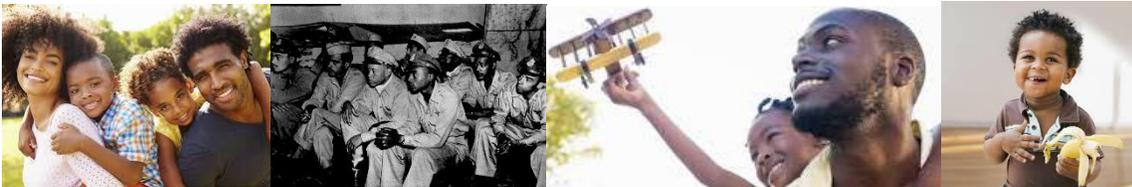




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Leading the Way by Ensuring Equal Access to Justice

The 2019 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide



"My humanity is bound up in yours, for we can only be human together."

- Desmond Tutu

Kimberly Baxter
Director, Iowa Accountability Program

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Dear Friends:

Since 2005, the Iowa Accountability Program (IAP) has been involved in many initiatives behind the scenes to help the Iowa Judicial Branch achieve its mission of ensuring equal access to justice for all. IAP values our relationships with the community as the key to our work at the forefront of the state's court innovation efforts. One of our key initiatives, the *Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide*, enhances relationships between the African American community, the Courts and other system professionals.

We are excited to present the *2019 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide*, the only statewide African American Resource Guide in Iowa! This annual resource continues to be a sought after resource for thousands, from community members and leaders to U.S. Congress members!

Over the past fourteen years, the *Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide* has grown to recognize the countless unique goods and services that Iowa's African American population has to offer. This edition alone showcases nearly 600 amazing African American businesses, organizations, elected officials, consultants, physicians, services, places of worship and more throughout Iowa! This has resulted in greater connections between African American community members and others across the state.

Each year, we receive positive feedback on our efforts and look forward to making an even greater impact this year. It is through these connections and partnerships that we are able to provide the valuable resource.

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Thank you for reading, and please feel free to share the *2019 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide* with family, friends, and associates.

Sincerely,

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Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide

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History of African Americans in Iowa



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African Americans have had a rich and influential position in Iowa's history. The first African Americans arrived in Iowa around 1838, coming to help settle the territory. Although a Free State, Iowa established strict codes, called Organic Codes, in order to discourage African American migration. Despite restrictions, African Americans continued to inhabit the area, albeit in limited numbers.

Though the state placed regulations that discriminated against African Americans, many Abolitionists lived in Iowa. Such people participated in the Underground Railroad by creating posts all around the state. Many African Americans passed through Iowa on their way to Canada, some staying behind to make Iowa their home.

After the Civil War, African American migration increased. Many individuals came looking for jobs, finding work in coal mines, meat packing plants, and railroad companies. Buxton, in Monroe County, was created due to the influx of African Americans towards the coal industry. Although never formally a town, Buxton – an integrated community – was 75 percent African American. While a mining community, many African Americans held professional positions such as dentists, doctors, and lawyers. Buxton and its mining facilities closed in the early

1920's as the mining industry in the area began to collapse. However, the importance of its legacy helped to further African American achievements in Iowa.

The state has also nurtured and educated some of America's most prestigious African American leaders. Such leaders include famous inventor and scientist, Dr. George Washington Carver. Dr. Carver was educated at Iowa State University and is known for his development in agriculture. Fredrick D. Patterson, the founder of the United Negro College Fund and former president of the Tuskegee Institute, is another student of Iowa State University. On August 20, 2010, Romonda D. Belcher became the first African American female to be appointed as a judge in the state of Iowa. In addition, there have been several professional athletes, politicians, and activists that have once called Iowa their home.

Furthermore, Iowa has been a national leader in civil rights decisions from the bench. In *Re Matter of Ralph* (1839), the Iowa Supreme Court rejected slavery saying that the U.S. Constitution "extends equal protection to men of all colors and conditions." This was almost 20 years before the Dred Scott Decision, in which slaves were determined to not be protected by the U.S. Constitution. In *Clark vs. Board of Directors* (1868), the Iowa Supreme Court ruled that segregated schools were against the law, almost 100 years before *Brown vs. Board of Education* (1954) came to the same decision. Finally, in *Coger vs. the Northwest Union Packet Co.* (1873), the Iowa Supreme Court ruled that public accommodations must serve all people equally, regardless of color. This decision came nearly 100 years before *Heart of Atlanta Motel vs. United States* (1964).



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African American Stats & Facts

According to the United States Census Bureau, 3.4% of Iowa’s population was African American in 2017.

Top 5 Cities: African American Population in 2018	
Des Moines	23,727
Davenport	11,939
Waterloo	10,600
Cedar Rapids	8,307
Iowa City	5,393

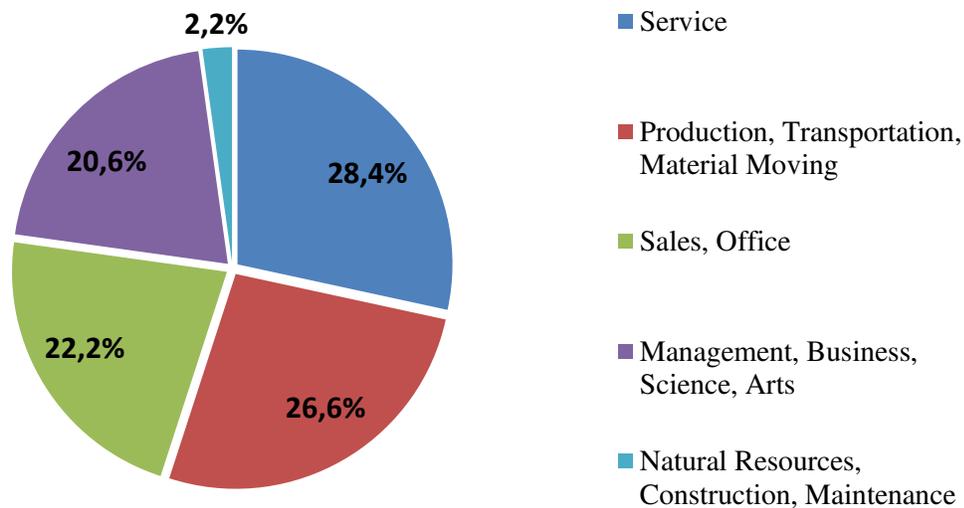
Top 5 Counties: African American Population in 2018	
Polk	30,229
Scott	13,553
Black Hawk	11,811
Linn	10,863
Johnson	9,220

Source: United States Census Bureau, 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

The State Data Center of Iowa & the Iowa Commission on the Status of African Americans released a report in February 2018 that highlighted key statistics and trends seen in Iowa’s African American communities. In 2016, 82.3% of Iowa’s African Americans had at least a high school education, 19.9% had earned a bachelor’s degree and 6.6% had earned a graduate or professional degree. Since the 1999-2000 school year, African American enrollment has increased 51.1% and currently represents 6.0% of Iowa’s school enrollment.

African Americans have also made significant contributions to Iowa’s workforce (see chart below for industry types). The median income for African American households in 2016 was \$27,883. In 2012, there were 4,918 African American-owned firms in Iowa, a 344.7% increase from 1992. In addition, as of 2016, there were 2,001 Iowan African American veterans of the U.S. Armed Forces.

Industry Types for Iowa's African American Workforce



Source: State Data Center of Iowa - African-Americans in Iowa: 2017

For further information on the history of the African American community in Iowa, please consult:

2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates. U.S. Census Bureau. Retrieved from: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/community_facts.xhtml

African-Americans in Iowa: 2018. (February 2018) – Produced by the State Data Center of Iowa & the Iowa Commission on the Status of African-Americans (ICSAA). Available online at the State Data Center of Iowa website.

African American Museum of Iowa - Located in Cedar Rapids (see p. 15 for contact information)

Outside In: African-American History in Iowa, 1838-2000 (2001) – Available at the State Historical Bldg. Bookstore (E. 6th & Locust St., Des Moines, IA)

Ames



- Photo courtesy of CityofAmes.org

“Right Place. Great Times.”

Established: 1864

County: Story

Current Mayor: John Haila

Total population: 65,005

African American population: 1,729 (2.7%)

Nearest City with a population 200,000 +: Omaha, NE (172 miles)

Nearest City with a population 1 million +: Chicago, IL (409.2 miles)

Attractions: Iowa State University, Brunner Art Museum, Camp Hantesa, Ciccotti Art Glass, Coldwater Golf Links, Ames Historical Society, Farm House Museum, The Maintenance Shop, Octagon Center for the Arts, Reiman Gardens, Boone Scenic Valley Railroad (near Ames).

African American History in Ames: Famous scientist and inventor Dr. George Washington Carver attended Iowa State University and graduated in 1896, becoming the first African American to attend the university. Dr. Carver is known best for his experimentations and inventions in agriculture, particularly with peanuts.

Originally from Oklahoma, James Banning moved to Ames, IA in 1919 where he attended Iowa State University. He was the first African American to obtain a license from the U.S. Department of Commerce and fly coast to coast – from Los Angeles, CA to Long Island, NY.

Jack Trice Stadium, of Iowa State University, is named in recognition of its first Black athlete, Jack Trice. Mr. Trice entered the university in 1922 and majored in animal husbandry.

Ames (& surrounding communities)

Services/Organizations

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Attorneys & Legal Resources

***Legal Aid Society of Story County**
(Free legal assistance for low-income residents of Story County, IA. Must meet eligibility requirements to qualify.)
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(Supporting a broad range of students, faculty, staff, alumni and community constituents to build a model of inclusion that impacts every aspect of campus life and gives voice to all members of the university community. The Division's efforts are aimed at enhancing the living, working, and learning experiences from central campus throughout Central Iowa and beyond.)
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(Assisting youth from low income families to be successful)

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Email: omsa@iastate.edu

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Passion Academy

(Career exploration program for 6th and 7th grade students of color)

Dr. Angela Shaw, Co-Chair

Ellen Johnsen, Co-Chair

*Iowa State University

2577 Food Science Building

Ames, IA 50011

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(Providing parent support and education, refugee services, disability services, mental and behavioral health services, residential treatment and foster care and adoption services.)

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Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.
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0355 Memorial Union
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Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
Upsilon Nu Chapter
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Body of Christ Church
(Seeking to be the heart of God in our world as a multi-ethnic, free in Christ, & hospitable community of faith)
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Email: info@everyone.org
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Email 2: pastor@newbirthames.org

Website: www.newbirthames.org

Cedar Rapids



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“The City of Five Seasons”

Established: 1846

County: Linn

Current Mayor: Bradley G. Hart

Total population: 130,330

African American population: 8,307 (6.4%)

Nearest City of 200,000 +: Madison, WI (173.5 miles)

Nearest City of 1 million +: Chicago, IL (274.3 miles)

Attractions: The African American Museum of Iowa, Cedar Rapids Museum of Art, The History Center, Brucemore National Trust Historic Site, Indian Nature Center, Seminole Valley Farm, Ushers Ferry Historic Valley, Science Station, NewBo City Market, CSPS Hall, Coe College.

African American History in Cedar Rapids: Cedar Rapids received their first Black resident in the late 1800s and early 1900s. Many African Americans came to Cedar Rapids as a result of employment opportunities in a local railroad company.

African Americans remained in segregated communities due to strict race codes until the mid-1940s. During this time, racial disputes occurred as a result of discriminatory practices regarding public facilities. These incidents lead to a shift in more equal racial relationships and the establishment of a local NAACP chapter, as well as the eventual opening of facilities after protests.

In 1993, Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church members founded the African American Museum of Iowa. Originally housed in the church, the Museum moved to its current location in 2003.

Cedar Rapids (& surrounding communities)

Elected & Appointed Officials

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Larry Eason

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Services & Organizations

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Attorneys & Legal Resources

***Iowa Legal Aid**

(Free legal assistance to low-income Iowans)
317 7th Avenue SE, Suite 404
Cedar Rapids, IA 52401
Phone: (800) 532-1275 (Toll Free)
Phone 2: (800) 992-8161 (for ages 60+)
Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

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Business Consultants & Development

Regional Economic Development Institute (RED-I)

(Empowering & networking with African
American businesses)
Dwayne E. Daniels, Chairman of the Board
375 Collins Road NE, Suite 103
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402
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Fax: (877) 855-3122
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Website: www.red-i.org

(C)

College & University Affiliations

Black Awareness Cultural Organization (BACO)

(Promoting awareness & support for African American students.)

*Cornell College

600 1st Street SW

Mount Vernon, IA 52314

Phone: (319) 895-4484

Fax: (319) 895-5951

Email: baco@cornellcollege.edu

Email 2: hcollier@cornellcollege.edu

Website: www.cornellcollege.edu/intercultural-life/index.shtml

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Cornell College Black Awareness Cultural Organization)

***Office of Intercultural Life**

(Educating the community on diversity and internationalization issues)

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Website: www.cornellcollege.edu/intercultural-life/index.shtml

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Cornell College Office of Intercultural Life)

Communications, Media, & Marketing

KHAS Radio

(To create a sense of community and networking for the African American community, where topics of health, wealth and lifestyle, education and community involvement can be realized. Musical genres such as R&B, Blues, Jazz, Gospel, radio friendly hiphop, etc. will be played.)

Morgan Kimbrough, Owner/Manager

1131 33rd Street NE

Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

Phone: (319) 389-6531

Email: khasradio@gmail.com

Website: www.khasbd.com

Community Centers & Services

African American Museum of Iowa

(Preserving, exhibiting, and teaching the African American heritage of Iowa)

LaNisha Cassell, Executive Director

55 12th Avenue SE

Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

Phone: (319) 862-2101

Email: lcassell@blackiowa.org

Website: www.blackiowa.org

Amani Community Services

(Culturally specific domestic violence and sexual assault agency services for African Americans in Black Hawk and Linn Counties)

Lisa Ambrose, Executive Director

1073 Rockford Road SW, Suite L

Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

Phone: (319) 804-0741

Phone 2: (888) 983-2533 (Toll Free)

Fax: (319) 232-5008

Email: lisa@amani-cs.org

Website: www.amani-cs.org

***ASAC Multicultural Counseling Services**

(Outpatient substance abuse treatment & counseling for those needing treatment)

317 7th Avenue SE, Suite 203

Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

Phone: (319) 247-4873

Fax: (319) 247-4877

Email: gkelley@asac.us

Website: www.asac.us

At Your Service Corridor Community

(Helping small businesses and entrepreneurs with their overwhelming to do list so they can focus on their business needs)

Wanda Johnson, Owner

P.O. Box 11782

Cedar Rapids, IA 52410

Phone: (319) 804-9489

Email: corridorcommunity@gmail.com

***Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cedar Rapids & East Central Iowa**

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Cedar Rapids, IA 52405

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Email: brittiania@beabigcr.org

Website: www.beabigcr.org

***Cedar Rapids Civil Rights Commission**

(Addressing issues of discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodation, credit, and education)

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Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

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***Jane Boyd Harambee House**

(Family support programming, rental assistance, resource center, clothing closet, computer and phone access, & weekly bread distribution operating under the Jane Boyd Community House)

Megan Isenberg, Executive Director

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Cedar Rapids, IA 52403

Phone: (319) 366-1408, ext. 1300

Fax: (866) 300-8786

Website: www.janeboyd.org

***Tanager Place**

(Providing services related to health, outdoor education, mentoring, and youth)

Okpara Rice, CEO

2309 C Street SW

Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

Phone: (319) 365-9164

Email: orice@tanagerplace.org

Website: www.tanagerplace.org

***Visiting Angels Home Care**

(Serve the disabled/elderly with non-medical, in-home care needs from 1 to 24 hours)

Anthony Betters, Jr., Owner/Operator

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Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

Phone: (319) 320-2069

Fax: (319) 531-7636

Email: abetters@visitingangels.com

Website:

www.visitingangels.com/cedarrapids/home

***Waypoint Services for Women, Children, and Families - Cedar Rapids Campus**
(Homeless and housing program in Linn County, Domestic Violence Victim Services program, and Child Care Center)
318 5th Street SE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52401
Phone: (319) 365-1458, ext. 6159
Phone 2: (800) 208-0388 (Crisis Line)
Phone 3: (319) 363-2093 (Crisis Line)
Fax: (319) 365-2263
Email: nelly@waypointservices.org
Website: www.waypointservices.org

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Educational Resources

The Academy for Scholastic and Personal Success
(Educating and encouraging students to fulfill their academic and personal potential)
Dr. Ruth E. White, Founder/Executive Director
200 2nd Street SE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52401
Phone: (319) 775-0740
Email: theacademysps@gmail.com
Website: www.theacademysps.com

Leaders Believers Achievers Foundation
(Inspiring hope in tomorrow's leaders, believers and achievers)
Alphonse O'Bannon, Jr., Executive Director
2320 E Avenue NE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402
Phone: (319) 533-5095
Email: al@lbajourney.org
Website: www.lbajourney.org

Transitions Lab University Prep School
(University admission consultants; nonprofit organization assisting students)
Alphonse O'Bannon, Head Coach/Leadership Specialist
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Cedar Rapids, IA 52402
Phone: (319) 533-5095
Email: alphonse.obannon@transwebglobal.com
Website: www.transitionslab.com
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www.studentenrichmentprograms.com

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Financial Services & Insurance

Identity Aegis
(Offering user-friendly training, tools and implementations for protection of personal information; mastering cyber-hygiene)
Beth Parker, Owner
1635 2nd Avenue SE (Mail Only)
Cedar Rapids, IA 52403
Phone: (319) 431-0710
Email: nubetko@gmail.com
Website: <https://parkerce.wearelegalshield.com>

IVEST Solutions
(Financial Services & Insurance)
Dwayne E. Daniels, Owner & Representative
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Phone: (319) 363-0647
Fax: (877) 855-3122
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Public Involvement Unlimited, LLC
(Real estate consulting, specializing in preventing foreclosure)

Lawrence Bryant, Owner
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Cedar Rapids, IA 52402
Phone: (319) 365-3335
Phone 2: (319) 210-1101 (Cell)
Fax: (319) 373-8695
Email: ltbryant@pi-unltd.com

Universal Lending Corp.

James Whitfield, Sr., Branch Manager
375 Collins Road NE, Suite 103
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402
Phone: (319) 393-0100
Phone 2: (319) 651-6284 (Cell)
Fax: (866) 383-6999
Email: whitfield_james@msn.com
Website: www.ulciowa.com

Fraternalities & Sororities

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Nu Chi Lambda Chapter
(Develops leaders, promotes brotherhood and academic excellence, while providing service and advocacy for our communities)
Dr. Carlos C. Grant, Chapter President
P.O. Box 11921
Cedar Rapids, IA 52410
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Organizations

Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa

F. & A. M. And Jurisdiction, Inc.
Lynn Lewis, Jr., MWGM
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4228 Topaz Avenue NW
Cedar Rapids, IA 52405
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Email: mwphglia@gmail.com
Website: www.mwphglia.org

Mount Olive Lodge #17

Free & Accepted Masons
Ramone Hemphill, WM
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Silver Leaf Chapter #5

Order of the Eastern Star, Prince Hall Affiliation

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Website: www.mwphglia.org

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Physicians & Surgeons

Surgical Oncology:

Vincent Reid, MD, FACS

(Medical Director, Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery, Division of Surgical Oncology & Endocrine Surgery, The University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics)

Hall-Perrine Cancer Center

701 10th Street SE

Cedar Rapids, IA 52403

Phone: (319) 369-4652

Fax: (319) 398-6874

Website: www.hallperrinecancercenter.org

Places of Worship & Choirs

Abundant Harvest Family Worship Center

Pastor Paul Moore

5580 Lucore Road (Mail Only)

Marion, IA 52302

-or-

601 Old Marion Road NE

Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

Phone: (319) 651-3640 (Cell)

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Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church

Elder Rufus Johnson, Pastor

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Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

Phone: (319) 365-0563

First Light Christian Fellowship

(Ministry of racial reconciliation/social justice)

Pastors Rufus & Betty Johnson

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Marion Christian Fellowship

(Ministry of racial reconciliation/social justice)

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Email: btoday@msn.com

Website: www.firstlightcr.org

Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church

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Email: mtzionmbc@msn.com
Website: www.mzmbccedarrapids.com

***New City Church**

Pastor Daniel Winn
Pastor Rod Dooley
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Phone: (319) 366-0755
Email: info@newcitycr.org
Website: www.newcitycr.org

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930 9th Street SE
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***St. Paul's United Methodist Church**

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Realtors & Real Estate

***Ruhl & Ruhl Realtors**

(Real Estate Transactions)
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1507 1st Avenue SE
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Light of the Heartland

(Soy Base and Natural Products - Soy Candles
and Soap Maker)
Shelby Humbles, Jr., President/Owner
1351 Hillside Drive NW
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(E-commerce business focused on authentic
sports and athletic apparel)
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Website: www.lucasegearonline.com

Davenport



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“Queen City of the West”

Established: 1836

County: Scott

Mayor: Frank Klipsch

Total population: 102,268

African American population: 11,939 (11.7%)

Nearest City with 200,000 +: Madison, WI (161.4 miles)

Nearest City with 1 million +: Chicago, IL (233.8 miles)

Attractions: River Center/Adler Theatre, Putnam Museum of History & Natural Sciences, Bix Beiderbecke Memorial Jazz Festival, Figge Art Museum, Vander Veer Botanical Park, Isle of Capri Casino, Jumers Casino & Hotel, Rhythm City Casino.

African American History in Davenport: The African American population of Davenport can be traced back to at least the 1830s. Davenport saw two major periods of African American migration: the first, in the years up to and just beyond the Civil War; the second, in the early 20th century. During the 19th century, African Americans fleeing both slavery and the Civil War came to Davenport since it was a major port on the Mississippi River, and ports in Missouri were deemed too hostile to migrants.

In the early 20th century, steamboats paddling up the Mississippi brought jazz musicians and others to river ports as far north as Davenport. Today, the Mississippi Valley Blues Society, headquartered in Davenport, is an organization promoting the knowledge and appreciation of blues music in the Quad Cities area.

Davenport (& surrounding communities)

Elected & Appointed Officials

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Auto Sales & Services

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(Car Lot)
Brandon Bea, Owner
17454 West 4th Street
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***LuJack's Northpark Auto Plaza**

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Davenport, IA 52806
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Business Consultants & Development

Cole Productions Security Consultants

(Security Consulting, Presentations, Safety
Audits, & Investigations)
Michael Cole, CEO
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Dellmar Consulting, LLP

(Located in Davenport, IA and Groveland, FL)
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Davenport, IA 52802
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Catering & Event Planning

Blckpearl Catering

(Full service catering & event planning)
Yolanda Jefferson, Executive Chef/Owner
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Davenport, IA 52804
Phone: (309) 631-1776
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or Yolanda Graves Jefferson)

R. Jacqueline Young Enterprises, LLC

(Event and conference planning & market research)

Jacqueline Young, President & Owner

2609 North Dittmer Street

Davenport, IA 52804

Phone: (563) 386-8109

Email: jacqueline@rjyoungenterprises.com

Communications, Media, & Marketing

***KALA-FM 88.5FM**

(10,000-watt broadcast radio station owned by St. Ambrose University)

David Baker, Program Director

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Website: www.kalafm.org

Visionary Arts Photography

Melvin L. Hawkins

1507 Harrison Street

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WGTV-LP (92.5FM)

Mark Jackson

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Rock Island, IL 61201

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Website: www.facebook.com/wgvtv925fm

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100 Black Men of the Quad Cities

(Mentoring Program)

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***Clinton Human Rights Commission**

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***Davenport Affirmative Action Advisory Commission**

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***Davenport Civil Rights Commission**

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www.cityofdavenportiowa.com/civilrights

***Family Resources, Inc.**

(Providing services for domestic violence or sexual abuse, human trafficking, homicide or other violent crimes)

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2800 Eastern Avenue
Davenport, IA 52803
Phone: (563) 326-6431
Phone 2: (866) 921-3354 (Crisis Line)
Fax: (563) 326-2013
Email: info@famres.org
Website: www.famres.org
Website 2: www.facebook.com/famres

***Lutheran Services in Iowa**

(Providing parent support and education, refugee services, disability services, mental and behavioral health services, residential treatment and foster care and adoption services.)
Emily Cornwell

Clinton:

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Clinton, IA 52732
Phone: (563) 243-8200
Fax: (563) 243-8210

Davenport:

111 West 15th Street
Davenport, IA 52803
Phone: (563) 322-7419
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Muscatine:

2107 Cedar Street
Muscatine, IA 52761
Phone: (563) 263-5170
Fax: (563) 288-6503

-or-

Muscatine Hopes
514 Cedar Street
Muscatine, IA 52761
Phone: (563) 263-5170
Phone 2: (563) 288-4171
Phone 3: (563) 288-4172
Fax: (563) 288-6503

Email: lsiowa@lsiowa.org

Website: www.lsiowa.org

Contractors & Construction

Overton's Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning

Jerry Overton
208 Northbrook Court
Davenport, IA 52806
Phone: (563) 386-1795

Rush Roll Off

Jarvis Rush, Owner
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Davenport, IA 52808
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Website: www.spannpestcontrol.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Spann's Pest Control)

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Educational Resources**Striving for Excellence**

(Health education to youth & adults)
Lashon Moore, WHNP-BC, ARNP
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Davenport, IA 52808
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Entertainment & Music**Beasley's Downtown Boxing Club**

(Non-profit boxing club for youth)
Brandon Bea, Owner
1037 West 3rd Street
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Dorian W. Byrd, Performing Arts Instructor & Presenter

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Imani Dance Studio

(Home of: Royal Dance Team, Midwest Dance Academy, and Imani Tandazo Danz. Rental space available.)
Tammy Reed, Studio Coordinator
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1601 North Marquette Street
Davenport, IA 52804
-or-
Studio Address:
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1220 Minnie Avenue
Davenport, IA 52802
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Mixxin Mel - Disc Jockey

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Des Moines



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“The State Capital”

Established: 1834

County: Polk

Mayor: Frank Cownie

Total population: 214,778

African American Population: 23,727 (11.0%)

Nearest City of 200,000 +: Omaha, NE (132 miles)

Nearest City of 1 million +: Kansas City, MO (189 miles)

Attractions: State Capital, Adventureland Park & Adventure Bay, Blank Park Zoo, Drake University, Drake Relays, Des Moines Botanical Center, Des Moines Performing Arts, Des Moines Art Center, Living History Farms, Des Moines Metro Opera (DMMO), Terrace Hill, Fort Des Moines Museum & Education Center, WWII Iowa Tuskegee Airmen Memorial at the Iowa Air Nat'l Guard, Iowa Juneteenth Observance, State Historical Building, Sleepy Hollow Sports Park, Prairie Meadows Race Track & Casino, I'll Make Me A World in Iowa.

African American History in Des Moines: Since its establishment, Des Moines, Iowa, has acted as a hub for economic, cultural, and educational growth for its African American citizens. Some of these achievements include the establishment of the first Iowa NAACP chapter, the National Bar Association, and Fort Des Moines, the first training facility in the nation open to officers of color.

Des Moines is also home of Susan M. Brown, a nationally famed leader in religious, political, and fraternal organizations.

Luther T. Glanton Jr., was the first African American Judge in Iowa. Willie Stevenson Glanton was the first African American legislator of Iowa. Romonda D. Belcher was appointed as the first African American female Judge in Iowa on August 20, 2010.

Established in 1894, the *Iowa State Bystander* was the first African American Newspaper West of the Mississippi. James B. Morris Sr. published and edited the *Iowa State Bystander* from 1922 to 1977. The *Iowa Bystander* was featured earlier this decade at the Smithsonian Museum and the White House, and to this day, remains the third oldest African American publication in its existence and the oldest West of the Mississippi.

Gary Lawson founded the Iowa Juneteenth Observance in 1990. Juneteenth is an international celebration of the end to slavery in America. Lawson spearheaded the passage of legislation, signed into law by Governor Tom Vilsack on April 11, 2002, designating the third Saturday in June as the official annual observance of Juneteenth in Iowa. Lawson also founded the Iowa African American Hall of Fame (IAAHF) in 1995, which has since been transferred to Iowa State University. The IAAHF recognizes African Americans who have significantly contributed to the quality of life in Iowa.

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Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: (515) 248-7521

Email: vaginsky@dmacc.edu

Website: www.facebook.com (DMACC Urban Campus International Club)

Communications, Media, & Marketing

Betty Andrews Media

(Marketing events & strategic communication)

Betty C. Andrews

1620 Pleasant Street, Suite 210

Des Moines, IA 50314

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Email: bettycandrews@yahoo.com

Email 2: info@bettyandrewsmedia.com

Website: www.bettyandrewsmedia.com

Courageous Fire

(Build, rebuild, equip, encourage, motivate through innovative, interactive programming. some of the ways are through motivational speaking, workshops, videos, books, 1:1 sessions, art, or music. Note: If you've utilized services through The Next Step Solution, LLC or Virtuous Woman ASAP, those programs ARE STILL AVAILABLE!)

3529 Dean Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50317

Phone: (515) 428-0077

Email: cfire2019@gmail.com

Website: www.facebook.com (Courageous Fire)

The Urban Experience Magazine

(Urban Family Magazine geared toward uplifting, empowering and educating African Americans in Des Moines and surrounding areas.)

Dwana Bradley

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Des Moines, IA 50316

-or-

4101 Amherst Street (Mail Only)

Des Moines, IA 50313

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Email: contactdsm@gmail.com

Website: www.theurbanexp.com

FLOministries

(Computer software training)
Rev. Dr. Carolyn Clinton King
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Des Moines, IA 50317
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His Love Radio

Amiete Clement
1168 22nd Street
Des Moines, IA 50311
Phone: (515) 333-9988
Email: ateima75@yahoo.com
Website: www.eatrael.org

Imagez Photo Studio

(Full service photography studio)
Bert Moody, Owner
P.O. Box 1514
Des Moines, IA 50305
Phone: (515) 223-6122
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Email: info@imagezphotostudio.com
Website: www.imagezphotostudio.com

Iowa Urban Media

(Printing services)
Dwana Bradley
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Media G

(Media Production, Creative and instructional
consultation and production services)
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Urbandale, IA 50322
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Publishing E A

(We help you with your book from start to
selling it. Also sells promotional items for
businesses)
Amiete Clement
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Say Something Productions

(Multimedia Production company with an
emphasis on the African American experience)
Abena Sankofa Imhotep
624 Euclid Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50314
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Secure Dreams, LLC

(Internet marketplace for outsourcing small
tasks)
Nathaniel Cobb, Owner
1303 Southwest 37th Street
Ankeny, IA 50023
Phone: (803) 466-6266
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Community Centers & Services**Alternative Care of Iowa**

(Providing Supported Community Living,
respite and residential services to individuals
with mental and intellectual disabilities in Polk
County.)
Anthony Tweh, Executive Director
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Des Moines, IA 50313
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Aspire Counseling Center, LLC

(Professional counseling that empowers diverse individuals, families, and groups to accomplish mental health, wellness, education, and career goals)

Kenneth D. Cameron, B.S., M.A., LMHC,
Owner

3520 Beaver Avenue, Suite D

Des Moines, IA 50310

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***Buy. Eat. Live Healthy.**

(Eat Smart, Spend Smart)

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Iowa State University Extension & Outreach

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Email: star01@iastate.edu

Email 2: kaj@iastate.edu

Website:

www.extension.iastate.edu/foodsavings

Website 2:

www.spendsmart.extension.iastate.edu

Central City Development Corporation

(Providing character, skill and leadership training to agencies, organizations and groups)

Tony Wilson, Director/Facilitator

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Des Moines, IA 50301

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Email: centralcitycdc@aol.com

Website: www.mrtonywilson.com

***Central Iowa Center for Independent Living (CICIL)**

(People with disabilities supporting people with disabilities to foster an integrated community)

Reyma McCoy McDeid, Executive Director

100 East Euclid Avenue, Suite 105

Des Moines, IA 50313

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Email: office@cicil.org

Website: www.cicil.org

***Central Iowa Shelter & Services**

(Providing low-barrier shelter, meals, & support services at no cost to adults experiencing homelessness to facilitate their move towards self-sufficiency)

Melissa O'Neil, CEO

1420 Mulberry Street

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Email: director@centraliowashelter.org

Website: www.centraliowashelter.org

Chief Robert Stanton

*Polk County Jail

1985 NE 51st Place

Des Moines, IA 50313

Phone: (515) 323-5400

Child Future International, Inc.

(Providing refugee and immigrant services to African populations in Polk County, such as: Interpretation through juvenile court and child welfare systems, Family Support Services, Employments and Youth Development as well as STEM programming with children from 5-18 years of age.)

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***Children & Families of Iowa**

(Dedicated to improving the lives of children and families throughout Iowa by providing services, such as: domestic violence prevention and intervention, teen programs, family support, early childhood development, mental health and substance abuse.)

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1111 University Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50314
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Concerned Citizens for Justice

(Support and Resource Referral Organization)
JoAnn Hughes
217 East Broad Street (Mail Only)
Des Moines, IA 50315
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Website: www.facebook.com (Concerned Citizens for Justice)

Creative Visions

(Human development center)
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***Crime Victim Assistance Division (CVAD)**

(Providing services and assistance to victims of violent crimes, including compensation for crime related expenses, victim notification and funding to victim service programming)

Janelle Melohn, Director
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Lucas State Office Building, Ground Floor
321 East 12th Street
Des Moines, IA 50319
Phone: (515) 281-5044
Fax: (515) 281-8199
Email: janelle.melohn@ag.iowa.gov
Website: www.iowaattorneygeneral.gov/for-crime-victims

***Des Moines Civil & Human Rights Commission**

(Advancing justice for all Des Moines residents through civil rights investigations, education, outreach, mediation, and litigation)
Joshua V. Barr, Esq., Director
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Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 283-4284
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Email: humanrights@dmgov.org
Website: www.humanrightsdsm.org
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www.facebook.com/dsmcivilhumanrights

***Des Moines Public Works**

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216 Southeast 5th Street
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The Directors Council

(A coalition of leaders collectively dedicated to improving the conditions of the individuals in the neighborhoods they serve, including programs such as: One Economy, African American Leadership Academy, Black Urban Professionals, I Am Des Moines, More in the Core, Youth Violence Prevention and African American Leadership Forum.)

Teree Caldwell-Johnson

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Website 2: www.facebook.com (The Directors Council Des Moines)

E A Travel, Inc.

(Providing travel and more)

Amiete Clement

1168 22nd Street

Des Moines, IA 50311

Phone: (515) 333-9988

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Website: www.eattravel.org

***Eddie Davis Community Center, Inc.**

(One Stop Shop for a variety of services including a food pantry, clothing closet, on-site meals, medical clinic, legal clinic, etc.)

Dr. Vicky Long Hill, Executive Director

1312 Maple Street

West Des Moines, IA 50265

Phone: (515) 277-1103

Fax: (515) 267-0144

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Ex-Cons for Social Change

(Provides critical thinking, social change, and letting go services for ex-cons and veterans)

Darrell Neal-Smith

8246 Harbach Boulevard (Mail Only)

Clive, IA 50325

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***Family Planning Council of Iowa**

(Administration of the Federal Title X Family Planning Program in Iowa)

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Website: www.fpcouncil.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Family Planning Council of Iowa)

Francis O. Boggus & Associates, LLC

(Community planning & development)

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Des Moines, IA 50310

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***Friends of Iowa Civil Rights, Inc.**

(Dedicated to educating on civil rights issues and recognizing individuals and businesses that make a significant contribution to civil rights in Iowa)

Dawn Peterson, Executive Director

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Des Moines, IA 50306

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Email: info@iowafriends.org

Website: www.iowafriends.org

Glory Kids

(After school program and 24-hour day care)

Amiete Clement, Owner

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Email: ateima75@yahoo.com

Website: www.eattravel.org

God Heartfelt Ministries

(Where Lives Are Certainly Changed! For change to be effective and Growth to be BORN Change must begin Inwardly to influence change Outwardly. Post-Incarceration Ministry.)

Talya Obumseli, Founder

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Des Moines, IA 50303

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Email: godheartfeltministries@yahoo.com

***Goodwill Industries of Central Iowa**

5355 Northwest 86th Street

Johnston, IA 50131

Phone: (515) 265-5323

Fax: (515) 265-0645

Website: www.dmgoodwill.org

Hope For Today

(Products and consulting)

Lynnette Holly

755 NE 56th Street (Mail Only)

Pleasant Hill, IA 50327

Phone: (515) 822-0254

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Integrated Treatment Services

(Mental health, substance abuse & recovery support services. Provider for Iowa's OWI classes & BHIS.)

Terry Sallis, Executive Director

Karen Sallis, Clinical Director

Administration Office & Primary Treatment Center

303 South 2nd Avenue W

Newton, IA 50208

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Fax: (641) 787-0063

Email: terry@itsnewton.com

Website: www.integratedtreatmentservices.org

***Iowa Accountability Program**

(Improving access to justice and the judicial handling of domestic violence cases)

Kimberly Baxter, Director

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1111 East Court Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50319

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***Iowa Civil Rights Commission**

(Enforcing anti-discrimination laws in the state of Iowa)

Grimes State Office Building

400 East 14th Street

Des Moines, IA 50319

Phone: (515) 281-4121

Fax: (515) 242-5840

Email: icrc@iowa.gov

Website: <https://icrc.iowa.gov>

***Iowa Coalition Against Domestic Violence (ICADV)**

(Providing education, advocacy and quality services to engage people in a movement to eliminate violence against women)

Laurie Schipper, Executive Director

6200 Aurora Avenue Suite 405E

Urbandale, IA 50322

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Email: admin@icadv.org

Website: www.icadv.org

***Iowa Coalition Against Sexual Assault (Iowa CASA)**

(Promoting a society free from sexual violence)

Shundrea Trotty, Technical Assistance Director

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Phone: (515) 244-7424

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Website: www.iowacasa.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Iowa Coalition Against Sexual Assault)

Iowa Commission on the Status of African Americans (ICSAA)

Kim Cheeks, Program Coordinator

*Iowa Department of Human Rights

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321 East 12th Street

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***Iowa Department of Human Rights**

Lucas State Office Building

321 East 12th Street

Des Moines, IA 50319

Phone: (515) 242-5655

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Email: humanrights@iowa.gov

Website: <https://humanrights.iowa.gov>

***Iowa Homeless Youth Centers (IHYC)**

(Basic shelter service and related programs for youth)

Andrew Allen, CEO

612 Locust Street

Des Moines, IA 50309

Phone: (515) 883-2379

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Email: yss@yss.org

Website: www.yss.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com (IHYCDSM)

Website 3: [@IHYCDSM](http://www.twitter.com)

Iowa Ivy Foundation

(To complete community programming, present educational and development programs, participate in and host charitable activities, and make distributions to other organizations that qualify as a 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code)

P.O. Box 21

Des Moines, IA 50301

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Knowledge Delivery Services, LLC

(Consulting & data processing)

Simon Geletta, Owner

1033 54th Street

West Des Moines, IA 50266

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Website: www.kdsol.com

Lampley Enterprises, LLC

(Event Management and Community Organization)

Carl Nathan Lampley

1021 Southeast 9th Street (Mail Only)

Des Moines, IA 50309

Phone: (515) 318-4413

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***Lutheran Services in Iowa**

(Providing parent support and education, refugee services, disability services, mental and behavioral health services, residential treatment and foster care and adoption services.)

Marcie James

Des Moines:

3116 University Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50311

Phone: (515) 271-7411

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-or-

Cottage Grove

3125 Cottage Grove

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Phone: (515) 274-4946

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Des Moines Refugee Center

3200 University Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50311

Phone: (515) 271-7335

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515 North Jefferson Way

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Phone: (515) 961-5210

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1714 North 4th Avenue E, Suite B

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: (641) 792-1542

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Email: lsiowa@lsiowa.org

Website: www.lsiowa.org

Nisaa African Family Services

(Serving victims of domestic abuse, sexual assault, homicide and trafficking within African immigrant and refugee communities in the state of Iowa.)

Hibo Jama, Program Director

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Des Moines, IA 50310

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Email: contact@nisaa-afs.org

Website: www.nisaa-afs.org

***Oakridge Neighborhood Services**

(Children Achieving and Families Thriving in a Safe and Secure Neighborhood)

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Website: www.oakridgeneighborhood.org

PharmServ Staffing

(Temporary & permanent pharmacy staffing services)

Felix Gallagher

4225 Fleur Drive, Suite 118

Des Moines, IA 50321

Phone: (515) 334-4293

Fax: (800) 332-9548

Email: info@pharmservstaffing.com

Website: www.pharmservstaffing.com

Website 2: www.amavenrx.com

***Polk County Crisis & Advocacy Services**

(Crisis intervention, violent crime response, and economic stability program)

Catherine Reaman-Gerdes, Supervisor

2309 Euclid Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 286-3600

Fax: (515) 286-2032

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www.polkcountyiowa.gov/cfys/services/crisis-advocacy-services

Tornezs

(Author/Spiritual Life Coach, Affiliated with The Zone of Comfort - Life Balance Center, LLC)

3829 71st Street, Suite B1

Urbandale, IA 50322

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Urban Dreams/Second Chances

(Out-Patient treatment, 12 - 48 - 96 Hour OWI Classes)

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***Urbandale Civil Rights Commission**

(Promotes cooperation between the City and municipal, business, and non-profit organizations to educate and remove prohibited discriminatory practices in the Urbandale community)

Jerry Tormey, Chair

John Konior, Director of Risk Management and Support

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Urbandale, IA 50322

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Website: www.urbandale.org

***West Des Moines Human Rights Commission**

Greta Truman

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West Des Moines, IA 50266

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Email: greta.truman@wdm.iowa.gov

Website: www.wdm.iowa.gov/humanservices

***West Des Moines Human Services**

(Providing assistance to low-income, elderly or disabled individuals in service area)

Althea Holcomb, Director

139 6th Street

West Des Moines, IA 50265

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Website:

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Willkie House, Inc.

(Developing character and self-esteem in young people through quality, evidenced based programming focusing on academic, social skill building, health and recreation with the ultimate vision to assist them in reaching their highest potential.)

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Des Moines, IA 50314

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***YMCA of Greater Des Moines**

Wellmark YMCA

501 Grand Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50309

Phone: (515) 282-9622

Phone 2: (515) 471-8518

Website: www.dmymca.org

***Young Women's Resource Center (YWRC)**

(Supporting, educating and advocating for young women ages 10-21 - small groups & individual support)

Erin Moran, Marketing and Events Coordinator

818 5th Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50309

Phone: (515) 244-4901

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Website: www.ywrc.org

The Zone of Comfort - Life Balance Center, LLC

(Balance: Mentally, Physically, and Spiritually)

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Urbandale, IA 50322

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Email: thezoneofcomfort@gmail.com

Website:

<http://thezoneofcomfort.massagetherapy.com>

Contractors & Construction**Affordable Friendly Handyman Service**

(Residential construction and yard services)

Bryan Moore

3817 Lower Beaver Road (Mail Only)

Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 867-1574

Email: mcurry051@gmail.com

Asphalt Maintenance & Construction Company

(Asphalt & concrete installation, repair, & maintenance. Distributor of KM International, Inc. asphalt hot boxes/reclaimers and asphalt recyclers.)

Stephen George, Owner

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Blackwell Construction, Inc.

Pierre Blackwell, Owner

Dr. David Jackson, Vice President

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Des Moines, IA 50313

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CC Painting, LLC

(Painting & decorating)

Chris Humphrey, Owner

2735 Scott Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50317

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Crumbsnatcher's Carpet Cleaning

(Commercial/Residential & Upholstery Carpet Cleaning, Auto Detailing and Interior Painting)

Brian Spicer

910 East 9th Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50316

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Website: www.facebook.com (Crumbsnatcher's Carpet Cleaning)

DeJear Enterprises

(General Contractor)

Marvin L. DeJear, Jr.

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Des Moines, IA 50315

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Email: dejear@dejearcorporation.com

Drew's Lawn Service

Owners:

Curtis Marks

Andrew Thomas

8929 Ashworth Road

West Des Moines, IA 50266

Phone: (515) 205-6461

Fax: (515) 987-5859

Email: drewslawncare7815@gmail.com

Ewing Concrete

(Quality concrete service with detailed plans)

Herb Ewing, Sr., Owner

1275 Northwest 75th Street

Clive, IA 50325

Phone: (515) 975-3576

Email: herb@ewingconcrete.biz

Website: www.ewingconcrete.biz

Glass Block Creation

Basil Townes, Sr.

P.O. Box 5033

Des Moines, IA 50305

Phone: (515) 251-6562

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Heavenly Hauling and Cleaning Service
(Offering a variety of household upkeep & hauling services)

Steven S. Shade, Sr., Owner

1812 2nd Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50314

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Email: heavenlyhauling44@yahoo.com

Jermaine's Hauling and Services, Inc.

(General hauling, trucking light hauling, and clean up for construction sites, foreclosures, and evictions)

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Des Moines, IA 50316

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Email: jermaineshauling@msn.com

Website: www.jermaineshaulinginc.com

Lewis Lawn and Labor, Inc.

(Lawn Care)

Justyn Lewis

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West Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 720-6906

Email: info@lewislawnlabor.com

Website: www.facebook.com/LewisLawnLabor

Premiere Maid Services

(Commercial Cleaning)

Ardis Gardner

3912 East 10th Street

Des Moines, IA 50316

Phone: (515) 412-4213

Email: service@premiermaid.com

Website: www.premiermaid.com

Propaint Company

(Commercial and Residential painting company)

Ryan Marshall, Owner

4511 ½ 60th Street

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Phone: (515) 991-5767

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Website: www.propaintcompany.com

Reliable Maintenance

Keith McKay

2525 Douglas Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 255-3032

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Website:

www.reliablemaintenancecompany.com

Whitfield's Lawn & Garden Specialist, LLC

(Lawn & garden care, landscaping)

Randy Whitfield, Owner

3132 4th Street

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Phone: (515) 710-1812 (Business Line)

Email: whitfieldslgs@gmail.com

Website: www.whitfieldslawnandgarden.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Whitfields
Lawn and Garden)

Website 3: www.instagram.com (Whitfields
Lawn and Garden)

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Educational Resources**Charles Lamont Lovelady Trust Scholarship Fund**

(Scholarships for current year graduates who are going to college to major in Human Services or Business)

JoAnn Hughes

217 East Broad Street (Mail Only)

Des Moines, IA 50315

Phone: (515) 208-2526

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Lovelady Trust Scholarship Fund)

***Clarinda Academy**

(Gender specific education for at-risk youth)

Mike Butt, Admissions Director

1820 North 16th Street

Clarinda, IA 51632

Phone: (712) 542-3103

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Website: www.clarindaacademy.org

College-Cents

(College Admission and Financial Assistance
Counseling Services, career planning tools, post-
college planning tools and workplace skill sets)

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Connect Foundation

(Developing/promoting educational awareness & engagement activities concerning economic & social policies/programs)

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I'll Make Me A World In Iowa

(Iowa's African American Festival)

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Des Moines, IA 50314

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Website: www.worldiniowa.org

Iowa Juneteenth Observance

(Historic preservation & public education on Juneteenth)

Dwana Bradley, General Chairperson

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Jewels Academy

(Providing young women the competitive edge needed to succeed academically and vocationally in STEM and the arts with an encouraging and nurturing environment)

Kimberly Wayne, Executive Director & Founder

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Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: (515) 243-9159

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Email: info@jewelsacademy.org

Website: www.jewelsacademy.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com/JASTEM2005

Website 3: www.twitter.com/JASTEM2005

Kranto Education Alliance

(Specializing in developing and providing summer & after-school enrichment programs. 14 classes currently available, including

Technology, Sports, Mentoring, Shop,

Gardening, Fashion Design, and more!)

Webster Kranto

P.O. Box 35730

Des Moines, IA 50315

Phone: (515) 360-7840

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Website: www.facebook.com/krantoeu

Website 2: [@kranto.education.alliance](https://www.instagram.com)

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Multicultural Educational Programs, Inc.

(Educational Consulting Firm and The Shirleen

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Michelle L. Taylor-Frazier, Executive Director

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Des Moines, IA 50313

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Phone 2: (515) 339-0879

Email: mtaylorfrazier06@gmail.com

Website: www.multiculturalled.org

Multicultural Virtual Reality

(Cellphone app for STEM learning in the classroom. Cuts the cost of leaving the classroom for field trips.)

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Taste of the Junction, Inc.

(Host to a variety of local community events, including live jazz and an annual multicultural street festival celebrating the people, cultures, and cuisines of historic Valley Junction)

Rachelle Long, Founder & CEO
P.O. Box 65131
West Des Moines, IA 50265
Phone: (515) 650-9352
Email: tasteofjunction@gmail.com
Website: www.tasteofthejunction.org
Website: www.facebook.com (Taste of the Junction)

To Know Him University

(Classes include seminars, continuing education, and tutoring)

Amiete Clement
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Des Moines, IA 50311
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***Woodward Academy**

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Entertainment & Music

Amiete's Talk Show

(Loving God & Loving People)
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Big Earls Goldmine

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Des Moines, IA 50313
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Bottle & Bottega Des Moines

(BYOB Wine and Art Painting Events offering a variety of art forms and provide supplies and art instruction. Rent for events & offsite meetings)

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Website 3: www.twitter.com (@BottleDesMoines)
Website 4: www.instagram.com (@BottleAndBottega_DesMoines)
Website 5: www.linkedin.com (Bottle & Bottega Des Moines)

Capital City Steppers Des Moines, IA
(Soul Line Dance and Chicago Style Stepping
Classes)

JoAnn Hughes, Instructor
217 East Broad Street (Mail Only)
Des Moines, IA 50315
Class Location:
Creative Visions
1343 13th Street
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 208-2526
Email: joann.hughes2018@gmail.com
Website: www.facebook.com (Capital City
Steppers Des Moines, IA)

DSM Dance

(A community based dance program that
provides lessons to youth to learn team building,
instill purpose, and have fun!)
Franky McMillian, Dance Director
300 West Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway, Suite
140
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 421-8298
Email: franky@dsmdance.com
Website: www.dsmdance.com

Final Mix Band & Saxman Productions

(Performing for all occasions - wedding,
festivals, casinos, house/pool parties, night
clubs, special events and more!)
Del "Saxman" Jones, Entertainer, Manager,
Blues Hall of Fame, Rock Hall of Fame
1438 57th Street
Des Moines, IA 50311
Phone: (515) 274-8900
Fax: (515) 274-8900 (Call first to turn on the
machine)
Email: saxmanprod@aol.com
Website: www.finalmixshowband.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com/delsaxmanjones
Website 3:
www.facebook.com/finalmixshowband

Gateway Dance Theatre

(Founded in 1972 to create & provide African-
American and Pan-Asian movements and music
to an urban and diverse community)
Penny Furgerson
315 East 5th Street, Suite 12
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 283-8383
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Email: info@gatewaydance.org
Website: www.gatewaydance.org
Website 2:
www.facebook.com/GatewayDanceTheatreGDT

Isiserettes Drill & Drum Corps

(Founded in 1980 - promoting self-expression
and creativity through music and dance in youth
ages 7 - 18)
Pam Williams, Head Instructor
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Des Moines, IA 50311
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Website: www.isiserettes.org
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Isiserettes)

**KJMC Radio Station (89.3 FM) & Minority
Communications**

Larry Neville
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LaunchPad Global Enterprises LLC

(Multi-media solutions, small business
consulting, event planning & promotions and
live entertainment)
Gerald "Bo" James III, Founder & Owner
5008 Northwest 58th Avenue
Johnston, IA 50131
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MacAttack Records, LLC

(Providing talented Christian artists with an opportunity to record their talents at comfortable and affordable rates. By Appointment in in-home studio.)

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Des Moines, IA 50320

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Nerd Art

(Face Painting & Body Art)

Christina Harwell

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Des Moines, IA 50314

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Email: nerdart12@gmail.com

Website:

www.facebook.com/NerdArtFacepaintingCompany/?tn-str=k*F

***Pump It Up**

(Inflatable playground and parties)

4069 121st Street

Urbandale, IA 50323

Phone: (515) 270-5017

Email: pumpitupiowa@yahoo.com

Website: www.pumpitupparty.com/urbandale-ia

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Pump It Up Urbandale)

Website 3: www.twitter.com (Pump It Up Urbandale)

***Sky Zone**

(Trampoline park)

1300 Southeast Gateway Drive, Suite 103

Grimes, IA 50111

Phone: (515) 986-2524

Fax: (888) 900-1104

Email: sales50111@jumpsports.biz

Website: www.skyzone.com/desmoines

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Sky Zone Des Moines)

SpeakLife Television Network

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TeamStrong Inc.

(Promoting empowerment through entertainment with full in-house marketing and production firm.)

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Email: teamstrongincdmi@gmail.com

Website: www.teamstronginc.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (TeamStrong Inc.)

Victory Kid Sports Foundation

(Bringing diverse sports programming to the community to teach and demonstrate teamwork, discipline and fun)

Dr. Melissa Patton

2800 University Avenue, Suite 171

West Des Moines, IA 50266

Phone: (800) 307-3459

Email: info@victorykidsports.org

Website: www.victorykidsports.org

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Financial Services & Insurance

FMC Coaching, LLC

(Financial consulting and budget/credit counseling)

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Hawkins & Hawkins Consulting, LLC

(Certified credit counselors and financial educators - individual & group financial counseling)

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Independent Public Advisors, LLC

(Financial consulting & planning)

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Johnston, IA 50131

Phone: (515) 259-8193

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Email: tpooler@independentpublicadvisors.com

Website: www.independentpublicadvisors.com

Integrity Audit Services, LLC

(Telecom audit & daily money management services)

Tameca Howze

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Newton, IA 50208

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Email: thowze@integrityauditservicesllc.com

Website: www.integrityauditservicesllc.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Integrity Audit Services, LLC)

Website 3: www.linkedin.com (Tameca Howze)

***Iowa Center for Economic Success**

(Providing financial success through education/resources, lending/investing, advocacy/networking, the Women's Business Center, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, Microloan Program and FIN Capital (angel investment network))

8345 University Boulevard, Suite F

Clive, IA 50325

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Email: info@theiowacenter.org

Website: www.theiowacenter.org

Krobgofa Financial Services

(Providing a variety of financial services such as banking, investments, etc.)

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***Wells Fargo Home Mortgage**

(Mortgage Lending)
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Fraternities & Sororities

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

Iota Zeta Omega Chapter
(To cultivate and encourage high scholastic standards, to promote unity and friendship among college women, to study and help alleviate problems concerning girls and women in order to improve their social stature, to maintain a progressive interest in college life, and to be of "Service to All Mankind")
Ashley Stewart, Esq, President
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Des Moines, IA 50301
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Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Zeta Kappa Lambda Alumni Chapter
(Developing leaders, promoting brotherhood and academic excellence, while providing service and advocacy for our communities)
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Des Moines, IA 50306
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Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Des Moines Alumnae Chapter
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Website: www.dstdesmoines.org
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Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

Eta Epsilon Sigma Chapter
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Des Moines, IA 50323
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Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Nu Mu Zeta Chapter
Joyce Bruce
Veola Perry, 3rd Position on Scholarship
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Des Moines, IA 50301
Phone: (515) 279-8425 (Ms. Perry)
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Website: www.zphib1920.org

Funeral Services

Henderson's Highland Park Funeral Service

Donna & Walt Henderson
3500 6th Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50313
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Email: family@hendersonhp.com
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Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Ari Illuzions

(Specializing in haircare for all ages)
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Clippernomics Barber Shop and Beauty Salon

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Clippernomics Phase 2 Barber Shop

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Imperial Kuttz & Imperial Styles

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***Joanie's Shear Artists**

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Phone: (773) 603-1678

Kanika R. Mayes, Independent Beauty Contractor

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616 East 6th Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
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Loh Maintenance

(Licensed Cosmetologist specializing in natural hair. Located at The Salon by InStyle in Valley West Mall JCPenney. Also available for Personal Assistant Services)
Lauren "Loh" Oliver-Hauser, Designer
Valley West Mall
1551 Valley West Drive
West Des Moines, IA 50266
Phone: (515) 223-5454
Phone 2: (515) 339-1247
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Website: www.facebook.com/lohmaintenance
Website 2: [@lohmaintenance](http://www.instagram.com)

Paparazzi Studio & Spa

Tina Turner
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Paris Van-Del's Beauty and Barber Salon

(Specializing in natural hair/hair care & replenishment of hair)
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Perfect 10

(Professional Nail Care Services)
NaToyia Winters, Owner
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Spa Glory

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Supreme Cuts

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Tutus & Tennis Shoes

(Trained Cosmetology Instructor)
Kanisha Tillman
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Website: www.tutustennisshoes.com

Vanity Beauty Supply

(Wigs, hair, beauty products, women's & men's clothing, jewelry, and more!)
Harding Hills Plaza
3440 Martin Luther King Parkway
Des Moines, IA 50310
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Voila Hair Salon

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Organizations

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Hip-Hope, Inc.

(Promoting and advocating for hope through education, arts & culture, and community engagement. Primarily targeting high-risk youth who express symptoms of hopelessness.)
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Physicians & Surgeons

Dentists:

***Dental Lifeline Network - Donated Dental Services (DDS) Program**

(Comprehensive free dental treatment for those who are disabled, medically compromised, or elderly)

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Family Medicine/Practice:

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Dennis Zachary, PRN

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6601 Southwest 9th Street
Des Moines, IA 50315
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Website: www.mercyclinicsdesmoines.org

Free Health Clinics:

***Christ the King Free Clinic**

(Come early as the clinic operates on a First Come, First Serve Basis.)

Kevin Palmer, Clinic Manager

5711 Southwest 9th Street

Des Moines, IA 50315

Phone: (515) 285-2888

Website: www.freeclinicsofiowa.org

Corinthian Family Health Free Clinic

Dr. Julius Connor

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Des Moines, IA 50309

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Fax: (515) 284-5448

Email: churchsecretary@corinthianbc.org

Website: www.corinthianbc.org

***Dr. Nick Palmer Jim Ellefson Free Medical Clinic**

Val Palmer, Clinic Manager (Thursdays)

Melody Hathaway, Administrative Assistant (Tuesdays)

1607 East 33rd Street

Des Moines, IA 50317

Phone: (515) 266-7622

Fax: (515) 266-9094

Website: www.palmer-ellefsonfreeclinic.com

***Grace United Methodist Church Free Clinic**

3700 Cottage Grove Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50311

Phone: (515) 255-2131

Fax: (515) 255-6500

Website: www.gracedesmoines.org/free-clinic

***Mae E. Davis Medical Clinic**

Jeff Dumermuth, Clinic Coordinator

1312 Maple Street

West Des Moines, IA 50265

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Website: www.freeclinicsofiowa.org

***Margaret Cramer Clinic**

(Call ahead for wheelchair access.)

Des Moines First Assembly

2725 Merle Hay Road

Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 279-9766, ext. 42

Website: www.desmoinesfirst.org

***Norwalk Free Medical Clinic**

(No appointment necessary.)

Crossroads Church

2601 Border Street

Norwalk, IA 50211

Phone: (515) 287-8580

Email: crossroadschurch2@msn.com

Website: www.2thecrossroads.com

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Willie McClairen, MD, FACS

Trauma Program Medical Director

Mercy Medical Center - Trauma Offices

1111 6th Avenue

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Website: www.mercydesmoines.org

-or-

General Surgery Physicians P.C.

315 University Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: (515) 244-9950

Fax: (515) 244-5933

Denville Myrie, MD

Mercy Trauma Services

1111 6th Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: (515) 643-2084

Phone 2: (515) 643-6400

Fax: (515) 643-2039

Website: www.mercydesmoines.org

Mercy Transplant Center:

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Des Moines, IA 50314
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-or-

Mercy Transplant Office
411 Laurel Street, Suite 2310
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 643-8770
Fax: (515) 247-8772
Website: www.mercydesmoines.org

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Fax: (515) 241-8386
Website: www.unitypoint.org

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Phone: (515) 643-6400
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Website: www.mercyclinicsdesmoines.org

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Des Moines, IA 50314
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Website: www.mercydesmoines.org

Pediatric Surgery:

Oneybuchi Ukabiala, MD
Blank Children's Surgery Clinic
1206 Pleasant Street, Anna Blank, Level 2
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 241-6546
Fax: (515) 241-8939
Website: www.blankchildrens.org

Pediatric Intensive Care:

Judy Walker, MD
Blank Children's Hospital Administration
Blank Children's Hospital
1200 Pleasant Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 241-5926
Fax: (515) 241-5127
Website: www.blankchildrens.org

Podiatrists:

John Bennett, DPM, FACFAS
Des Moines University Clinic - Foot & Ankle
3200 Grand Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50312
Phone: (515) 271-1731
Fax: (515) 271-1714
Website: www.dmu.edu/clinic

Rudolph La Fontant, DPM
Foot & Ankle Institute of Iowa
3613 Beaver Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50310
Phone: (515) 223-5219
Fax: (515) 223-9344
Email: frontdesk@mydoctorrudy.com
Website: www.mydoctorrudy.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (The Foot and Ankle Institute of Iowa)

Pulmonology:

Steven Berry, MD

CIC Associates
1601 Northwest 114th Street, Suite 347
Clive, IA 50325
Phone: (515) 224-1777
Fax: (515) 225-6750
Website: www.cicdoc.com

Transport:

Ambassador Medical Transport Services

Ronald Moore, Owner
3350 Southeast Miehe Drive, Suite 3
Grimes, IA 50111
Phone: (515) 729-9985
Fax: (515) 986-2537
Email: ambassmedtrans@aol.com
Website:
<http://ambassadorsmedicaltransport.com>

Places of Worship & Choirs

Burns United Methodist Church

Reverend Dr. Jacqueline Thompson
1909 Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 244-5883
Email: burnsumc@msn.com
Website: www.burnsdsm.org

The Church I AM

(Reach out the world around us with the everlasting love of Jesus Christ, The Great I AM)
Amiete Clement
1168 22nd Street
Des Moines, IA 50311
Phone: (515) 333-9988
Email: ateima75@yahoo.com
Website: www.eattravel.org

Corinthian Baptist Church

Reverend Jonathan Whitfield, Senior Pastor
814 School Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 243-4073
Fax: (515) 284-5448
Email: churchsecretary@corinthianbc.org
Website: www.corinthianbc.org

***Cornerstone Family Church**

Pastor Dan Berry
Reverend Angie Juergens, Church Administrator
3114 Southwest 61st Street
Des Moines, IA 50321
Phone: (515) 243-2852
Fax: (515) 243-2958
Email: angie@iamcornerstone.com
Website: www.iamcornerstone.com

Easton Place United Methodist Church

Pastor Cephas Davis
2412 Easton Boulevard
Des Moines, IA 50317
Phone: (515) 266-8582
Phone 2: (515) 266-7746 (Pastor's Line)
Email: epumcsecretary@hotmail.com
Website: <http://eastonplaceumc.org>

Faith Missionary Baptist Church

Reverend Dale G. Terry
3415 3rd Street
Des Moines, IA 50313
Phone: (515) 243-0900
Phone 2: (515) 770-2054

God's House of Power

1317 Forest Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50317
Phone: (515) 865-5494
Email: edollies@gmail.com

Greater Love COGIC

Superintendent Jerald Woods, Sr., Pastor
1440 DeWolf Street
Des Moines, IA 50316
Phone: (515) 265-5734
Email: suptjwoods@aol.com

Grow Up Ministries Church

(Spiritual growth & maturity in the Body of Christ)

Pastor Rosezine B. Wallace
1217 Southwest Army Post Road
Des Moines, IA 50315
Phone: (515) 285-3084
Fax: (515) 285-3084
Email: growumc@gmail.com
Website: www.growupministries.com

King of Kings Missionary Baptist Church

(We are the church that is living, learning, and loving!)

Pastor Jordan P. Rabon
619 Southeast 15th Street
Des Moines, IA 50317
Phone: (515) 282-3425
Email: godsmen515@gmail.com
Website: www.kingofkingsdmi.com

Mission Temple COGIC

(Teaching the Word of God.)

James McNear, Jr., Senior Pastor
1535 5th Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 348-9019
Email: wearemissiontemple@gmail.com

Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor James E. Wright, Sr.
3100 2nd Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50313
Phone: (515) 282-7947
Website: www.mtolivedesmoines.org

Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor Phillip Wilson
627 East 5th Street (Mail Only)
Des Moines, IA 50309

-or-

1945 Northeast 76th Place
Ankeny, IA 50021
Phone: (515) 964-8128
Phone 2: (515) 778-8742 (Pastor's Cell)
Email: PLwilson28@gmail.com

Philadelphia Seventh-Day Adventist Church

Pastor Brian Irby
1639 Garfield Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50316
Phone: (515) 262-7467
Email: irby.b@central-states.org
Website: www.dsmsda.org
Website 2: www.facebook.com (DSM Philadelphia SDA Church)
Website 3: [@phillysda](http://www.instagram.com)

Present Truth Ministries International

(Multiethnic congregation)

Pastors Ben & Julie Bell
530 Northeast Broadway Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50313
Phone: (515) 988-0505 (Ben)
Phone 2: (515) 204-4411
Email: bcbell648@gmail.com

***St. Paul AME Church**

(Ministering to the social, spiritual, and physical development of all people)

Reverend Dr. Frederick K. Gaddy
1201 Day Street
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 288-4419
Email: stpaulamedsm@gmail.com
Website: www.facebook.com (St. Paul AME Church Des Moines, IA)

True Bible Baptist Church

Reverend Rod Bradley
4101 Amherst Street
Des Moines, IA 50313
Phone: (515) 243-8227
Fax: (515) 244-8734
Email: office@tbbchurch.org
Website: www.tbbchurch.org

Union Missionary Baptist Church

Reverend Dr. Henry I. Thomas
1200 McCormick Street
Des Moines, IA 50316
Phone: (515) 262-1785
Fax: (515) 262-1785

Valley Community Church

(Providing spiritual Bible based teaching and delivery of the word to a Non-denominational population)

Pastor Stephen E. Long
1312 Maple Street
West Des Moines, IA 50265
Phone: (515) 222-1606
Email: pastorstephen116@gmail.com

(R)

Realtors & Real Estate***Iowa Realty**

Phyllis Butler, Realtor
3521 Beaver Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50310
Phone: (515) 453-5649
Phone 2: (515) 240-0919 (Cell)
Fax: (515) 453-6711
Email: pabutler@iowarealty.com
Website: <http://phyllisabutler.iowarealty.com>

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80 Southeast Laurel
Waukee, IA 50263
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Fax: (515) 453-6714
Email: leila@leilagranger.com
Website: www.leilagranger.com

***Keller Williams Realty**

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4001 Westown Parkway
West Des Moines, IA 50266
Phone: (515) 661-1202 (Cell)
Email: tferg@kw.com
Website: www.tferg.kw.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Travis Ferguson Real Estate)

Krystal Marshall, Realtor
(Real Estate Agent)
4001 Westown Parkway
West Des Moines, IA 50266
Phone: (515) 210-3892
Email: krystal.l.marshall@gmail.com
Website: www.krystalmarshall.kwrealty.com

***RE/MAX Concepts**

Lance Hanson
8020 Douglas Avenue
Urbandale, IA 50322
Phone: (515) 276-2872
Email: lance@realestateconcepts.net

Restate by Glasco

(Leasing and rental of residential and commercial property)
Amiete Clement
1168 22nd Street
Des Moines, IA 50311
Phone: (515) 333-9988
Email: ateima75@yahoo.com
Website: www.eattravel.org

Stewart & Associates, Inc.
(Commercial real estate)
Clarke H. Stewart, Owner
2805 Virginia Place
Des Moines, IA 50321
Phone: (515) 208-4915 (Cell)
Email: clarke@stewartassociatesinc.com

Restaurants

Fat Tuesday
(Restaurant/catering/events)
Steven James
6112 Southwest 9th Street
Des Moines, IA 50311
Phone: (515) 285-3552
Email: fattuesdayfood@aol.com
Website: www.fattuesday-restaurant.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Fat Tuesday
Cajun Restaurant)

Lifestyle Juices
(Fruit Juice Bar)
Tina Turner
2418 University Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50311
Phone: (515) 777-2301
Website: www.facebook.com/LifestyleJuiceBar

Pop's Place, Bibb's So'Food, & Mr. Bibb's
(Food Trailer)
William Kinney III, Owner
1517 Harrison Avenue (Mail Only)
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 243-0758
Fax: (515) 243-0758
Email: classiemarky@hotmail.com

Sir's Kitchen
Sirwilliam Bekish
2905 Hubbell Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50317
Phone: (515) 864-9092

Soul Spice Soul Food Restaurant
Brian Spicer
910 East 9th Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50316
Phone: (515) 344-5595
Email: soulspicedsm@gmail.com
Website: www.facebook.com (Soul Spice Soul
Food Restaurant)

Woody's Smoke Shack
Stephen "Stew" Stewart
2511 Cottage Grove Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50311
Phone: (515) 277-0005
Website: www.facebook.com (Smoke Shack by
Stew's Que)

Retail/Sales/Supplies

Ankeny Cleaners
Owners:
Bill Kearbey
George McKay
Keith McKay
122 South Ankeny Boulevard
Ankeny, IA 50023
Phone: (515) 963-9522

Designs by Ceirrah
(Specializing in designs related to creative
expressions: canvas art, clothing, crafts,
jewelry, etc.)
Ceirrah Lampley, Owner
1021 Southeast 9th Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 447-9735

Divine Treasures

(Catholic books & gifts)

Owners:

Lois Brookhart

Susan Greenwood

Cindy Kodis

5701 Hickman Road

Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 255-5230

Phone 2: (877) 206-2220 (Toll Free)

Fax: (515) 255-5190

Email: loisb@divinetreasuresinc.net

Website: www.divinetreasuresinc.net

Express Art Gallery

(Expressing yourself with art)

Amiete Clement, Owner

1168 22nd Street

Des Moines, IA 50311

Phone: (515) 333-9988

Email: ateima75@yahoo.com

Website: www.eattravel.org

The Great Frame Up

(Retail/Custom Picture Framing/Featuring Local Artists/Gifts)

Angela M. Jackson, Owner/Design Consultant

5515 Mills Civic Parkway, Suite 150

West Des Moines, IA 50266

Phone: (515) 226-2310

Email: westdesmoines@thegreatframeup.com

Website:

www.westdesmoines.thegreatframeup.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (The Great

Frame Up-Iowa)

Website 3: www.twitter.com (@tgfuwdm)

Website 4: www.instagram.com

(@TheGreatFrameUp_WDM)

James Conley

(Tailor)

Badowers

2817 Ingersoll Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50312

-or-

1653 Cleveland Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50316

Phone: (515) 283-2121 (Business)

Phone 2: (515) 865-3525 (Cell)

Shy Intimate Apparel LLC

Tarrita Spicer

910 East 9th Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50316

Phone: (515) 943-8198

Email: mstarrita@yahoo.com

Website: www.shyintimateapparel.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Shy Intimate Apparel LLC)

Website 3: www.instagram.com

(@shycollection)

Young G's Bar-B-Que Sauce, LLC

(Sharing family Bar-B-Que sauce recipe! Gluten Free, Low Sodium Content, and No High

Fructose Corn Syrup.)

Gerald Young, President/CEO

Stephanie Young, Executive Vice President

8211 Brookview Drive

Urbandale, IA 50322

Phone: (515) 331-8001 (Office)

Phone 2: (515) 447-6218 (Stephanie)

Phone 3: (319) 651-0960 (President's Cell)

Email: youngsbbsq@gmail.com

Website: www.ygsbbq.com

Zumi Collection, LLC

(Retail import store; merchandise from Africa, Asia, & South America. Features fair trade products)

Lu Spaine

1141 42nd Street

Des Moines, IA 50311

Phone: (515) 277-4629

Email: luspaine@zumi.com

Website: www.zumi.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Zumi Collection)

Dubuque



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“Masterpiece on the Mississippi”

Established: 1833

County: Dubuque

Current Mayor: Roy D. Buol

Total population: 58,410

African American population: 2,560 (4.4%)

Nearest City of 200,000 +: Madison, WI (97.1 miles)

Nearest City of 1 million +: Chicago, IL (211.7 miles)

Attractions: National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium, Dubuque River Rides, Greater Dubuque River Boat Entertainment Co. LC, Trolleys of Dubuque Inc., Crystal Lake Cave, Diamond Jo Casino, Dubuque Arboretum & Botanical Gardens, Mystique Casino, Dubuque Museum of Art, E.B. Lyons Interpretive Center, Fenelon Place Elevator Company, Miss Dubuque – Dubuque River Rides, Spirit of Dubuque River Rides & Dinner Cruises, America’s River Project & Festival, Port of Dubuque, Grand Harbor Resort & Waterpark.

African American History in Dubuque: Dubuque has been the home to some of the first African American Iowa settlers. Many African Americans migrated from surrounding and southern states to find work in coal mining, rail yards, and on local river boats.

In 1873, Theophilus Augustus Thompson was recognized as the first African American chess expert and published a book *Chess Problems: Either to Play and Mate*.

Dubuque

Elected & Appointed Officials

Anthony R. Allen

City of Dubuque Human Rights Commissioner
1300 Main Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 589-4190
Phone 2: (563) 231-0704 (Cell)
Email: sqr1@hotmail.com
Website: www.cityofdubuque.org/humanrights

Miquel Jackson

City of Dubuque Human Rights Commissioner
1300 Main Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 589-4190
Phone 2: (443) 521-9251 (Cell)
Email: miquel.jackson67@gmail.com
Website: www.cityofdubuque.org/humanrights

Coralita Shumaker

City of Dubuque Housing Commissioner
350 West 6th Street, Suite 312
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 589-4230
Website: www.cityofdubuque.org

Services & Organizations

(A)

Attorneys & Legal Resources

Hallstoos Law Office

(General Practice Law Firm)
Sharon D. Hallstoos, Attorney At Law
3110 Spring Valley Road
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 582-6300
Email: shallstoos@gmail.com

***Iowa Legal Aid Northeast Iowa Regional Office**

(Free legal assistance for low-income Iowans)
799 Main Street, Suite 280
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (800) 532-1275 (Toll Free)
Phone 2: (800) 992-8161 (for ages 60+)
Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

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Colleges & University Affiliations

***Loras College Intercultural Programs Office**

(Hub and advocacy for students who hold minoritized identities)
Sergio Perez, Director
Loras College
Alumni Campus Center
1450 Alta Vista Street, Box # 138
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 588-7205
Email: sergio.perez@loras.edu
Website: www.loras.edu

***Multicultural Student Services**

Kate Zanger, Vice President for Student Life
Triston King, Assistant Director of Engagement and Intercultural Programs & Advisor for the Black Student Union
Clarke University
1550 Clarke Drive
Dubuque, IA 52003
Phone: (563) 588-6685 (Mr. King)
Fax: (563) 552-7995
Email: kate.zanger@clarke.edu
Email 2: triston.king@clarke.edu
Website: www.clarke.edu/campus-life/culture-inclusion

***Office of Multicultural Student Engagement**

(Includes Black Student Union)

James Sizer, Director
University of Dubuque
2000 University Avenue
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 589-3129
Fax: (563) 589-3482
Email: jsizer@dbq.edu
Website:

www.dbq.edu/campuslife/officeofstudentlife/multiculturalstudents

Website 2: www.facebook.com/udmse

Community Centers & Services

***Belmont House Intercultural Center**

Sergio Perez, Director
Loras College
1450 Alta Vista Street (Mail Only)
Dubuque, IA 52001

-or-

1381 Belmont Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 588-7205
Fax: (563) 588-7916
Email: sergio.perez@loras.edu
Website: www.loras.edu

***City of Dubuque Human Rights Commission**

(To eliminate discrimination and advance equity in city services, civic engagement, city workforce and through city and community partnerships)

Kelly Larson, Director
1300 Main Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 589-4190
Email: humanrgt@cityofdubuque.org
Website: www.cityofdubuque.org/humanrights

Dubuque Black Men Coalition

(Network of Black men who provide mentoring and support to local initiatives)

Ernest Jackson
Ricardo Cunningham
1157 Central Avenue
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 599-0342
Email: ejackson101@msn.com
Website: www.facebook.com/Dubuque-Black-Men-Coalition-193679937487504

The Dubuque Dream Center

(Youth impact through academic initiatives, after school programming, career assessments, goal setting, etc.)

Robert Kimble, Executive Director
Racquel McClellan, Contact Person
1600 White Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 845-7591
Email: rmcclellan@dbqdream.org
Website: www.dubuquedreamcenter.com
Website: www.facebook.com (The Dubuque Dream Center)

The Fountain of Youth Program

(To change the mindsets that contribute to generational poverty)

Caprice Jones, Director
1497 Central Avenue
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 587-8316
Email: fountainofyouth563@gmail.com
Website: www.thefountainofyouthprogram.org
Website 2:
www.facebook.com/fountainofyouthprogram

***Lutheran Services in Iowa**

(Providing parent support and education, refugee services, disability services, mental and behavioral health services, residential treatment and foster care and adoption services.)

Cali Beecher

2255 John F. Kennedy Road

Dubuque, IA 52002

Phone: (563) 582-0044

Fax: (563) 582-7308

Email: lsiowa@lsiowa.org

Website: www.lsiowa.org

Maverick Protection Groups

(Security services, private investigation services and firearms & self-defense training)

Ricardo Woods

1535 Bluff Street, #2

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 213-3356

Email: woods29@gmail.com

***Multicultural Family Center**

(Free programs & cultural events to build an appreciation of diversity)

Jacqueline Hunter, Director

1157 Central Avenue

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 582-3681

Email: info@mfcdbq.org

Website: www.mfcdbq.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Multicultural Family Center)

***Waypoint Services for Women, Children, and Families - Dubuque Campus**

(Supporting victims/survivors of domestic violence. In person meetings by appointment only)

318 5th Street SE

Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

Phone: (319) 365-1458, ext. 6159

Phone 2: (800) 208-0388 (Crisis Line)

Fax: (319) 365-2263

Email: nelly@waypointservices.org

Website: www.waypointservices.org

Contractors & Construction

Braxton's Construction, LLC

(Home Improvements & Construction)

Rahkee J. Norman

7869 Commerce Park

Dubuque, IA 52002

Phone: (563) 235-3757

Country Charm Carpet Service

(Carpet Cleaning Services)

Roger Fisher

1930 Tyler Road

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 582-6719

Fax: (563) 582-4610

Email: rogerf220@gmail.com

Watermegreen Irrigation

(Landscaping)

Tommy Hall

2802 Kremer Park Drive

Dubuque, IA 52003

Phone: (563) 581-5619

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Entertainment & Music

Dusty Rogers Baseball/Softball Academy

(Baseball and softball training facilities.
Includes trainers, coaches, travel teams and
tournaments)

Dusty Rogers
3185 Hughes Court #E
Dubuque, IA 52003
Phone: (563) 542-1097

(H)

Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Beauty By Moke

(Ethnic Beauty Supplies)
Monica Grubb, Owner
3680 Crescent Ridge
Dubuque, IA 52003
Phone: (563) 663-2881
Email: ch0senbeauty@hotmail.com

Cadillac Cutz

(Barber Shop)
Mr. Cooper
1573 Elm Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 590-5685

Luxurious Hair Spa

(Dreadlocks, extensions, blowouts, color,
relaxers and more!)
Shamika Rainer, Owner & Stylist
1464 Central Avenue
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 542-8102
Email: luxurioushairspa@gmail.com
Website: www.luxurioushairspa.com

Queen Bee's Beauty

(Hair care supply)
Julie Smith
1828 Central Avenue
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 231-6033

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Organizations

NAACP Dubuque Branch #4025

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P.O. Box 4025B
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 594-0652
Phone 2: (563) 231-0704
Email: dbqnaacp4025@gmail.com
Website: www.dubuquenaacp.com
Website 2: [@DBQNAACP](http://www.twitter.com)

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Physicians & Surgeons

Family Medicine/Practice:

Alexander P. Johnson, MD

*Grand River Medical Group
1515 Delhi Street, Suite 100
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 557-9111
Fax: (563) 557-5560
Website: www.grandrivermedicalgroup.com

Places of Worship & Choirs

***First Baptist Church of Dubuque**

(A community of believers with a passion for:
Exploring faith, Embracing diversity, and
Encouraging hearts)

Reverend Timothy Bees

Linda Chapman, Administrative Assistant

2143 Judson Drive

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 583-6289

Email: fcbdbq@gmail.com

Website: www.fcbdbq.org

Kingdom Ministries

Cecilia Lott, Pastor

4031 Pennsylvania Avenue

Dubuque, IA 52002

Phone: (563) 845-7583

Promised Land Ministries COGIC

(Re-presenting Christ in serving the local and
global community, as well as the body of Christ
with love, support, and integrity)

Victor Evans, Pastor

1476 Central Avenue

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (319) 290-5486

Radius Church

(Modeling racial and social-economic diversity
and unity in a community where many often
don't feel welcome or a sense of community)

Robert Kimble, Pastor

1600 White Street

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 845-7591

Email: rkimbledreamcenter@gmail.com

Website: www.radiuschurchdbq.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Radius Church
Dubuque)

Rock of Ages Church

John N. Taylor Sr., Senior Pastor

333 Wartburg Place

Dubuque, IA 52003

Phone: (563) 582-6073

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Realtors & Real Estate

***Remax Advantage Realty**

Pauline Chilton, Broker Associate and Certified
Residential Specialist

4029 Pennsylvania Avenue

Dubuque, IA 52002

Phone: (563) 542-9287

Email: pauline@paulinechilton.com

Website: www.paulinechilton.com

Website 2: [www.facebook.com/pauline-chilton-
realtor-122115134624/](https://www.facebook.com/pauline-chilton-realtor-122115134624/)

Website 3: www.twitter.com

(@PaulineChilton)

Restaurants

DaShack

(Fast Food Take Out)

Andre Johnson

1965 Central Avenue

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 235-5027

Retail/Sales/Supplies

Mindset Nutrition

(Health, Fitness, & Nutrition)

Antonio Mouzon

2306 Central Avenue

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (254) 285-9614

Fort Dodge



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Established: 1851

County: Webster

Mayor: Matt Bemrich

Total population: 24,566

African American population: 1,625 (6.6%)

Nearest City of 200,000 +: Omaha, NE (152.6 miles)

Nearest City of 1 million +: Chicago, IL (449 miles)

Attractions: Iowa Central Community College, Brushy Creek State Recreation Area, the Fort Dodge Museum, Blanden Memorial Art Museum, Dolliver Memorial State Park.

African American History in Fort Dodge: African Americans first arrived in Fort Dodge after Reconstruction in 1877. Many came as the result of employment opportunities in railroad and coal industries.

Until the 1960's, African Americans lived almost solely in an area known as the "Flats" as a result of discriminatory practices in housing, education, and employment.

The Human Rights Commission of Fort Dodge was established to help improve conditions of the city's citizenry.

Fort Dodge

Elected Officials

Greg Naylor

Fort Dodge Human Rights Commissioner
819 1st Avenue S
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (515) 576-2201

Sherry Washington

Fort Dodge Human Rights Commissioner
819 1st Avenue S
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (515) 576-2201

Services & Organizations

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Community Centers & Services

***Domestic/Sexual Assault Outreach Center**

Brenda McBride, Director
P.O. Box 773
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (515) 955-2273
Phone 2: (888) 356-2006 (Crisis Line)
Fax: (515) 955-1958
Email: brendam@dsaoc.com
Website: www.dsaoc.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com
(Domestic/Sexual Assault Outreach Center)

***Fort Dodge Human Rights Commission**

Amanda Holmes, Director
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Fort Dodge, IA 50501
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Email: aholmes@fortdodgeiowa.org
Website: www.fortdodgeiowa.org

Helen Miller Agricultural Institute

(Education of minority and urban state legislators and other policy makers on agricultural and rural issues)

Helen Miller
P.O. Box 371
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (515) 570-3535
Email: urbanagacademy1@gmail.com
Website: www.urbanagacademy.com
Website 2:
www.facebook.com/UrbanAgAcademy

***Lutheran Services in Iowa**

(Providing parent support and education, refugee services, disability services, mental and behavioral health services, residential treatment and foster care and adoption services.)

Kaycee Boros
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Website: www.lsiowa.org

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Organizations

Harry C. Meriwether Lodge #46

Free & Accepted Masons
Jameel A. Hameed, WM
1827 4th Avenue S
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (319) 431-4228
(State Contact - Kenneth F. Reed)
Email: jameel@frontiernet.net
Website: www.mwphglia.org

**NAACP Iowa-Nebraska State Conference of
Branches**

Betty C. Andrews, President

1620 Pleasant Street, Suite 210

Des Moines, IA 50314

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Website: www.iowanebraskanaacp.org

Iowa City



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Established: 1839

County: Johnson

Mayor: Jim Throgmorton

Total population: 73,415

African American population: 5,393 (7.3%)

Nearest City of 200,000 +: Madison, WI (176.2 miles)

Nearest City of 1 million +: Chicago, IL (264.5 miles)

Attractions: The University of Iowa, University of Iowa Museum of Art, Coralville Lake, The Old Capital Museum, Herbert Hoover Presidential Library & Museum (near Iowa City).

African American History in Iowa City: The University of Iowa, located in Iowa City, has been the home of several successful African Americans. Such people include Fredrick Wayman “Duke” Slater, a Football Hall of Fame inductee and a judge in the Illinois Circuit Court who graduated in 1922. In 1973, a dormitory was named after him, becoming the first building to be named after an African American at the university.

Additional famous African Americans from the University of Iowa include: Dennis Green – former head coach of the Minnesota Vikings; Ted Wheeler – former head Track Coach and All-American; and Anthuan Maybank – former Olympic participant.

Iowa City (& surrounding communities)

Elected & Appointed Officials & Judges

Judge Kevin Mc Keever

District Court Judge, 6th Judicial District
Johnson County Courthouse
417 South Clinton Street
Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (319) 356-6060
Email: kevin.mckeever@iowacourts.gov

Ruthina Malone

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1725 North Dodge Street
Iowa City, IA 52245
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Services & Organizations

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Attorneys & Legal Resources

***Gordon Fischer Law Firm, P. C.**

(Working with nonprofit organizations, donors,
& estate planning)
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Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (515) 371-6077
Email: gordon@gordonfischerlawfirm.com
Website: www.gordonfischerlawfirm.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Gordon
Fischer Law Firm)

***Iowa Legal Aid Iowa City Regional Office**

(Free legal assistance for low-income Iowans)
Eastdale Plaza
1700 South 1st Avenue, Suite 10
Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (800) 532-1275 (Toll Free)
Phone 2: (800) 992-8161 (for ages 60+)
Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

The Law Office of Melvin O. Shaw, P.L.C.

(Legal Services - General Practice, Real Estate,
Estate Planning and Business Law Firm)
1303 5th Street, Suite 104
Coralville, IA 52241
Phone: (319) 337-7429
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Email: law@melvinshaw.com
Website: www.melvinshaw.com

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Colleges & University Affiliations

African Student Association

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260 Iowa Memorial Union
Iowa City, IA 52242
Phone: (773) 876-4758
Email: makayla-enchill@uiowa.edu
Website: <https://orgsync.com/17261/chapter>
Website 2: www.facebook.com (UIowa African
Student Association)

Black Law Students Association

(Promoting the needs & goals of Black law
students)
Rene Schilling-Arps, Assistant to Dean of
Students
*University of Iowa
College of Law
Iowa City, IA 52242
Phone: (319) 335-9034
Fax: (319) 335-9019
Email: rene-arps@uiowa.edu
Website: www.law.uiowa.edu

Iowa Black Alumni Association

Whit France-Kelly
*University of Iowa
Center for Advancement
100 Levitt Center
Iowa City, IA 52242
Phone: (319) 467-3369
Phone 2: (800) 459-2586 (Toll Free)
Fax: (319) 335-1079
Email: whit.france-kelly@foriowa.org
Website: www.iowalum.com

Iowa Black Alumni Network

(Networking with Iowa Black Alumni)
Whit France-Kelly
*University of Iowa
Center for Advancement
100 Levitt Center
Iowa City, IA 52242
Phone: (319) 467-3369
Phone 2: (800) 459-2586 (Toll Free)
Fax: (319) 335-1079
Email: whit.france-kelly@foriowa.org
Website: www.iowalum.com

Society of Black Graduate and Professional Students

*University of Iowa
157 Iowa Memorial Union
Iowa City, IA 52242
Phone: (319) 335-3059
Email: getinvolved@uiowa.edu
Website: www.uiowa.edu

***University of Iowa College of Law**

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***University of Iowa College of Nursing**

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***University of Iowa Multicultural Nursing Association**

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Community Centers & Services**Caring Hands & More, LLC**

(Home health care, housekeeping, & transportation services)
Bruce Teague, Founder
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Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (319) 337-8922 (Iowa City Area)
Fax: (319) 354-1508
Email: bruce.teague@caringhandsandmore.com
Website: www.caringhandsandmore.com

The Center for Worker Justice

(Social action organization for improving access to housing, community resources and other individual needs for low-wage workers and immigrants)

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Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (319) 594-7593
Email: info@cwjiowa.org
Website: www.cwjiowa.org

***City of Iowa City Human Rights Commission**

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Fax: (319) 887-6213
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Website: www.icgov.org/humanrights

***Domestic Violence Intervention Program (DVIP)**

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1105 South Gilbert Court, Suite 300
Iowa City, IA 52240
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Phone 2: (800) 373-1043 (Crisis Line)
Fax: (319) 466-4624
Email: dvip@dvipiowa.org
Website: www.dvipiowa.org

Dream Center

Fred Newell
611 Southgate Avenue
Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (319) 621-8253

Little Creations Academy

(Day Care)
2929 East Court Street
Iowa City, IA 52245
Phone: (319) 499-1764
Email: littleacademy@gmail.com

Nisaa African Family Services

(Serving victims of domestic violence & sexual assault in African immigrant and refugee communities in Iowa.)
Sumaya Rabee
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Unit 1
Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (319) 333-2453
Email: sumayarabee@nisaa-afs.org
Website: www.nisaa-afs.org

Sankofa Outreach

(Program serving intergenerational women of color and their families)
RaQuisha Harrington
Shalisa Gladney
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Iowa City, IA 52245
Phone: (319) 400-3814
Email: sankofaoutreach@gmail.com
Website: www.sankofaoutreach.org

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Fraternities & Sororities**Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.**

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Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Christina's Unity Beauty Supply

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***La James International College & Day Spa**

227 East Market Street
Iowa City, IA 52245
Phone: (319) 338-3926
Website: <https://ljic.edu/iowa-city-ia/>

MAI Best African Hair Braiding

626 South Dubuque Street
Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (319) 341-6007

Renewal Skin & Body Center

(Customized skin treatments for the face & body, makeup application, waxing hair removal, eyelash/eyebrow tinting, and eyelash extensions)

Cindy Shaw, Owner & Licensed Esthetician
347 Scott Court
Iowa City, IA 52245
Phone: (319) 430-9700
Email: renewalskinandbody@gmail.com
Website: www.renewalskinandbody.com

Textures Salon, LLC

(Offering relaxers, weaves/extensions, haircut/styles, facial waxing, color/highlights, mani/pedi, massage, full body waxing, reflexology and facials)

Cheryl McMillan, Owner
1812 Boyrum Street
Iowa City, IA 52240
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Website: www.texturessalon-iowacity.com

Venus African Hair Braiding & Beauty Salon

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Coralville, IA 52241
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Organizations

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(State Contact - Kenneth F. Reed)
Email: billarmento@gmail.com
Website: www.mwphglia.org

Iowa City SURJ

(Challenging and dismantling white supremacy through educating and mobilizing white people to advocate and act for racial justice, as a part of a larger multi-racial majority, working with passion and accountability.)

Bryson Dean
210 Scott Court # 2 (Mail Only)
Iowa City, IA 52245
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NAACP Iowa City Branch #4016

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Physicians & Surgeons

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James Amos, MD

University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics
200 Hawkins Drive
Iowa City, IA 52242
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Phone 2: (319) 353-6314
Website: www.uihealthcare.org

Radiology:

Stanley Parker, MD

Veterans Affairs Medical Center
601 Highway 6 West
Iowa City, IA 52246
Phone: (319) 338-0581, ext. 5706
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Website: www.iowacity.va.gov

Surgery:

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Iowa City, IA 52242
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Website: www.uihealthcare.org

Places of Worship & Choirs

***First Presbyterian Church**

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2701 Rochester Avenue
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Gospel Explosion Ministry

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Iowa City, IA 52240
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Website: www.gemiowa.org
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Gospel
Explosion Ministries)
Website 3: www.facebook.com (Sylvia Boyer)

The Kingdom Center

Pastor V. Sterling Allen

611 Southgate Avenue

Iowa City, IA 52240

Phone: (877) 471-5464

Email: ministry@thekingdomcenteria.org

Website: www.thekingdomcenteria.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com (The Kingdom Center IA)

New Creations International Church

Pastor Anthony Smith

2929 East Court Street

Iowa City, IA 52245

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Email: info@ncichurch.com

Website: <http://ncichurch.com>

Website 2: www.facebook.com (New Creations International Church)

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Restaurants**SugaPeach Chicken & Fish Fry**

(Owned by Iowa Soul Food Company)

Carol Cater-Simmons

650 Pacha Parkway, Suite 1

North Liberty, IA 52317

Phone: (319) 826-1809

Email: info@iowasoulfood.com

Website: www.sugapeach.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (SugaPeach Chicken & Fish Fry)

Sushi Kicchin Restaurant

Perkins Herron, Owner

201 South Clinton Street

Iowa City, IA 52240

Phone: (319) 338-1606

Retail/Sales/Supplies**The Makers Loft**

(Selling goods and products from Iowa makers and artisans)

Simeon Talley, Owner

119 1/2 East Washington Street

Iowa City, IA 52240

Phone: (202) 657-9102

Email: themakersloftiowacity@gmail.com

Sioux City



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“Little Chicago”

Established: 1851

County: Woodbury

Mayor: Bob Scott

Total population: 82,568

African American population: 3,277 (4.0%)

Nearest City with a population of 200,000 +: Omaha, NE (89.5 miles)

Nearest City with a population of 1 million +: Chicago, IL (600.6 miles)

Attractions: Sergeant Floyd Monument, Riverside Park Area, Sioux City Public Museum, Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center, Floyd River Trail/Rivers Edge, Trinity Heights, Milwaukee Railroad Roundhouse Historic Site, Brown’s Lake & Bigelow Park, Stone State Park, Grandview Park Band Festival, Cook Park, Betty Strong Encounter Center, Central High School Association Bookstore, Argosy Casino Sioux City, Sanford Community Center.

African American History in Sioux City: African Americans migrated in the 1850s to Sioux City for employment opportunities in many of their meat packing plants. After settling, some Blacks began to develop businesses in downtown Sioux City.

In the history of the city, many church officials have acted as advocates for the Black community, challenging discriminatory practices.

Founded in the early 1930s, the Sioux City Ghosts fast-pitch softball team toured across the country and games regularly included comedy routines and pranks, winning over 2,000 games in twenty years.

Sioux City (& surrounding communities)

Elected & Appointed Officials

Patrick Jennings

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Sandra Pearson

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Services & Organizations

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Attorneys & Legal Resources

***Iowa Legal Aid Northwest Iowa Regional Office**

(Free legal assistance for low-income Iowans)
507 7th Street, Suite 402
Sioux City, IA 51101
Phone: (800) 532-1275 (Toll Free)
Phone 2: (800) 992-8161 (for ages 60+)
Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

***Public Defender's Office**

Billy Oyadare
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Sioux City, IA 51101
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Tiefenthaler Law Office, P.C.

(Law firm)
Robert Tiefenthaler
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Sioux City, IA 51101
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Website: www.tieflaw.com

***Woodbury County Attorney's Office**

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Woodbury County Courthouse
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Website: www.woodburyiowa.com

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(B)

Business Consultants & Development

Lee and Associates Consultants & Training, LLC

(Assisting in team building and establishing small businesses)

Flora M. Lee

P.O. Box 1733

Sioux City, IA 51102

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Email: fleeconsults@aol.com

Rayford & Associates, LLC

(Sales training, coaching and consulting; Diversity & Leadership training)

Ike Rayford, President

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Sioux City, IA 51104

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(C)

Catering & Event Planning

Three Brotherz Barbeque & Catering

Owners:

Donald Scarlett

Willie Metcalf

3718 Jackson Street (Mail Only)

Sioux City, IA 51104

Phone: (712) 574-1744 (Scarlett)

Phone 2: (712) 333-0854 (Metcalf)

Email: dscarlett@cablone.net

Email 2: wmetcalf1950@yahoo.com

Community Centers & Services

***Council on Sexual Assault & Domestic Violence**

(Providing advocacy, shelter, and housing to victims of domestic violence)

Deb Hogan, Outreach Program

Terri Sturges, Shelter Program

P.O. Box 1565

Sioux City, IA 51102

Phone: (712) 277-0131 (Business Line)

Phone 2: (800) 982-7233 (Crisis Line)

Fax: (712) 258-8790

Email: debh@csadv.org

Website: www.csadvsiouxland.org

Crittenton Center

Marian Burnett, Director

P.O. Box 295

Sioux City, IA 51102

-or-

814 Pierce Street, Suite 100

Sioux City, IA 51101

Phone: (712) 255-4321

Fax: (712) 252-4743

Email: mburnett@crittentoncenter.org

Website: www.crittentoncenter.org

Website: www.facebook.com (Crittenton Center)

***Dave Thomas Foundation - Wendy's Wonderful Kids**

(Adoption Recruiting)

Treylla Lee, Western Recruiter

822 Douglas Street

Sioux City, IA 51102

Phone: (712) 255-2913

Email: lee-chavis@fouroaks.org

Website: <https://davethomasfoundation.org>

***Lutheran Services in Iowa**

(Providing parent support and education, refugee services, disability services, mental and behavioral health services, residential treatment and foster care and adoption services.)

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Website: www.lsiowa.org

RK Solid

(Weight Loss and Fitness Personal Trainers)

Rod Ketchens, Owner
P.O. Box 5011
Sioux City, IA 51102

-or-

Four Seasons Health Club
1600 7th Street
Sioux City, IA 51101
Phone: (712) 898-6560
Email: rketchens83@gmail.com
Website: [@RK_Solid](http://www.instagram.com)

Sanford Community Center

(Offering services and programs that build character in children and youth and assist families with community issues and challenges they face)

Fitzgerald P. Grant, Executive Director
1700 Geneva Street
Sioux City, IA 51103
Phone: (712) 252-0581
Fax: (712) 255-8423
Email: grantsanfordctr@yahoo.com
Email 2: fpgsanfordctr@outlook.com
Website: www.sanfordcenter.org
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Sanford Community Center)

***Sioux City Human Rights Commission**

(Eliminating discrimination in housing, public accommodations, education and credit)

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Email: kmackey@sioux-city.org
Website: www.sioux-city.org/government/boards-commissions/human-rights-commission
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Sioux City Human Rights Commission)

***Siouxland Center for Active Generations**

(Enriching the quality of life and supporting independence and vitality for our members with weekly programming meeting the social, recreational, and educational needs of our members)

Cheryl Hansen, Director
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Sioux City, IA 51103
Phone: (712) 255-1729
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Email: sscenter@cableone.net
Website: www.siouxlandcenterforactivegenerations.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Siouxland Center for Active Generations)
Website 3: www.twitter.com (Siouxland Center for Active Generations)
Website 4: www.linkedin.com (Siouxland Center for Active Generations)

Unity in the Community

(A partnership between the community and law enforcement to keep peace, hope, and love in the community)

Monique E. Scarlett
Cliff Coleman
3718 Jackson Street (Mail Only)
Sioux City, IA 51104
Phone: (712) 574-1745 (Scarlett)
Phone 2: (712) 212-8703 (Coleman)
Email: mzscarlett1@gmail.com

Women Aware

(Resource Center for economic stability. Provides legal referrals, not legal advice.)
Kristine Bornholz, Executive Director
505 Fifth Street, Room 422
Sioux City, IA 51101
Phone: (712) 258-4174
Email: womenaware@siouxlan.net
Website: www.womenawarescia.org

Contractors & Construction

L.E. Thomas Hauling/Construction

(Concrete & Snow Removal, landscaping, demolition, and construction site clean up)
Lee Thomas, Owner
1913 West 21st Street
Sioux City, IA 51103
Phone: (712) 203-1528

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Educational Resources

OURS Parent Group

(Partnering with NAACP and Sioux City Schools to support African American Youth via Outreach, Understanding, Responsibility and Support)
Monique E. Scarlett, Parent/Advisor
Lori Gentry, Equity Liaison/Advisor
P.O. Box 82
Sioux City, IA 51102
Phone: (712) 574-1745 (Scarlett)
Phone 2: (712) 203-1107 (Gentry)
Website: www.naacpsiouxcity.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (OURS Children)

Entertainment & Music

The First Tee of Siouxland

Craig Berenstein, Executive Director
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Sioux City, IA 51102
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Financial Services & Insurance

Angelo James Insurance Agency, Inc.

(*State Farm Insurance Provider - Provides Insurance and financial services)
Angelo James, CEO
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Sioux City, IA 51105
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Phone 2: (712) 252-0597
Fax: (712) 252-0750
Email: angelo@jamesf.com
Website: www.angelojamesf.com

(H)

Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Frances Building Barbershop

Clyde Shinall, Owner
505 5th Street, Main Lobby
Sioux City, IA 51101
Phone: (712) 255-4298
Email: mesoready8@yahoo.com

Pepe Hair Braiding & Beauty

Pepe Eviglo, Owner
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Sioux City, IA 51105
Phone: (712) 522-1104
Phone 2: (712) 301-0180
Email: dopeeviglo@gmail.com
Website: www.facebook.com (Pepe Hair Braiding & Beauty)

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Organizations

Decatur Lodge #14

Free & Accepted Masons
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Sioux City, IA 51108
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(State Contact - Kenneth F. Reed)
Email: decaturlodg14@gmail.com
Email 2: irayford@gmail.com
Website: www.mwphglia.org

Harmony Chapter #22

Order of the Eastern Star, Prince Hall Affiliation
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Physicians & Surgeons

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Website: www.rdeanmd.com

Places of Worship & Choirs

H.E.L.P Ministries

(Outreach ministry for bible study, sobriety,
evangelism, and worship)
Dr. Michelle & Carlos Venable-Ridley
Monique & Don Scarlett
513 Main Street
Sioux City, IA 51103
Phone: (712) 251-9960 (Venable-Ridley)
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Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor Jeremy F. Robertson, Sr.

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Sioux City, IA 51102

-or-

1421 Geneva Street
Sioux City, IA 51103
Phone: (712) 255-4623
Fax: (712) 255-7202

Email: mtzionbc1@cableone.net

Website: www.mtzionchurch.us

New Life in Christ C.O.G.I.C.

(Religious Organization - Spread the Gospel of
Jesus Christ)

Pastor James D. Mosley, Jr.

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2929 West 4th Street

Sioux City, IA 51103

Phone: (712) 212-3883

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Email: newlic5@gmail.com

Website: www.facebook.com (New Life in
Christ)

Waterloo



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“Tree City”

Established: 1853

Mayor: Quentin M. Hart

Total population: 68,146

African American population: 10,600 (15.6%)

Nearest City with a population of 200,000 +: St. Paul, MN (178.3 miles)

Nearest City with a population of 1 million +: Chicago, IL (323.8 miles)

Attractions: Sunrise Petting Zoo, Lost Island Water Park, Waterloo Center for the Arts, Cedar Valley Arboretum & Botanic Gardens, Waterloo Community Playhouse & Black Hawk Children’s Theatre, Waterloo/Cedar Falls Symphony Orchestra, Gallagher Bluedorn Performing Arts Center (located in Cedar Falls).

African American History in Waterloo: African Americans first migrated to Waterloo around the 1860s. In 1911 and 1912, a significant number of African Americans were imported by local railroad companies to help break the Illinois Central Railroad strikes. Other important employers of African Americans in Waterloo were found in meat packing and agriculture industries.

The Black citizenry of Waterloo had noted participation in the Civil Rights Movements of the 1960s and has allowed for more political and socioeconomic diversity.

Waterloo (& surrounding communities)

Elected Officials & Judges

Judge George Stigler

District Court Judge, 1st District
P.O. Box 9500
Waterloo, IA 50704

-or-

Black Hawk County Courthouse
316 East 5th Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 833-3293
Email: george.stigler@iowacourts.gov

Judge Jeffrey L. Harris

District Associate Judge, 1st District
Grundy County Courthouse
P.O. Box 34
706 G Avenue
Grundy Center, IA 50638
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Waterloo, IA 50704
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Website: www.rassmith62.com

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Services & Organizations

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Attorneys & Legal Resources

***Iowa Legal Aid Waterloo Regional Office**

(Free legal assistance for low-income Iowans)
607 Sycamore Street, Suite 304
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (800) 532-1275 (Toll Free)
Phone 2: (800) 992-8161 (for ages 60+)
Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

***Public Defenders Office**

(Adult)
Aaron Hawbaker, Chief Public Defender
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Waterloo, IA 50703
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***Swisher & Cohrt P.L.C.**

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Henry Bevel
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Website: <http://swishercohort.com>

(C)

Catering & Event Planning

Boujee Berries

(Desserts)

Akisha Hill

621 Sycamore Street, Suite B

Waterloo, IA 50702

Phone: (319) 529-2949

Colleges & University Affiliations

***University of Northern Iowa Center for Urban Education (UNI-CUE)**

Robert Smith, Executive Director

Megan Holbach, Assistant Director

800 Sycamore Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 273-4772

Email: megan.holbach@uni.edu

Website: <https://eop.uni.edu/uni-cue/about-uni-cue>

Communications, Media, & Marketing

4C's Consulting LLC & iGus Marketing

(Marketing, Communications, Consulting)

A. Denita Gadson, Owner

P.O. Box 1428

Waterloo, IA 50704

Phone: (319) 530-5426

Fax: (319) 833-8193

Email: fourc.consulting@gmail.com

Afro American Community Broadcasting, Inc. (KBBG-FM 88.1)

Allen Robinson, General Manager

918 Newell Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 235-1515 (Office)

Phone 2: (319) 234-1441 (Studio)

Email: information@kbbg.org

Website: www.kbbgfm.org

Radio Station KBOL - 100.1 FM

531 Commercial Street, Suite 302

Waterloo, IA 50701

Phone: (319) 423-9019

Website: www.facebook.com (KBOL 100.1 The Bee)

Soul Concepts, LLC

(Digital Marketing & Web Design)

Aric S. Robinson, Business Manager

1032 Independence Avenue

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 230-4787

Email: aric@soul2creative.com

Website: www.soulconceptsllc.com

Community Centers & Services

A-1 Flynn Bail Bonding

(Bail Bonding - 24 hour service)

Tommy McCellan-Bey

221 East 5th Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 233-2745

Phone 2: (319) 215-7291 (Cell)

Email: topflytsecurity@gmail.com

Website: www.a1flynnbailbonds.com

Amani Community Services

(Culturally specific domestic violence and sexual assault agency services for African Americans in Black Hawk and Linn Counties)

Lisa Ambrose, Executive Director

2315 Falls Avenue, Suite 1

Waterloo, IA 50701

Phone: (319) 232-5660

Phone 2: (888) 983-2533 (Toll Free)

Fax: (319) 232-5008

Email: lisa@amani-cs.org

Website: www.amani-cs.org

Bakari Behavioral Health

(Road to Empowering Families)
David Goodson, Owner/Director
515 Beech Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
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Email: dgoodson@bakariinc.com

***Cedar Falls Human Rights Commission**

(Advocating, educating, and enforcing the laws of discrimination)
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***City of Waterloo Commission on Human Rights**

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Website 2: www.facebook.com (Waterloo Human Rights Commission)

Club Les Dames

(Women's organization promoting social interaction, personal growth, community relations, family management, and education)
Sandra Parish
P.O. Box 1681
Waterloo, IA 50704
Phone: (319) 232-9755
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Website: www.facebook.com (Club Les Dames)

***Eastside Ministerial Alliance, Inc. (EMA)**

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Email: ema@emacenter.org
Website: www.emacenter.org

Eye of the Needle

(Providing basic need items to those who need at no cost)
Minister Patricia A. King, President
P.O. Box 1972
Waterloo, IA 50704
-or-
2327 Falls Avenue, Suites 5 & 6
Waterloo, IA 50701
Phone: (319) 215-6151
Email: iaeyeoftheneedle@gmail.com
Website: www.facebook.com (Eye of the Needle Waterloo)

Jesse Cosby Neighborhood Center

(Keeping and enhancing the quality of life for our neighborhood families)
Jesse Henderson, Executive Director
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Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 234-1793
Fax: (319) 234-1799
Email: jhenderson@jessecosby.org
Website: www.jessecosbycenter.org
Website 2: www.facebook.com/Jesse-Cosby-Neighborhood-Center

***Lutheran Services in Iowa**

(Providing parent support and education, refugee services, disability services, mental and behavioral health services, residential treatment and foster care and adoption services.)

Christine Blunt

Waterloo:

904 West 4th Street
Waterloo, IA 50702
Phone: (319) 233-3579
Fax: (319) 233-6569

Waverly:

P.O. Box 848
106 16th Street SW
Waverly, IA 50677
Phone: (319) 352-2630
Fax: (319) 352-0733

Email: lsiowa@lsiowa.org
Website: www.lsiowa.org

***MIECHV & Cedar Valley Readers**

(Adult reading program with Operation Threshold)

Stephanie Shavers, Supervisor
Operation Threshold
1535 Lafayette Street
Waterloo, IA 50704
Phone: (319) 292-1814 (Office)
Phone 2: (319) 415-6441 (Cell)
Email: sshavers@operationthreshold.org
Website: www.operationthreshold.org

***Operation Threshold**

(Collaborating, educating, and providing services to help meet basic needs and self-sufficiency)

Barbara A. Grant, Executive Director
P.O. Box 4120
1535 Lafayette Street
Waterloo, IA 50704
Phone: (319) 291-2065
Fax: (319) 235-1518
Email: bgrant@operationthreshold.org
Website: www.operationthreshold.org

Rainbow Group

(Providing safety, support, advocacy, and resources for all ethnic nationalities of the LGBT community)

Loren B. Scott, Director of Affairs
P.O. Box 273
Waterloo, IA 50704
Phone: (319) 404-2054 (Safeline)
Phone 2: (319) 493-8527
Email: rainbowlove319@gmail.com

***Riverview Center**

(Medical and legal advocacy, counseling and support for sexual assault survivors)

Rosario Garcia, Bilingual & Multicultural
Outreach Sexual Assault Advocate
2055 Kimball Avenue, Suite 355
Waterloo, IA 50702
Phone: (319) 939-9599
Phone 2: (888) 557-0310 (Crisis Line)
Email: rosario@riverviewcenter.org
Website: www.riverviewcenter.org

Social Action Inc. (SAI)

(Human empowerment and resource institute for change)

David Goodson, Founder & President
515 Beech Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 504-1997
Email: dgoodson@bakariinc.com

Waterloo Women's Civic Club

(Scholarship)
Gaile Tolbert, President
P.O. Box 2342
Waterloo, IA 50704
Phone: (319) 290-5559

***Waypoint Services for Women, Children, and Families -- Waterloo Campus**

(Supporting victims/survivors of domestic violence. In person meetings by appointment only)
318 5th Street SE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52401
Phone: (319) 365-1458, ext. 6159
Phone 2: (800) 208-0388 (Crisis Line)
Fax: (319) 365-2263
Email: nelly@waypointservices.org
Website: www.waypointservices.org

Contractors & Construction

Alpha Express, Inc.

(Intrastate Deliveries)
P.O. Box 2714
Waterloo, IA 50704
Phone: (319) 235-9713
Fax: (319) 235-2193
Email: alphadeliveries@aol.com
Website: www.alphaexpressinc.com

Alpha Services, Inc.

(Industrial Cleaning)
Ricco Cooper, Site Manager
P.O. Box 2714
Waterloo, IA 50704
-or-
1965 Newell Street
Waterloo, IA 50707
Phone: (319) 242-0093
Email: alphaservicesinc1@gmail.com
Website: www.alphaservicesiowa.com

Art Carter & Sons Electrical

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725 Adams Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
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Burkett Company, Inc.

(Engineering consultant firm for telecommunications)
Oliver B. Burkett, President
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Waterloo, IA 50704
Phone: (319) 236-0006
Phone 2: (319) 883-0471 (Cell)
Phone 3: (319) 429-3785 (Cell)
Fax: (319) 236-9006
Email: bci@burkettcompanyinc.com
Website: www.burkettcompanyinc.com

E. Bennett & Son

(Asphalt work, black topping, snow removal)
Ernie Bennett
710 Sherman Avenue
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 961-3073

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Entertainment & Music

Effie Burt

(Gospel, Jazz, and R&B Vocalist - sings the National Anthem and Iowa's State Song)
604 Kyra Drive
Oxford, MS 38655
Phone: (319) 504-1047
Email: jazzsinger2000@hotmail.com
Website: www.jazzydiva.com

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Funeral Services

Sanders Funeral Services

Aaron Sanders
1701 East 4th Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 232-5667
Fax: (319) 235-6144

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Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Brothaz Barbershop

Dale Jones, Owner
829 East 4th Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 234-2682

Earth's Beauty Supplies

Jim Nebo
403 Franklin Street, Suite A
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 291-6464
Email: iowaearthbeauty@gmail.com

Family Cuts and Styles

(Complete Hair Care for Adults and Children)
Denise Davis, Owner & Barber Stylist
Ricky Harmon, Barber
1500 East 4th Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 961-6958 (Ms. Davis)
Phone 2: (319) 429-2388 (Mr. Harmon)
Email: 228oliver@gmail.com (Ms. Davis)
Email 2: rouzan81@yahoo.com (Mr. Harmon)

Gray's Barber/Beauty Shop

(With 3 Barbers & 1 Cosmetologist)
Walter Gray, Owner
211 Linn Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 236-3325 (Barber Shop)
Phone: (319) 236-5797 (Beauty Shop)

Hairport

Trent Keller
729 Mobile Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 234-0965

Kut Kings

(Barber)
William Burt
211 Linn Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 493-8086
Phone 2: (319) 236-3325

Signature Cuts and Styles

Russell Bunt, Barber
Bridget, Styles
Tiffany, Styles
1010 East Mitchell Avenue
Waterloo, IA 50702
Phone: (319) 433-0582

Tri City Beauty Salon

Harry Carson, Owner
831 Walnut Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 235-9659

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Organizations

NAACP Black Hawk County Branch #4012

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Waterloo, IA 50704
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NAACP Black Hawk County Youth Council #4705

LaTanya Graves, Adult Branch President
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Palestine Chapter #28

Order of the Eastern Star, Prince Hall Affiliation
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Website: www.mwphglia.org

St. John's Lodge #35

Free & Accepted Masons
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Leon V. Moseley, Secretary
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Surgery Clinic PC
Cedar Valley Vein Clinic
146 West Dale Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 233-6211
Fax: (319) 233-2164
Website: www.cedarvalleyveinclinic.com

Community Health:

***Peoples Community Health Clinic**

(Basic healthcare for uninsured/underinsured)
905 Franklin Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 874-3000
Fax: (319) 874-3411
Email: bdouglass@peoples-clinic.com
Website: www.peoples-clinic.com

Free Health Clinic:

***Allen Community Engagement Salvation
Army Partnership (ACE-SAP Clinic)**

(Thursdays 9:00AM - 5:00PM; Alternating
Wednesdays 1:00PM - 5:00PM)
Dr. Ruselle Debonis, Clinic Manager, Medical
Director, & Founder
207 Logan Avenue
Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 235-9358
Website: <http://www.allencollege.edu/ace-sap-free-clinic>

Places of Worship & Choirs

All Nations Community Church

(American Baptist Churches - USA)

Reverend Dr. Mary Robinson

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Waterloo, IA 50703

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Email: maryrobinson4648@gmail.com

Website: www.allnationscommunitychurch.org

Antioch Baptist Church

426 Sumner Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

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Website: www.antiochbc.org

Corinthian Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor MarShaundus Robinson

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Waterloo, IA 50703

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Website:

www.corinthianmissionarybaptistchurch.com

Jubilee UMC Resource Center

Pastor Abraham L. Funchess, Jr.

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Website: www.jubileeumc.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Jubilee UMC Resource Center)

Miracle Central Church of God in Christ

Pastor Gilbert L. Clay, Sr.

P.O. Box 2916

Waterloo, IA 50704

-or-

1926 Sager Avenue

Waterloo, IA 50701

Phone: (319) 235-0455

Website: www.rhmiraclecentral.org

Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor Frantz T. Whitfield

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Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 233-9482

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Website: www.facebook.com (Mt. Carmel Missionary Baptist Church)

Mount Moriah Baptist Church

Pastor Robert Holmes

633 Walnut Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 961-6072

Payne Memorial AME Church

Reverend Thomas Flint

1044 Mobile Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 233-8189

Fax: (319) 233-0424

Email: payneamechurch@q.com

Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church

(Entering into the knowledge of God through our Study of God's Word, our fellowship with Christ, and Spiritually awakening the Power and the Love within)

Reverend Lovie Caldwell

432 Newell Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 234-7112

Fax: (319) 232-6171

Email: pilgrimrest@q.com

Website:

<http://pilgrimrestmbcwate.wixsite.com/community-church>

Union Missionary Baptist Church

(Bringing Families to Christ Ministry)

Reverend Marvin D. Jenkins

209 Jackson Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 235-1213

Email: byftcm@qwestoffice.net

(R)

Realtors & Real Estate

March 8th Enterprises, LLC

(Investment Properties - Renovated homes for rent)

Oliver B. & Nancy L. Burkett, Co-Owners

P.O. Box 2875

Waterloo, IA 50704

Phone: (319) 883-0471 (Cell)

Fax: (319) 236-9006

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Waterloo, IA 50702

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Phone 2: (319) 529-6009 (Cell)

Fax: (319) 291-7000

Email: will@sulenticfischels.com

Email 2: willfrostia@gmail.com

Website: www.williamangelo.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com/willfrostreetly

Restaurants

2 SCOOPS Ice Cream Shop

Rodney Anderson

403 Franklin Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 233-5262

Cottonwood Canyon Gourmet Coffee

Randolph Bryan, Owner

419 Washington Street

Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Phone: (319) 233-5018

Website: www.facebook.com (Cottonwood Canyon Gourmet Coffee)

Sookies Restaurant

Manuel & Helen Seenster

506 East Argyle Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 235-7642

Email: hmsministries@msn.com

Retail/Sales/Supplies

Big Q's Clothing Store

Quinton Richardson

518 Dane Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 883-3504

Email: bigqscllothing@gmail.com

Popcorn Heaven

(Popcorn & gourmet snacks)

Heather Stalzer

3025 Kimball Avenue

Waterloo, IA 50702

Phone: (319) 234-1170

Email: popcornheavencv@gmail.com

Website: www.popcornheavencv.com

Spellers True Value Hardware Store

Wendell & Allen Speller

1027 East 4th Street

Waterloo, IA 50703

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Phone 2: (319) 269-8795

Fax: (319) 232-1855

Email: spellerstruevalue@gmail.com

Website: www.facebook.com (Spellers True Value Hardware)

Tri City Clothing

Harry Carson, Owner

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Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 235-9659

Email: tricityclothing@gmail.com

“People create stories create people; or rather stories create people create stories.”

❖ **Chinua Achebe**



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