

# COURT FACILITIES



**LE SUEUR COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER** Le Center, MN



**LEECH LAKE JUSTICE CENTER AND TRIBAL POLICE** Cass Lake, MN



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### LONG-RANGE VISION

*More than any other building design, government facilities help define and influence the image of our communities. Additionally, the long-term and dynamic nature of our government facilities means that these buildings are among the most enduring. They have long-term impacts on public space but must also be responsive to ever-changing service requirements. This broad influence and reflection of service and community value requires a well-defined and collaborative design process combined with a clear plan for meeting long-range needs.*

**37**

COUNTY  
GOVERNMENT  
CLIENTS

**168**

TOTAL DESIGN  
AWARDS

**200**

GOVERNMENT  
PROJECTS  
NATIONWIDE

### DESIGN INNOVATION

At BKV Group, the creative effort begins by embracing your functional requirements as well as the unique qualities and environment of the community and translating them into a project vision grounded in technical excellence and community meaning. It is a process involving community and facility visioning structured to establish consensus, enthusiasm, and support; a team of agency, department, community leadership, and designer working together. A successful project exhibits a high degree of functionality and use-driven planning and a high degree of sensitivity to the community in which it is located and serves. Design provides a path to balance an expression of community, functional excellence, and cost effectiveness.

### SUSTAINABILITY

The BKV Group team's sustainability approach is centered on a research based comparative design process in which each sustainability option is assessed for economic as well as environmental payoff. This comparative basis allows you to make sustainability decisions early in the project development and to ground those decisions real economic value. Our process understands the need for leaders to support their decisions well enough to withstand public scrutiny.

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH

BKV Group is dedicated to working with counties to responsibly and effectively build facilities that speak to the heart of the community. A key component of public project implementation is often funding and community support. Lack of community support may be attributed either to a plan, which does not adequately understand the needs and vision of the community, or a plan which has been poorly understood by the community. Our team utilizes a wide range of tools in determining community opinions as well as disseminating the critical supportive information to educate the public on the project concept. BKV Group understands successful public design extends beyond the building's walls and into the broader context of community.



**WRIGHT COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER** Buffalo, MN



**PINE COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER** Pine City, MN

**5**

PRACTICE  
SITES

**41**

YEARS OF  
OPERATION

**200+**

EMPLOYEES

BKV GROUP IS A HOLISTIC DESIGN FIRM PROVIDING ARCHITECTURE, ENGINEERING, INTERIOR DESIGN, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION.



# ENRICHING LIVES AND STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES

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