Construction Begins On Pawnee City Assisted Living Facility (KLZA)-- Work is underway to construct the new Pawnee City Assisted Living Facility in Pawnee City.

AHRS Construction in Bern is building the new \$3.5 million project.

The 14,700 square foot structure will offer 22 resident units of assisted living with licensing for 24 beds.

USDA Rural Development is providing nearly \$3.2 million to the City of Pawnee City in loans and a grant. The Pawnee City Development Corporation will provide \$200,000 and nearly \$123,000 has been donated towards the project.

A \$2.9 million Rural Development loan will be repaid over 40 years and a \$147,500 loan will be repaid over two years. A grant of more than \$102,000 was also provided.

Plans for the project were originally approved in the fall of 2012.

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