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### Financing Details:

- No new taxes will be levied to fund the County's share.
- County funding consists of approximately \$36 million (79.3%) from borrowing, secured by the County's full faith and credit, and \$12.5 million (20.7%) from federal funding, tax-exempt bond earnings, and approved county resources.

In 2023, Moody's Investors Service, a well-known credit rating agency, announced that it had upgraded Benton County's credit rating to Aa1 from Aa2. The Aa1 rating is one of the top ratings within Moody's Investors Service credit rating scale. The upgrade to Aa1 reflects Benton County's strong financial position, which has been steadily improving in recent years.

This is due to the County's strong revenue growth and careful budgeting practices.

State has pledged \$37 million covering 50% of Courthouse's estimate.

Benton County's share is \$48.5 million, including 50% of the

courthouse cost and the other 50% of the DA office.

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