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NEWS RELEASE



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MEDIA ALERT: JUVENILE HALL GROUNDBREAKING

The County of Santa Cruz will host a groundbreaking ceremony to mark the beginning of the most significant renovation and improvement project in the 57-year history of the Santa Cruz County Juvenile Hall.

Located at 3650 Graham Hill Road, the project is funded substantially through Senate Bill 81 funding administered by the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) and represents a transformational investment in youth rehabilitation.

The project includes a new Multi-Use Recreation and Program Facility featuring a pre-engineered steel structure with a full gymnasium, restrooms, training and program rooms, storage, and equipment spaces. Renovations also encompass utility and infrastructure upgrades, accessible facilities, updated living and support areas, and the installation of a teaching garden and greenhouse to support a new Seed-to-Table vocational training program.

- **WHAT:** Juvenile Hall Renovation & Expansion Groundbreaking
- **WHEN:** Wednesday, May 28, 12:00 p.m.
- **WHERE:** 3650 Graham Hill Road, Felton

NOTE: Members of the media should assemble in the front lobby before being escorted to a secure area for the ceremony. Please arrive at 11:45 a.m. on the day of the event.