

2012 Major Project Accomplishment

Project Name: Great Plains Interagency Dispatch Center

State:	South Dakota	CMFC or CMII funds:	\$ 1,900,000
National Forest:	Black Hills	Other funds:	\$ 211,503
		Total Project:	\$ 2,111,503

Project Purpose/Objectives: Design and construction of a new full service facility to house the Great Plains Interagency Dispatch Center (GPDC). A new facility was needed since the GPDC was in a leased facility and the lease was scheduled to terminate with no renewal option. The GPDC provides interagency dispatch services for federal and state agencies in South Dakota, Nebraska and parts of Wyoming and North Dakota.



Main floor area at old facility.

Work Performed: Design and construction of a 6,085 square foot Dispatch Center located at the Forest Service Administrative Site south of Rapid City, SD. The building, constructed with Structural Insulated Panels, uses a geothermal heat exchange system and incorporates efficiency and sustainable features into the design.

Expected Benefits: To provide a modern, safe, and efficient government-owned building and work environment for the Great Plains Interagency Dispatch Center. Some of the new features include: a waste reduction plan, water efficient fixtures, energy efficient lighting, bio-based break room flooring, local stonework and natural day lighting windows.



Work Station in new facility.

Additional Information:

Partners: Nebraska NF, Nat. Park Service, Bureau of Indian Affairs, BLM, Fish & Wildlife Service, State of South Dakota, Crook & Weston Counties – State of Wyoming



New GPDC Building