

**For Immediate Release:**

## **Woodbury County Proclaims May 24th “County Government Day”**

SIOUX CITY – Woodbury County is officially proclaiming Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016 as “County Government Day.” County officials and staff will host an open house that day at the County Courthouse, 620 Douglas Street, from 11AM-2PM. The event will feature presentations of the core services provided by the various county departments, as well as tours of the Courthouse and lunchtime refreshments.

“We’re proclaiming May 24<sup>th</sup> as County Government Day in an attempt to help make county residents more aware of the essential functions their county provides,” said Jeremy Taylor, Chairman of the Woodbury County Board of Supervisors.

7th Street between Douglas and Pierce will be closed during the event so that attendees may view various pieces of equipment used by the county, such as the Sheriff’s Department mobile command center. Other departments such as Emergency Services and Secondary Roads will have equipment on display, and K9 demonstrations by the Sheriff’s Department will be provided. Government Day is a free event and open to the general public. Students and those interested in learning more about the role of county government are encouraged to attend.

“It will be a day of information sharing; an opportunity to show appreciation to those that serve the county; and a time to admire the rich history and beautiful architecture of the County Courthouse,” said Mark Monson, County Board of Supervisor.

For more information on County Government Day, please contact Woodbury County Supervisor, Mark Monson, at: (712) 204-1015, or email: [mmonson@woodburycountyiowa.gov](mailto:mmonson@woodburycountyiowa.gov).

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