links -

To download the full video file, please click on the appropriate link. After the video loads in your browser, right click on the image and select "Save video as...." from the pop-up menu. If you need a custom video format, please contact Debra McNeill at (406) 596-0002 or debramcneillcfa@gmail.com.

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