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### **Fairfield County Commissioners Hold New Jail & Public Safety Facility Dedication**

**Lancaster, Ohio** – The Fairfield County Commissioners formally dedicated the new Jail & Public Safety Facility today. The dedication marks the completion of the two-phase project which broke ground in November of 2015. A ribbon cutting was held in June prior to moving in the Sheriff’s Office and inmates.

The St. Mary’s youth choir sang the national anthem and proclamations were presented by various local and state entities. A time capsule was placed in the corner stone of the new building. Items included in the time capsule include construction contracts, Sheriff’s artifacts, and newspapers from today. It is estimated that 75 people attended the ceremony.

Commission President Steve Davis stated, “The new facility combines most of the Sheriff’s operations into one, modern location from four previous, outdated locations. This provides efficiency for the public and improves compliance with state regulations. We are all pleased to see the project completed on time and on budget.”

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