

**Organization:** Blaine County Seniors Council, Inc., dba The Senior Connection

**Project Title:** Senior Friendly Bathroom

**Grant Amount:** \$25,000

**1) Objectives & Outcomes:** A bathroom that is both handicap accessible and able to accommodate family/caregiving assistance with a focus on mobility and dignity

**2) Impact:** This was such a needed addition to our facility. As you might guess, we have a few members with mobility issues and being able to get the assistance they need away from the crowd protects their dignity. It is also much easier for their caregivers to help when they have more room to work with.

Lottie is a private caregiver who brings in her client for lunch and exercise class. “This was such a huge addition for us. There are a lot of female caregivers around with male clients and when we are taking them to activities around town we have to plan on where there is a bathroom that can accommodate us. Having this one here and not having to have someone help us clear out the men’s bathroom so I can help my client is wonderful. “

**3) Photos:** sink & toilet; toilet with riser added; shower



**4) Budget:**

<b>Expenses</b>	<b>Amount requested from</b>	<b>WRWCF</b>	<b>Actual Expenditures</b>
General Conditions			1,675
Liability Insurance			200
Plumbing			7,000
Electrical			2,500
Flooring			3,000
Painting/Finishes			1,000
FFE (shower, mirror, etc.)/appliances			2,000
Door Work			1,000
Framing and Walls			4,000
Tear out			325
Labor			2,500
Builder’s Fee			2,500
		\$25,000	\$27,700

