

## Duties and Role of Prison Development Commission (PDC)

Prison Development Commission Meeting

September 8, 2015

Source: Utah Code Sections 63A-5-225, 63B-25-101, 63C-16-203

- advise and consult with the Division of Facilities Construction and Management (DFCM) as DFCM oversees the design and construction of new correctional facilities
- consult with, make recommendations to, and receive reports from DFCM (as requested by the PDC) regarding the new correctional facilities project
  - specifically, the statute requires DFCM, in determining contract types for the new correctional facilities project, to consult with and consider recommendations from the PDC or the PDC's designee
- receive reports from the project manager, or person with a comparable position, under contract with DFCM, as requested by the PDC
- provide a recommendation to the State Bonding Commission on the timing and amount of the issuance of bonds for the new correctional facilities project (State Bonding Commission is required to request and consider PDC's recommendation before issuing bonds)
- undertake any other action the PDC considers appropriate to support or help facilitate the successful completion of the new correctional facilities project
- may meet as many times as the PDC or its chairs consider necessary or advisable
- may hire or direct the hiring of one or more consultants or experts to assist the PDC in fulfilling its responsibilities

The PDC may *not* consider or evaluate future uses or development of the Draper site