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MEMORANDUM

Date: January 23, 2026
To: Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission
From: Kevin Kuchenbecker, Historic Preservation Officer
Bonny Anfinson, Program Coordinator
Re: Dakotaland Museum Grant Allocation Change Request

The Dakotaland Museum was awarded a grant of \$7,805.00 in round one of 2025 for the acquisition of specialized archival supplies intended to preserve and store Gladys Pyle artifacts at both the Pyle House Museum and the Centennial Stone Church Center.

Planned purchases include shelving units for the Pyle House basement, including the following

- a horizontal drawer unit for the flat storage of large items such as blueprints, newspapers, and photographs,
- a vertical rack with tubes for quilts and other linens,
- padded hangers and garment covers,
- as well as various boxes and tissue paper.

Prior to the installation of any new shelving or storage solutions, the basement will need to be cleared up and organized.

The Projects Committee reviewed the request and recommended approval of reallocating granted funds for file cabinets, labor to install the units and supplies.

Recommended Motion:

Move to approve reallocating granted funds for file cabinets, labor to install the units and supplies.