

REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE
Pursuant to P.A. 84 of 2015
Article V, Section 945
Central Michigan Correctional Facility Visiting Room Capacity

Sec. 945. The department shall investigate options for increasing the visiting capacity at Central Michigan Correctional Facility – St. Louis in order to ease visiting room overcrowding. The department shall submit a report by April 1 to senate and house of representatives appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the senate and house fiscal agencies, the legislative corrections ombudsman, and the state budget director on progress being made to address visiting room overcrowding.

On August 18, 2015 a Miscellaneous Operating Project (MOP) number 708008-15 for \$500,000.00 was approved to increase the capacity of the visiting room located at Central Michigan Correctional Facility – St. Louis.

On December 11, 2015 a contract was approved for Professional Service Contractor, WTA Architects, to design and develop the expansion of the current visiting room.

On February 17, 2016 DTMB was authorized to direct the contractor, WTA Architects, to proceed with the design. A 50% Design Review Meeting is expected to be scheduled by the end of March 2016.

Targeted milestones are as follows:

1. Bid Day – May 11, 2016
2. Start of Construction – Mid-July, 2016
3. Substantial Completion – Mid-December, 2016