Civic center funding study near deadline

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Within a month Rapid City taxpayers are likely to know what avenues will be recommended to raise approximately $10 million for a new civic convention center.

At a meeting of a special committee on funding it was pointed out that by next week a decision will be in hand for determination of the city's needs.

Mayor Dan Roettig told the committee that the city's convention committee is attending to the direction that the city will move to provide a new civic center facility for Rapid City.

Another committee, a task force by the housing and design, has been busy over the past month reviewing possible sites and gathering information on design from other cities of comparable size.

At a breakfast meeting Friday morning, Willis Jones, the Rapid City architect, said that three or four sites have been considered in detail, and that the city can borrow to the $10 million needed for construction.

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Revenue found for civic center funds, Jones said, are not considered predictable, in a manner of speaking, and the committee is more interested in the cost of revenue raising than the actual cost of revenue.

As a result, a detailed source of revenue to finance the $10 million or more project is being considered, and the committee is more interested in the cost of revenue raising than the actual cost of revenue.

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City officials are expected to begin planning the new civic center facility as early as next week. The city is expected to make a decision on the location and design of the new facility by next month.

Variety before

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The Rapid City Variety Club has a variety of events planned this week, including a dinner theater, a benefit concert, and a fireworks display.

The dinner theater, scheduled for Wednesday night, will feature a variety of performers, including local and national talent. The benefit concert, scheduled for Thursday night, will feature a variety of performers, including local and national talent.

The city and the planning commission will be studying the other approaches.

Council okays general aviation airport work

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The city council has approved plans for the construction of a general aviation airport, which will include a hangar, a building for maintenance, and a parking area.

The airport will be located on the outskirts of the city, and will provide a much-needed facility for general aviation aircraft.

The airport will be constructed by the city, and will be funded by a combination of city and federal funds.

Under the NDR plan, the general aviation airport will be constructed, along with the convention center, to provide additional revenue to the city.

The NDR plan, which is currently under review by the city council, is expected to be completed within the next few months.