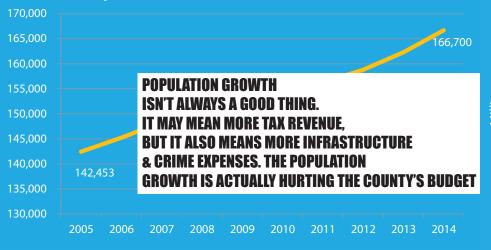
# Sioux Falls Growing Rapidly

Population Estimate 166,700



#### **Record Construction**



## **New and Expanding Businesses**

ALCOM, LLC **Interstates Companies** Abilene Machine **Concrete Materials** Dakota Beverage Spee-Dee Delivery **DocuTAP** THE GOLF COURSE HOTEL IS BEING PAID FOR

Midcontinent **Communications** Montgomery's Furniture **Plains Commerce Bank Elmwood Golf Course Hotel** Walmart Schools

BY TAXPAYERS. THIS IS NOT A PR

**EXPANSION** 

### **Adding Quality Jobs**



# City of Sioux Falls

## **Outstanding Debt Is Declining**



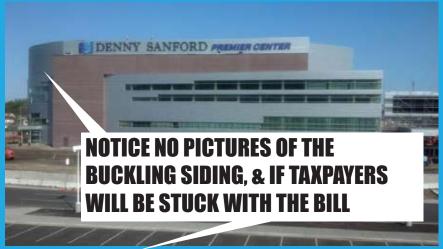
# "Local Leaders Are Making Stuff Happen"

-CNN

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# MORE LIKE 'FORCING' THINGS TO HAPPEN

#### **Events Center**



Opening on time and within budget!

#### **Indoor Aquatics Center**





Coming Soon!
Paid for with Cash

FALSE! THIS IS BEING PAID FOR BY A REPAYMENT ON A LEVEE BOND THAT WE STILL HAVE TO PAY OFF.

# Public/Private Partnerships





**Everybody Wins!** 

#### Downtown/Falls Park



# Investing in Neighborhoods



Affordable Housing



GRANT GIVEN TO THE CHAIR OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION. HUGE CONFLICT OF INTEREST. The Citizens Speak
We Hear Them Loud and Clear

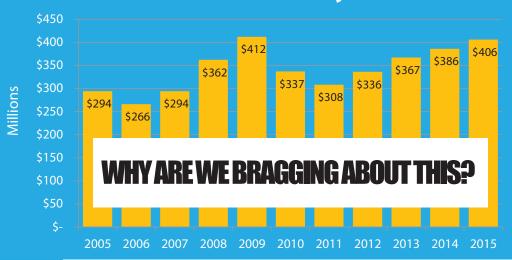
THEN WE ARREST THEM

# Transit System Issues Must Be Addressed Now

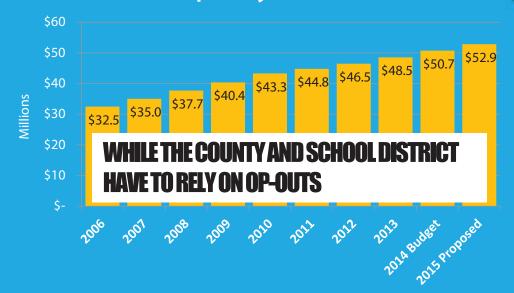
- Grow fixed route services
- Stabilize transit system financials
  - 4% increase in general fund operating support
  - \$750K in sales tax capital investment
  - Bus replacement "bubble" starts 2019
  - Federal funding is dwindling away

PLENTY OF MONEY FOR PLAY THINGS'
BUT NO MONEY FOR HELPING THE DISABLED

# Second Largest Budget in Our History



### 2015 Property Tax Revenue



"Able to Do on a State and Local Level What Washington Is Failing to Do"

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BECAUSE WASHINGTON ACTUALLY FOLLOWS THE CONSTITUTION?