

November 20, 2023

Sheriff Bob Fletcher
Ramsey County Sherriff's Office
425 Grove Street
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Re: Conditional Licensing Order Review

Dear Sheriff Fletcher:

The Department of Corrections (DOC) has received and reviewed your November 9, 2023, response regarding the Ramsey County Adult Detention Center (ADC). The DOC requested this information to evaluate the release of the Ramsey County ADC from the DOC conditional license order, which was originally issued on February 3, 2023.

Based on the information submitted by the Ramsey County Sheriff's Office (specifically the Ramsey County Action Plan for Release of a Conditional Licensing Order and the Ramsey County ADC Staffing Plan for 2024-2025), in conjunction with the DOC's on-site inspection of the Ramsey County ADC in September 2023, the DOC is lifting the conditional license order effective November 30, 2023. At that time, the Ramsey County ADC may return to full operations, and will no longer be subject to the reduced capacity and operational bed capacity limits imposed by the February 2023 order. On November 30, 2023, Ramsey County ADC's approved capacity will be 460 and operational bed capacity will be 414 in accordance with Minn. R. 2911.0330 and 2911.0360.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to facility inspector Jacob Nelson at jacob.t.nelson@state.mn.us or 651-440-3126.

Sincerely,



Paul P. Schnell, Commissioner
Minnesota Department of Corrections

Cc: William Finney, Undersheriff, Ramsey County Adult Detention Center
Trista Martinson, Chair, Ramsey County Board of Commissioners
Greg Huska, Inspector General, Department of Corrections

