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Platte County Commissioners Jason Brown, Kathy Dusenbery and Jim Plunkett have announced a new temporary location for County Commission Administrative Sessions. Beginning in September, Administrative Sessions will be relocated to the Platte County Resource Center, 11724 NW Plaza Circle (across from the KCI Expo Center). As of late August, the Commission Meeting Room in the Administration Building will be occupied by the Platte County Prosecutor's Office. They are vacating their usual space on the third floor of the Courthouse to allow a long-planned renovation of existing offices, which will include addressing heating and cooling issues and bringing the restroom facilities into ADA compliance.

"This renovation is part of the continuing update of our historic courthouse", said 1st District Commissioner Kathy Dusenbery. "Windows, roof repairs, and other heating and cooling issues have already been addressed. It's time we tackled the third floor, especially updating our restrooms to comply with federally mandated ADA regulations."

Relocating the Prosecutor's Office to the Commission Meeting Room will mean a significant savings in the cost of the project. "These are not our offices, they are the taxpayer's", commented Presiding Commissioner Jason Brown. "Anytime we can maximize our use of these buildings and save Platte County citizens money, it's the right thing to do."

The Commission anticipates holding Administrative Sessions at the Resource Center location through the end of the year but will keep the public updated throughout the process. Commissioners will continue to host other smaller meetings in their regular offices or other locations in the Administration Building. Jim Plunkett, 2nd District Commissioner added, "We will be in a different location for our Administrative Sessions but it will be business as usual. We are just fortunate to have an alternate location that is centrally located and easily accessible for our citizens." September Commission Administrative Sessions are scheduled for Tuesday, September 6th and Monday, September 19th at 10:00 a.m.

The September 6th Administrative Session will include the Public Hearing to set the levy for:

- County General Fund
- Platte County Road District #1
- Platte County Drainage District #1.

Please check the county website @www.co.platte.mo.us for future updates and current County Commission schedules.