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Subject: shelter question

Attachments: 12-29-23 Meeting Pre-Notes.docx The attachment is denied pursuant to

5 ILCS 140/7(1)(f)

Good morning and Happy New Year!

We are working on a plan in case McLean County were to receive a bus of immigrants. We'd have no notice of where or when we'd get a bus, how many people would be on it, or how many (if any) people would choose to stay here instead of proceeding to an intake center. I've attached a document of what we have figured out so far; there are gaps. The biggest one is identifying a place that could be used as a shelter if more than a handful of individuals would choose to stay. There would be minimum requirements for a facility that include having adequate sleeping area, restrooms, showers, and a cooking space with at least a microwave; each community may have additional code requirements.

I'm reaching out to you to see if there are any spaces rurally that could possibly be used. You may need to ask your mayor/chairperson. We'd work with community agencies to provide supplies, including food cots and bedding as well as social services. I believe this could be a "hot" topic so request that you treat this as "For Your Official Information" and not share this with those that don't need to know.

Thank you for all you do!

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