



Iowa
Accountability
Program

Leading the Way by Ensuring Equal Access to Justice

The 2018 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide



"There is immense power when a group of people with similar interests gets together to work toward the same goals."

- Idowu Koyenikan

Kimberly Baxter
Director, Iowa Accountability Program

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Dear Friends:

The Iowa Accountability Program (IAP) works to help the Iowa Judicial Branch achieve its mission of ensuring equal access to justice for all. As part of our efforts, we strive to enhance relationships between the African American community and system professionals.

On behalf of IAP, we thank you for your continued support and assistance. Each year, we receive positive feedback on our efforts and look forward to making an even greater impact this year.

We are excited to present to you the *2018 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide*. This is the only statewide African American Resource Guide in Iowa and has been a sought after resource for thousands, from community members and leaders to U.S. Congress members!

The *2018 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide* lists hundreds of amazing African American businesses, organizations, elected officials, consultants, physicians, services, places of worship and more throughout Iowa. This edition alone showcases nearly 600 individuals, businesses, and organizations!

Over the past thirteen years, we have recognized the unique goods and services that Iowa's African American population has to offer by highlighting the connections of African American community members across the state. The *2018 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide* is the tool that further connects the community, the state, and the people.

Thank you for reading, and please feel free to share the *2018 Greater Iowa African American Resource Guide* with family, friends, and associates.
Sincerely,



Director of the Iowa Accountability Program

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Contact Name _____

Contact Title _____

Address* _____

City* _____ State* _____ Zip* _____

Primary Phone* _____ Secondary Phone _____

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Description of Business/Organization _____

(indicates a required field)*

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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. Frederick 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.



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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).

African American Stats & Facts

According to the United States Census Bureau, 3.3% of Iowa's population was African American in 2016.

Top 5 Cities: African American Population in 2016	
Des Moines	23,469
Davenport	11,694
Waterloo	10,744
Cedar Rapids	8,045
Iowa City	5,108

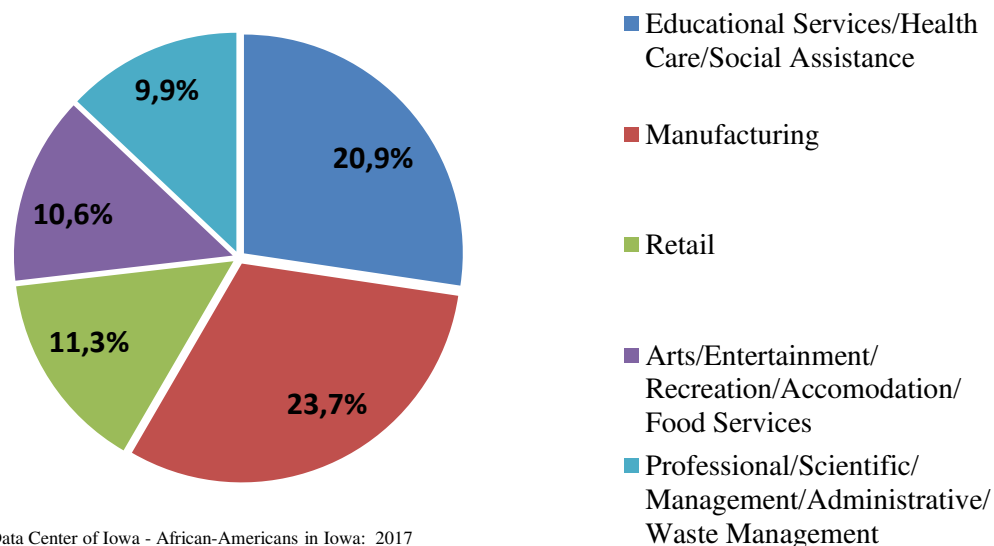
Top 5 Counties: African American Population in 2016	
Polk	32,235
Scott	13,254
Black Hawk	11,778
Linn	10,174
Johnson	8,666

Source: United States Census Bureau, 2016 ACS Demographic Estimates

The State Data Center of Iowa & the Iowa Commission on the Status of African Americans released a report in February 2017 that highlighted key statistics and trends seen in Iowa's African American communities. In 2014, 83.5% of Iowa's African Americans had at least a high school education, 14.2% had earned a bachelor's degree and 4.0% had earned a graduate or professional degree. Since the 1999-2000 school year, African American enrollment has increased 51.1% and currently represents 6.2% 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 2015 was \$20,190. In 2012, there were 4,918 African American-owned firms in Iowa, a 344.7% increase from 1992. In addition, as of 2015, there were 3,817 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:

2012 – 2016 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: 2017. (February 2017) – 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. 16 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



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“Right Place. Great Times.”

Established: 1864

County: Story

Current Mayor: Ann Campbell

Total population: 64,073

African American population: 1,994 (3.1%)

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, Brunnier 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

(A)

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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(Cultivating & connecting Black faculty & staff to assist in navigating the university community)

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(Promoting academic excellence, mentoring, professional guidance, social support and scholarly advancement of students and other members of the ISU community of African descent and other nationalities)

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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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(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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-or-

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(Youth work & comprehensive child welfare
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carpet cleaning)

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Email: jcrserv@gmail.com
Website: www.facebook.com (Jones Cleaning &
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Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

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Website: www.iowanebraskanaacp.org

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Physicians & Surgeons

Neurology:

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Ames, IA 50010
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Website: www.mcfarlandclinic.com

Places of Worship & Choirs

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)
Pastor Toran Smith
P.O. Box 711
114 5th Street
Ames, IA 50010
Phone: (515) 296-0356
Email: info@everyone.org
Website: www.everyone.org

Friendship Baptist Church

(Magnifying Christ as we live, love, teach, learn, give and grow)
Pastor Moses Ward
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Ames, IA 50014
Phone: (515) 292-4539
Email: office@fbc-ames.org
Website: www.fbc-ames.org

New Birth Baptist Church

Pastor Robert Knight Jr.
P.O. Box 9005
159 Sheldon Avenue
Ames, IA 50014
Phone: (515) 450-8881
Email: nbbc@newbirthames.org
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: Ron Corbett

Total population: 129,537

African American population: 8,045 (6.2%)

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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Services & Organizations

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Attorneys & Legal Resources***Iowa Legal Aid**

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

***Legal Shield/Kroll**

(Providing access to affordable Legal Services
& Identity Management on an international
scope - 24/7/365.)
Beth Parker
1635 2nd Avenue SE (Mail Only)
Cedar Rapids, IA 52403
Phone: (319) 431-0710
Email: nubetko@gmail.com
Website: www.legalshield.com/hub/parkerce

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Business Consultants & Development**Regional Economic Development Institute
(RED-I)**

(Empowering & networking with African
American businesses)
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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

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

(Providing community podcasting services as well as internet radio for jazz, soul, gospel, Caribbean music and community news magazine)

Gregory Jackson, Owner/Manager

2665 25th Avenue (Mail Only)

Marion, IA 52302

Phone: (319) 804-1090

Phone 2: (319) 202-6579 (Cell)

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

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Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

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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

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

Fax: (319) 232-5008

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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

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Email: gkelley@asac.us

Website: www.asac.us

At Your Service Corridor Community

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

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

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Website 2: www.facebook.com (Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cedar Rapids and East Central Iowa)

Website 3: www.twitter.com (Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cedar Rapids and East Central Iowa)

***Cedar Rapids Civil Rights Commission**

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

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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)

Dorice Ramsey, Executive Director

404 17th Street SE

Cedar Rapids, IA 52403

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

Fax: (866) 300-8786

Website: www.janeboyd.org

NOVA Medical Staffing

(Nursing agency providing nurses and CNAs for hospitals, long-term facilities, and home health care)

Patrick Munyakazi, Owner

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Email: novamedstaff@gmail.com

***Tanager Place**

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

Okpara Rice, CEO

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Email: orice@tanagerplace.org

Website: www.tanagerplace.org

***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
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Cedar Rapids, IA 52401
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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
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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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Email: alphonce.obannon@transwebglobal.com
Website: www.transitionslab.com
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Financial Services & Insurance

IVEST Solutions
(Financial Services & Insurance)
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(Real estate consulting, specializing in preventing foreclosure)
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Universal Lending Corp.
James Whitfield, Sr., Branch Manager
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Cedar Rapids, IA 52402
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Phone 2: (319) 651-6284 (Cell)
Fax: (866) 383-6999
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Website: www.ulciowa.com

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Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Aularale
(Skin care & cosmetics)
Paulette Clark, Independent Beauty Consultant
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Mount Olive Lodge #17
Free & Accepted Masons
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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
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Marion, IA 52302

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601 Old Marion Road NE
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Community Evangelical Pentecostal Church

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Website: www.comepc.org

Gospel Tabernacle Church

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Lifeline Ministries

(All inclusive house of worship)
Pastor Tim Pridegon
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Marion Christian Fellowship

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Pastors Rufus & Betty Johnson
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Marion, IA 52302
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Light of the Heartland

(Soy Base and Natural Products - Soy Candles
and Soap Maker)
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(E-commerce business focused on authentic
sports and athletic apparel)
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Davenport



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“Queen City of the West”

Established: 1836

County: Scott

Mayor: Frank Klipsch

Total population: 102,305

African American population: 11,964 (11.4%)

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)

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Christine Hester

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Rev. Nathaniel Johnson

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(Event and conference planning & market research)
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Community Centers & Services

100 Black Men of the Quad Cities
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Creative Resources

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Des Moines



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“The State Capital”

Established: 1834

County: Polk

Mayor: Frank Cownie

Total population: 212,859

African American Population: 23,469 (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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Irene's Wings And Things

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JAZZEDY Personal Chefs & Catering, LLC

(Bistro, catering and classes)

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Rudy's Texas BBQ & Catering

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Uncle Mike's BBQ

Mike Bell, Catering

1610 6th Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50314

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Veggie Thumper

(Raising awareness on fresh local vegetarian and vegan produce & Food Truck)

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Des Moines, IA 50310

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Venue Enterprise/Eventfully Yours, LLC

(Event Design & Planning - Wedding, Party, & Reception Décor Rentals)

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Colleges & University Affiliations**Black Law Students Association (BLSA)**

*Drake University

2608 Forest Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50311

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***Cultural Community - International Club**

(Lots of educational and fun activities helping newcomers feel more comfortable in their environment and learn more about American culture)

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***Crew Scholars Program**

(Scholarship program recruiting domestic students of color to become leaders and mentors to help break cycles of oppression)

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Communications, Media, & Marketing

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The Communicator

(Local news voice of Black Iowa)
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Website: www.facebook.com (The Communicator Good News)
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Website 3: www.instagram.com (@GoodNewsIsBack)
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The Des Moines Urban Experience Magazine

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

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Community Centers & Services**African American Leadership Forum**

(Improving the quality of life in our community through leadership and collaboration of resources to connect and empower)
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Alternative Care of Iowa

(Providing Supported Community Living, respite and residential services to individuals with mental and intellectual disabilities in Polk County.)

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Caring Hearts, LLC

(Workshops and training in: diversity practices, billing, and other business topics)

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Central City Development Corporation

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

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

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

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***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)

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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 First

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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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***Crime Victim Assistance Division (CVAD)**

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

(Advancing justice for all Des Moines residents through civil rights investigations, education, outreach, mediation, and litigation)

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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.)

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***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.)

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***Family Planning Council of Iowa**

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

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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)

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Glory Kids

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***Goodwill Industries of Central Iowa**

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***Harvard Risk Management**

(ID Shield Protection)

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Clive, IA 50325

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Integrated Treatment Services

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

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***Iowa Accountability Program**

(Improving the judicial handling of domestic violence cases)

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***Iowa Civil Rights Commission**

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

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

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

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

(Promoting a society free from sexual violence)

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

(Basic shelter service and related programs for youth)

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Knowledge Delivery Services, LLC

(Consulting & data processing)

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(Event Management and Community Organization)

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Des Moines, IA 50309

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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.)

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Nisaa African Family Services

(Serving victims of domestic violence & sexual assault in African immigrant and refugee communities in Iowa.)

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***Oakridge Neighborhood Services**

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(Temporary & permanent pharmacy staffing services)

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Website: www.pharmservstaffing.com

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

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Self Awareness, LLC

(Substance Abuse Treatment & Community Support Services)

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Urban Dreams/Second Chances

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***Urbandale Civil Rights Commission**

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***West Des Moines Human Rights Commission**

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***West Des Moines Human Services**

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

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***YMCA of Greater Des Moines**

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***Young Women's Resource Center (YWRC)**
(Supporting, educating and advocating for young women ages 10-21 - small groups & individual support)

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The Zone of Comfort, Life Balance Center
(Balance: Mentally, Physically, and Spiritually)

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Website 3: www.linkedin.com (The Zone of Comfort)
Website 4: www.twitter.com (The Zone of Comfort)

Contractors & Construction

Asphalt Maintenance & Construction Company

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

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Drew's Lawn Service

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Ewing Concrete

(Quality concrete service with detailed plans)

Herb Ewing, Sr., Owner

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Clive, IA 50325

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Heavenly Hauling and Cleaning Service

(Offering a variety of household upkeep & hauling services)

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Jermaine's Hauling and Services, Inc.

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

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(Commercial Cleaning)

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Email: service@premiermaid.com

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Propaint Company

(Commercial and Residential painting company)

Ryan Marshall, Owner

4511 1/2 60th Street

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Phone: (515) 991-5767

Email: propaintcompany@gmail.com

Website: www.propaintcompany.com

Reliable Maintenance

Keith McKay

2525 Douglas Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 255-3032

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Email: reliablemaint@aol.com

Website:

www.reliablemaintenancecompany.com

Whitfield's Lawn & Garden Specialist, LLC

(Lawn & garden care, landscaping)

Randy Whitfield, Owner

3132 4th Street

Des Moines, IA 50313

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

Email: whitfieldslgs@yahoo.com

Email 2: 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

Email: joanne.hughes@mchsi.com

Website: www.facebook.com (Charles Lamont 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

Fax: (712) 542-2907

Email: mike.butt@sequelyouthservices.com

Website: www.clarindaacademy.org

College-Cents

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

Arnold Woods, Executive Director

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Des Moines, IA 50310

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Connect Foundation

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

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Email: prinzcipal@aol.com

Website: www.connectfoundation.us

I'll Make Me A World In Iowa

(Iowa's African American Festival)

Betty C. Andrews, Executive Director

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Phone: (515) 288-7171

Email: bettycandrews@yahoo.com

Email 2: info@bettyandrewsmedia.com

Website: www.worldiniowa.org

Iowa Summit on Justice & Disparities

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Iowa Juneteenth Observance

(Historic preservation & public education on Juneteenth)

Dwana Bradley, General Chairperson

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Des Moines, IA 50316

Phone: (515) 829-0927

Email: dwanaabradley77@gmail.com

Website: www.dsmurban.org

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)

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Phone: (515) 243-9159

Fax: (515) 339-7151

Email: info@jewelsacademy.org

Website: www.jewelsacademy.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com/JASTEM2005

Website 3: www.twitter.com/JASTEM2005

Multicultural Educational Programs, Inc.

(Educational Consulting Firm and The Shirleen A. Taylor Business Incubator)

Michelle L. Taylor-Frazier, Executive Director & Founder

Park Fair Mall

100 East Euclid Street, Suite 113

Des Moines, IA 50313

Phone: (515) 339-0879

Email: mtaylorfrazier06@gmail.com

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

1168 22nd Street

Des Moines, IA 50311

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Email: ateima75@yahoo.com

Website: www.eattravel.org

Virtuous Woman ASAP

(Teaching females of all ages of their worth as found in Christ and build on that foundation)

Kim D. Bolden, Board Director

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Des Moines, IA 50317

Phone: (515) 635-5699

Email: virtuouswomanasap@gmail.com

Website: www.virtuouswomanasap.org

Website 2: www.youtube.com (Virtuous Woman ASAP)

***Woodward Academy**

Guthrie Fritz, Admissions Director

1251 334th Street

Woodward, IA 50276

Phone: (515) 438-3481

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Email: info@wwacademy.com

Website: www.wwacademy.com

Entertainment & Music**Amiete's Talk Show**

(Loving God & Loving People)

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Big Earls Goldmine

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4745 NW 2nd Avenue
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)

James Neely, Managing Owner

1301 Locust Street, Suite E

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www.bottleandbottega.com/des_moines

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Bottle & Bottega Des Moines)

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

Website 4: www.instagram.com

(@BottleBottega)

Website 5: www.linkedin.com (Bottle & Bottega Des Moines)

Capital City Steppers

(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: joanne.hughes@mchsi.com

Website: www.facebook.com (Capital City Steppers Des Moines IA)

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/finalmixband

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

Email: info@gatewaydance.org

Website: www.gatewaydance.org

Website 2:

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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

1432 21st Street

Des Moines, IA 50311

Phone: (515) 246-9959

Email: isiserettes@hotmail.com

Website: www.isiserettes.org

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Isiserettes)

LaunchPad Global Enterprises LLC

(Multi-media solutions, small business consulting, event planning & promotions and live entertainment)

Gerald "Bo" James III, Founder & Owner
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Johnston, IA 50131
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LizZ Sharp Music & More

(Music & television entertainment)

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Des Moines, IA 50314
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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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***Pump It Up**

(Inflatable playground and parties)

4069 121st Street
Urbandale, IA 50323
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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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Financial Services & Insurance

Hawkins & Hawkins Consulting, LLC
(Certified credit counselors and financial educators - individual & group financial counseling)

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Integrity Audit Services, LLC

(Telecom audit & daily money management services)
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Newton, IA 50208
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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))
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Clive, IA 50325
Phone: (515) 283-0940
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Website: www.theiowacenter.org

Krobgofa Financial Services

(Providing a variety of financial services such as banking, investments, etc.)
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***State Farm Insurance**

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Website: www.stevecurren.com

***Wells Fargo Home Mortgage**

(Mortgage Lending)
Jonna Johnson, Home Mortgage Consultant
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Des Moines, IA 50312
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Website: www.myhomeloanwithjonna.com

Fraternities & Sororities

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Zeta Kappa Lambda Alumni Chapter
(Developing leaders and promotes brotherhood and academic excellence while providing service and advocacy for our communities)
Broderick Daye, Secretary
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Des Moines, IA 50306
Phone: (515) 556-4357
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Website: www.ZKL06.org
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Zeta Kappa Lambda Educational Foundation)

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Des Moines Alumnae Chapter
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Website: www.dstdesmoines.org
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Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Mu Omicron Graduate Chapter
(Mentor youth, raise money for scholarships and charitable causes and start initiatives that encourage our members to make a difference in the lives of people.)
Marvin DeJear, Chapter President
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Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

(Promoting & providing service for humanity)
Terence Manning
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P.O. Box 41702
Des Moines, IA 50311
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Website: www.phibetasigma.com

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Nu Mu Theta Chapter
Joyce Bruce, President
Veola Perry, 3rd Position on Scholarship
P.O. Box 136
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-or-
3132 Glenarm Court (Mail Only)
Des Moines, IA 50310
Phone: (515) 274-2266 (Ms. Bruce)
Phone 2: (515) 279-8425 (Ms. Perry)
Email: veolaperry@yahoo.com
Website: www.zphib1920.org

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Nu Mu Zeta Graduate Chapter
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Funeral Services**Cannon Mortuary**

William Cannon, Owner
717 Southeast 26th Court (Mail Only)
Des Moines, IA 50317
-or-
2003 Southeast 6th Street
Des Moines, IA 50315
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Email: cannonmortuary@yahoo.com

Henderson's Highland Park Funeral Service

Donna & Walt Henderson
3500 6th Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50313
Phone: (515) 309-6550
Fax: (515) 288-6552
Email: donna@hendersonhp.com
Website: www.hendersonshp.com

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Hair Care & Beauty Supply**Ari Illuzions**

(Specializing in haircare for all ages)
Arrius Walker
2525 Douglas Avenue, Suite C
Des Moines, IA 50310
Phone: (515) 943-0274

Clippernomics Barber Shop and Beauty Salon

Tony Nalls, Owner/Master Barber

3312 Indianola Avenue

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Tony Nalls, Owner/Master Barber

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Website: www.clippernomics.com

Clippernomics Phase 2 Barber Shop

Tony Nalls, Owner/Master Barber

6804-6806 Douglas Avenue

Urbandale, IA 50322

Phone: (515) 318-2794

Email: clippernomics@yahoo.com

Website: www.clippernomics.com

Imperial Kuttz & Imperial Styles

Sam Clay, Sr.

1537 6th Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: (515) 243-1478

***Iowa School of Beauty**

Erica Palmer, Instructor

423 South Ankeny Boulevard

Ankeny, IA 50023

-or-

3305 70th Street

Urbandale, IA 50322

Phone: (515) 965-3991 (Ankeny Campus)

Phone 2: (515) 278-9939 (Urbandale Campus)

Website: www.iowaschoolofbeauty.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Iowa School of Beauty)

Kanika R. Mayes, Independent Beauty Contractor

616 East 6th Street

Des Moines, IA 50309

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Paris Van-Del's Beauty and Barber Salon

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

Paris Van-Del, Owner

5005 Douglas Avenue, Suite 104

Des Moines, IA 50310

Phone: (515) 537-0469

Email: cynim2004@yahoo.com

Website: <http://parisvandels.salonmonster.com>

Perfect 10

(Professional Nail Care Services)

NaToyia Winters, Owner

8033 University Boulevard, Suite C-2

Clive, IA 50325

Phone: (515) 974-7412

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Des Moines, IA 50311

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Spa Glory

(Providing a full spa experience)

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Website: www.eatravel.org

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Des Moines, IA 50316

Phone: (515) 262-2723

Website: www.facebook.com (Supreme Cuts)

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Organizations***And Justice For All, Inc.**

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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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(Providing a variety of outpatient care services)
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6601 Southwest 9th Street
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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
814 School Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 243-4073
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Email: churchsecretary@corinthianbc.org
Email 2: dorothyshaley@ymail.com
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Des Moines, IA 50317
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Fax: (515) 266-9094
Website: www.palmer-ellefsonfreeclinic.com

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3700 Cottage Grove Avenue
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Phone: (515) 255-2131
Fax: (515) 255-6500
Website: www.gracedesmoines.org/free-clinic

***Mae E. Davis Medical Clinic**

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***Margaret Cramer Clinic**

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Des Moines First Assembly
2725 Merle Hay Road
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***Norwalk Free Medical Clinic**

(No appointment necessary.)
Crossroads Church
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Norwalk, IA 50211
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Email: crossroadschurch2@msn.com
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Website: www.mercydesmoines.org

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

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Des Moines, IA 50309
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Website: www.blankchildrens.org

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Des Moines, IA 50309
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Website: www.blankchildrens.org

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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)

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CIC Associates
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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.eatrael.org

Corinthian Baptist Church

Pastor Jonathan Whitfield
814 School Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 243-4073
Fax: (515) 284-5448
Email: churchsecretary@corinthianbc.org
Email 2: dorothyshaley@ymail.com
Website: www.corinthianbc.org

***Cornerstone Family Church**

Pastors Dan and Anne Berry
3114 Southwest 61st Street
Des Moines, IA 50321
Phone: (515) 243-2852
Website: www.iamcornerstone.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com/iamcornerstone

Elim Christian Fellowship

Pastor Michael K. Hurst
525 East 9th Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: (515) 243-5512
Website: www.elimdsm.com

Faith Missionary Baptist Church

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

Grow Up Ministries Church

(Loving on a level the world and the church have
not understood, all for the glory of God)
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

Mt. Hebron Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor Bobby L. Young
1338 9th Street
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 280-9163
Fax: (515) 280-8305
Email: iammounthebron@gmail.com
Website: www.mounthebronmbc.com

Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor James E. Wright, Sr.
3100 Second 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

New Friendship COGIC

1317 Forest Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 280-9214
Email: richardanddeb2@gmail.com

Present Truth Ministries International

(Multiethnic congregation)
Pastors Ben & Julie Bell
Merle Hay Tower
3850 Merle Hay Road
Des Moines, IA 50310
Phone: (515) 988-0505 (Ben)
Phone 2: (515) 988-0969 (Julie)
Email: bcbell648@gmail.com

***St. Paul AME Church**

(Ministering to the social, spiritual, and physical development of all people)
Reverend Frederick K. Gaddy
1201 Day Street
Des Moines, IA 50314
Phone: (515) 288-4419
Email: stpaulamedsm@gmail.com

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

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Realtors & Real Estate***Iowa Realty**

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Des Moines, IA 50310
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Email: pabutler@iowarealty.com
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Leila Granger, Broker Associate, CRS, E-PRO
80 Southeast Laurel
Waukee, IA 50263
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Fax: (515) 453-6714
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Website: www.leilagranger.com

***Keller Williams Realty**
Travis Ferguson, Realtor
(Licensed Real Estate Professional)
4001 Westown Parkway
West Des Moines, IA 50266
Phone: (515) 661-1202 (Cell)
Fax: (515) 331-4301
Email: tferg@kw.com
Website: www.tferg.kwrealty.com
Website 2: www.facebook.com (Travis Ferguson Real Estate)

***RE/MAX Real Estate Concepts**
Robb Spearman
8020 Douglas Avenue
Urbandale, IA 50322
Phone: (515) 276-2872
Email: robb@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.eatravel.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)

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

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

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

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)

Popcorn Heaven

(Popcorn & gourmet snacks)

Akylah Johnson, Owner

5828 Douglas Avenue

Des Moines, IA 50322

Phone: (515) 727-2228

Email: popcornheavendsm@gmail.com

Website: www.popcornheavendm.com

Website 2: www.facebook.com (Popcorn Heaven serving Des Moines and Beyond)

Website 3: www.twitter.com

(@PopcornHeavenDM)

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: 58,535

African American population: 2,380 (4.1%)

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

Miquel Jackson

City of Dubuque Human Rights Commissioner
1461 Jackson Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 589-4190
Phone 2: (443) 521-9251 (Cell)
Email: miquel.jackson67@gmail.com
Website: www.cityofdubuque.org

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

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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

***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) 588-6313
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 & Advisor for Black Student Union
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**

Kelly Larson, Director
1300 Main Street
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 589-4190
Fax: (563) 690-6691
Email: klarson@cityofdubuque.org
Website: www.cityofdubuque.org

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: rmcclellandreamcenter@gmail.com
Website: www.dubuquedreamcenter.com
Website: www.facebook.com (The Dubuque Dream Center)

Fountain of Youth

(To change the mindset that contributes 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
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***Multicultural Family Center**

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

Sarah Petersen, Assistant Director
1157 Central Avenue
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563) 582-3681
Email: info@mfcdbq.org
Website: www.mfcdbq.org

***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

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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

Luxurious Hair Salon

(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

Mrs. Latoya's Beauty Supply Store

(Hair extensions, wigs, and hair care supplies)

Latoya Mccauley

1842 Central Avenue

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 564-2661

Email: latoyanicolelongstreet@gmail.com

Website: www.facebook.com (Mrs. Latoya's)

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Organizations

NAACP Dubuque Branch #4025

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Miquel Jackson, Branch Vice President

P.O. Box 1012

Dubuque, IA 52004

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Website 2: [@DBQNAACP](http://www.twitter.com)

NAACP Iowa-Nebraska State Conference of Branches

Betty C. Andrews, President

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Website: www.iowanebraskanaacp.org

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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**

(To serve God while being intentionally multiracial)

Reverend Timothy Bees

2143 Judson Drive

Dubuque, IA 52001

Phone: (563) 582-5088 (Pastor's Line)

Email: fcbdbq@gmail.com

Website: www.fcbdbq.org

Radius Church

Robert Kimble, Pastor

1600 White Street

Dubuque, IA 52001

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Email: rkimbledreamcenter@gmail.com

Website: www.radiuschurchdbq.org

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

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Realtors & Real Estate

***Exit Realty**

Pauline Chilton, Realtor

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Dubuque, IA 52003

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Website 3: www.twitter.com

(@PaulineChilton)

Fort Dodge



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Established: 1851

County: Webster

Mayor: Matt Bemrich

Total population: 24,626

African American population: 1,560 (6.3%)

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

Helen Miller

State Representative – District 9
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Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (515) 570-3535
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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

Athletics for Education and Success

(Youth program)
Charles Clayton, Executive Director
712 3rd Street NW
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (515) 955-2969
Fax: (515) 573-1118
Email: ourafes@hotmail.com
Website: www.afes4kids.org

***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**

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Fort Dodge, IA 50501
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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.)
Kaycee Boros
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Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: (515) 955-2199
Fax: (515) 955-2161
Email: lsiowa@lsiowa.org
Website: www.lsiowa.org

The Urban Ag Academy

(Education of minorities on agricultural and rural issues)
Iowa State Representative Helen Miller
P.O. Box 371
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
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Email: urbanagacademy1@gmail.com

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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
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Website: www.iowanebraskanaacp.org

Iowa City



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Established: 1839

County: Johnson

Mayor: Jim Throgmorton

Total population: 72,385

African American population: 5,108 (7.1%)

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

Kingsley Botchway II

Mayor Pro Tem & City Council Member
Council Members
410 East Washington Street
Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: (319) 438-2238
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Ruthina Malone

Iowa City Public School Board Member
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)
Gordon Fischer, Attorney
325 East Washington Street, Ste. 100
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
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Colleges & University Affiliations

African Student Association

Adhel Jok, Acting President
*University of Iowa
260 Iowa Memorial Union
Iowa City, IA 52242
Phone: (319) 335-3059
Email: adhel-jok@uiowa.edu
Website: <https://orgsync.com/17261/chapter>
Website 2: www.facebook.com (UIowa African
Student Association)

Black Law Students Association

(Promote the needs & goals of Black law students)

Adrienne Sconyers, President

*University of Iowa

College of Law

Iowa City, IA 52242

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Fax: (319) 335-9019

Email: adrienne-sconyers@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

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Email: whit.france-kelly@foriowa.org

Website: www.iowalum.com

***Multicultural Nursing Association**

Valerie Garr, M.A.

University of Iowa

College of Nursing

Diversity Office - Rm. 131 CNB

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Iowa City, IA 52242

Phone: (319) 335-6548

Email: valerie-garr@uiowa.edu

Website:

www.nursing.uiowa.edu/diversity/mna

Society of Black Graduate and Professional Students

*University of Iowa

145 Iowa Memorial Union

Iowa City, IA 52242

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Email: getinvolved@uiowa.edu

Website: www.uiowa.edu

***UI College of Law**

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University of Iowa

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Website: www.law.uiowa.edu

***UI College of Nursing**

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University of Iowa

131 CNB

Iowa City, IA 52242

Phone: (319) 335-6548

Email: valerie-garr@uiowa.edu

Website: www.nursing.uiowa.edu

Community Centers & Services

Caring Hands & More, LLC

(Home health care, housekeeping, & transportation services)

Bruce Teague, Founder

409 Kirkwood Avenue, Suite B

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)

940 South Gilbert Court

Iowa City, IA 52240

Phone: (319) 594-7593

Email: info@cwjiowa.org

Website: www.cwjiowa.org

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

Stefanie Bowers, Esquire, Equity Director for City of Iowa City

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Dream Center

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Gayle's Blessed Day Care

Gayle Hughes

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Coralville, IA 52241

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(Serving victims of domestic violence & sexual assault in African immigrant and refugee communities in Iowa.)

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Hair Care & Beauty Supply***La James International College & Day Spa**

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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
Phone: (319) 351-8398
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Website: www.texturessaloniowacity.com

Venus African Hair Braiding & Beauty Salon

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Coralville, IA 52241
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Organizations

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Iowa City SURJ

(Challenges and dismantles 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.)
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Places of Worship & Choirs

Bethel A.M.E. Church

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The Kingdom Center

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Restaurants

Iowa Soul Food Company

Chad Simmons
2133 Dempster Drive
Coralville, IA 52241
Phone: (773) 531-7051
Email: info@iowasoulfood.com
Website: www.iowasoulfood.com

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
Website: www.sushikicchin.com

Sioux City



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“Little Chicago”

Established: 1851

County: Woodbury

Mayor: Bob Scott

Total population: 82,666

African American population: 3,119 (3.8%)

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

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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)
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Phone 2: (800) 992-8161 (for ages 60+)
Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

***Public Defender's Office**

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Tiefenthaler Law Office, P.C.

(Law firm)
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Business Consultants & Development

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(Assisting in team building and establishing small businesses)
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(Sales training, coaching and consulting;
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***Dave Thomas Foundation - Wendy's Wonderful Kids**

(Adoption Recruiting)

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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.)

Leesa Kinzer

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Sanford Community Center

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

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***Sioux City Human Rights Commission**

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

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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)

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Website 4: www.linkedin.com (Siouxland Center for Active Generations)

Translation, Immigration & Income Tax Assistance Services

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Unity in the Community

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

Monique E. Scarlett

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Women Aware

(Resource Center for economic stability.

Provides legal referrals, not legal advice.)

Kate Colling, Executive Director

505 Fifth Street, Room 422

Sioux City, IA 51101

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Website: www.womenawarecia.org

Contractors & Construction**Tony's Mobile Service**

(Mobile pressure washing, sand & soda blasting, telephone & cable wiring, mobile trailer home demolition & removal, and more!)

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Sioux City, IA 51101

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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

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Entertainment & Music

The First Tee of Siouxland

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Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Frances Building Barbershop

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Pepe Hair Braiding & Beauty

Pepe Eviglo, Owner

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Organizations

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Waterloo



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“Tree City”

Established: 1853

Mayor: Quentin M. Hart

Total population: 68,357

African American population: 10,744 (15.7%)

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
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Waterloo, IA 50704

-or-

Black Hawk County Courthouse
316 East 5th Street
Waterloo, IA 50703
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Judge Jeffrey L. Harris

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Grundy County Courthouse
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Mayor Quentin M. Hart

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Dr. Kenneth Adderley

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Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

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Community Centers & Services

A-1 Flynn Bail Bonding

(Bail Bonding - 24 hour service)
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AJEH's Car Services

(Taxi - 24 hours)
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Waterloo, IA 50701
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(Culturally specific domestic violence and sexual
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Bakari Behavioral Health

(Road to Empowering Families)
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(Advocating, educating, and enforcing the laws of discrimination)

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Club Les Dames

(Women's organization promoting social interaction, personal growth, community relations, family management, and education)

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Eye of the Needle

(Providing basic need items to those who need at no cost)

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Jesse Cosby Neighborhood Center

(Keeping and enhancing the quality of life for our neighborhood families)

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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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***Operation Threshold**

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

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Rainbow Love

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

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Waterloo, IA 50704
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***Riverview Center**

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

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(Human empowerment and resource institute for change)

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Waterloo Women's Civic Club

(Scholarship)
Gaile Tobert, President
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***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.

(Delivering, hauling, moving, & cleaning)

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Eta Gamma Gamma Chapter

Lawrence Daniel, Chapter Basileus

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Hair Care & Beauty Supply

Brothaz Barbershop

Dale Jones, Owner

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Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 234-2682

Earth's Beauty Supplies

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Family Cuts and Styles

(Complete Hair Care for Adults and Children)
Denise Davis, Owner & Barber Stylist
Ricky Harmon, Barber
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Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: (319) 961-6958 (Ms. Davis)
Phone 2: (319) 429-2388 (Mr. Harmon)
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(With 3 Barbers & 1 Cosmetologist)
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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

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
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Waterloo, IA 50703
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Organizations**NAACP Black Hawk County Branch #4012**

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Website: www.peoples-clinic.com

Places of Worship & Choirs**All Nations Community Church**

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Antioch Baptist Church

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Christ Temple of the Apostolic Faith

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Christian Fellowship Baptist Church

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Gift of Life Church

(Non-denominational)

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Payne Memorial AME Church

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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)
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Union Missionary Baptist Church

(Bringing Families to Christ Ministry)

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Restaurants**Cottonwood Canyon Gourmet Coffee**

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419 Washington Street

Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Phone: (319) 233-5018

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

Sookies Restaurant

Manuel & Helen Seenster

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Retail/Sales/Supplies**Popcorn Heaven**

(Popcorn & gourmet snacks)

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Website: www.popcornheavencv.com

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Wendell & Allen Speller

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

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“Cooperation is the thorough conviction that nobody can get there unless everybody gets there.”

❖ **Virginia Burden**



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