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**Vocational training at hand**



MATT STENSLAND/STAFF

**Kevin Kleckler**, who leads the vocational technology program for the Hayden district, points out Tuesday some of the features of the Babson-Carpenter Career and Technical Education Center. The school district is hosting an open house Saturday to show off the new \$1.6 million facility. See story on page 4.

**County tightens Wall's belt**

**Commissioners limit Sheriff's Office overtime, vehicle use**

**Melinda Dudley**  
 PILOT & TODAY STAFF

**STEAMBOAT SPRINGS**

County commissioners unanimously voted Tuesday to cut back Routt County Sheriff's Office overtime and county vehicle use for the rest of 2008, in what Commissioner Nancy Stahoviak called a "last-ditch effort" to get the department's budget in line.

Effective Nov. 23, overtime may not be paid to any Sheriff's Office employee, except on-call investigators, and the Sheriff's Office is limited to 16,000 miles in its use of county vehicles between today and the end of the year, according to the resolution approved by the commissioners.

Stahoviak said the steps proved necessary after it

became clear the Sheriff's Office still would exceed its 2008 budget, despite an \$80,000 supplemental allocation approved for the department only two weeks ago.

After the Nov. 7 accounts payable and Nov. 15 payroll were processed, county finance staff informed the county commissioners that if expenditures continue at their current rate, the Sheriff's Office and the

Routt County Jail still will be over budget at the end of the year for operations and personnel.

Sheriff Gary Wall called the restrictions unrealistic, saying the department's overtime expenditures and mileage aren't "optional." The Sheriff's Office projected about 25,000 in mileage for

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