

**Section I
LOCAL PROGRAMMING 1Q 2021**

Section I lists regularly-scheduled and special programs that represent the station's issue-responsive programming providing the most significant treatment of the issues listed above for the calendar quarter.

ISSUE	PROGRAM / TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GUEST	DATE/TIME	DURATION
FREE PANDEMIC TESTING	Mel in the Morning	INCLUSIVE TESTING FOR STORY COUNTY RESIDENTS AT NO COST	EXT. DIR. JOHN LAWRENCE	7:10 am 1/4	12 MINUTES
MENTAL HEALTH WELFARE	Mel in the Morning	AWARENESS AND TREATMENT OF MENTAL PROBLEMS	DR. FELICIA WATKINS	8:10 AM 1/5	11 MINUTES
CHANGES IN EDUCATION METHODS	Mel in the Morning	ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS GO INTO IN PERSON LEARNING	SUPT. JENNY RISENER	8:12 am 1/6	15 MINUTES
ELECTRIC SERVICE UPDATE	Mel in the Morning	CONTINUED MAINTENANCE OF ELECTRIC SERVICE LINES	DIRECTOR MIKE BROWN	7:50 AM 1/7	8 MINUTES
LOCAL LEGISLATIVE MEETINGS	Mel in the Morning	LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS LEGISLATIVE BREAKFASTS	COORDIN. JUDY TRUMPY	7:10 AM 1/8	10 MINUTES
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA	Mel in the Morning	MAJOR ISSUES FACING THE CITY COUNCIL	DIRECTORMAYOR JOHN HAILA	8:10 AM 1/11	18 MINUTES
USE OF CITY RECREATIONAL FACILITIES	Mel in the Morning	VIRTUAL CONCERT SERIES ANNOUNCED FOR LOCAL TALENTS	DIRECTORCRAIG KAUFMAN	7:50 AM 1/12	8 MINUTES
HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND SLAVERY	Mel in the Morning	IT'S PRESENCE IN OUR AREA, IT'S EFFECTS, AND DETECTION	SPECIALIST RUTH BUCKELS	7:10 AM 1/13	16 minutes
MLK HOLIDAY	Mel in the Morning	EXPLANATION OF EVENTS FOR VIRTUAL	VANESSA BAKER LATIMER	7:50 AM 1/14	9 minutes

		CELEBRATION OF MLK EVENT			
AMES DOWNTOWN PLAZA	Mel in the Morning	PUBLIC MEETING INVITING INPUT FOR DOWNTOWN PLAZA	PLANNING DIRECTOR KELLY DIEKMAN	8:10 AM 1/15	12 minutes
AMES PARKS & RECREATION PROJECTS	Mel in the Morning	REPORT ON PROGRESS AND UPDATING ON FUTURE PROJECTS	DIRECTOR JOSHUA THOMPSON	7:50 AM 1/18	8 minutes
TRANSITIONAL LIVING FOR HOMELESS	Mel in the Morning	MAJOR ISSUES FACING YOUTH IN SEVERAL COUNTIES	SPECIALIST HOPE METHENY	8:10 am 1/19	16 MINUTES
STORY COUNTY BOYS & GIRLS CLUB EXT. HOURS	Mel in the Morning	EXTENDED HOURS CAUSED BY COVID 19 PLUS AVAILABLE MEALS	DIRECTOR ERIKA PETERSON	8:12 am 1/20	11 MINUTES
IOWA BOOTLEGGERS	Mel in the Morning	PROHIBITION BOOTLEGGING DURING PROHIBITION	AUTHOR LINDA MCCAAN	7:11 AM 1/21	15 minutes
Tree City	Mel in the Morning	Trimming and replanting of trees, Grants recieved to enhance the project	Forester PAUL TAUKE	7:50 AM 1/28	9 minutes
AMES BUSINESS OUTLOOK	Mel in the Morning	Prospective businesses looking towards Ames	V.P. ACOC John Hall	8:35 AM 1/29	11 minutes
PLANNING BUDGET	Mel in the Morning	CITY OF AMES BEGINS DISCUSSION ON CITIES BUDGET	ASST. MGR. DEB SCHILDROTH	7:50 am 2/1	9 MINUTES
CHILDRENS SERVICES	Mel in the Morning	CHILDSERVE OF CENTRAL IOWA EXPANDS NEEDED SERVICES	KATE REYNOLDS	8:10 AM 2/2	11 MINUTES
CHANGES IN AMES SCHOOLS	Mel in the Morning	WORK ON GOING BACK TO	SUPT. JENNY RISENER	8:12 am 2/3	15 MINUTES

		IN PERSON LEARNING FROM HYBRID			
VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING	Mel in the Morning	AMES CITY AUDITORIUM PRESENTS IOWA TALENT ONLINE VIA ZOOM	DIRECTOR CRAIG KAUFMAN	7:50 AM 2/4	9 MINUTES
BLACK HISTORY MONTH	Mel in the Morning	BLACK LIVES MATTER WEEK IN AMES SCHOOLS	DR. TONY JONES	7:10 AM 2/5	17 MINUTES
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA	Mel in the Morning	MAJOR ISSUES FACING THE CITY COUNCIL AND DOWNTOWN PLAZA DISCUSSION	DIRECTOR MAYOR JOHN HAILA	8:10 AM 2/8	14 MINUTES
GOVERNORS PROCLAMATION EASING COVID RULES	Mel in the Morning	EXPLANATION OF STATE VS. LOCAL ORDINANCES	ATTY. MARC LAMBERT	7:50 AM 2/9	9 MINUTES
COVID VACCINATION PLAN	Mel in the Morning	HOW THE VACCINE WILL BE ADMINISTERED AND PRIORITY GROUPS	CEO ANDREW PERRY	7:10 AM 2/10	17 minutes
NEW FUNDING AVAILABLE FOR HOUSING RELIEF	Mel in the Morning	FUNDING TO DEFRAY RENTAL AND MORTGAGE PAYMENTS	VANESSA BAKER LATIMER	7:50 AM 2/11	9 minutes
AMES DOWNTOWN PLAZA	Mel in the Morning	PUBLIC MEETING INVITING INPUT FOR DOWNTOWN PLAZA	PLANNING DIRECTOR KELLY DIEKMAN	8:10 AM 2/12	12 minutes
CITY OFFERS REBATES	Mel in the Morning	PROJECTS AROUND THE HOME SITE MAY QUALIFY FOR REBATES FROM CITY	LIZ CALHOUN	7:50 AM 2/16	8 minutes

COLD WEATHER TRAFFIC PROBLEMS	Mel in the Morning	THINGS THAT WILL HELP DURING EXTREMELY COLD WEATHER	APD COMMANDER JASON TUTTLE	7:40 am 2/17	11 MINUTES
DATING VIOLENCE	Mel in the Morning	YSS AND ACCESS DISCUSS VARIOUS FORMS OF TEEN DATING VIOLENCE	VARIOUS SPEAKERS	7:11 AM 2/18	15 minutes
PLANS FOR BOAT DOCK	Mel in the Morning	INTENTIONS OF BUILDING AN ALL ACCESSIBLE BOAT DOCK AT ADA HADYN	FUNDER CINDY BARROWCLIFF	8:15 AM 2/21	11 minutes
VIRTUAL PERFORMANCE	Mel in the Morning	YOUTH THEATER GROUP OFFERING VIRTUAL PERFORMANCE	DIRECTOR JULIA FEDERSON	8:11 AM 2/23	14 minutes
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SERVICE CHANGES AND ACCESS COURTHOUSE	Mel in the Morning	AVAILABILITY OF IN PERSON SERVICE AND CONTINUED VIRTUAL	SUPERVIS. LATIFAH FAISAL	8:10 am 2/25	9 MINUTES
EXTENSION SERVICES UPCOMING PROG.	Mel in the Morning	ISU EXTENSION OFFERING NEW PROGRAMS FOR AREA YOUTH	EXT.SPEC. MARY WILKINS	8:10 AM 2/26	11 MINUTES
DELAYS IN OPENINGS	Mel in the Morning	COVID 19 CONTINUES DELAYING OPENINGS AND CAUSING CANCELLATIONS OF CITY PROJECTS	ASST. CITY MGR. DEB SCHILDROTH	7:48 am 3/1	10 MINUTES
NEW RECYCLING OPPORTUNITIES	Mel in the Morning	AMES RECYCLING RECOVERY PLANT OFFERS NEW SERVICES	DIRECTOR BILL SCHMITT	8:10 AM 3/2	11 MINUTES

CHANGES IN AMES SCHOOLS	Mel in the Morning	WORK ORIENTATION TO IN PERSON LEARNING FROM HYBRID	SUPT. JENNY RISENER	8:12 am 3/3	17 MINUTES
ARCTIC COLD PRECAUTIONS	Mel in the Morning	AS THE CITY HEADS INTO MORE ARCTIC COLD, STAYING WARM & COSTS	DIRECTOR OF ELECTR. DON KOM	7:50 AM 3/4	9 MINUTES
FAMILY DOMESTIC SITUATIONS	Mel in the Morning	NEW PROGRAM BY YSS FORHELPING FAMILIES IN CRISIS SITUATIONS	DIRECTOR COURTNEY PALMER	7:10 AM 3/5	16 MINUTES
CITY COUNCIL BUILDING PERMITS AND INSPECTION	Mel in the Morning	MAJOR ISSUES FACING THE CITY COUNCIL AND DOWNTOWN PLAZA LOCATION	DIRECTORMAYOR JOHN HAILA	8:10 AM 3/8	12 MINUTES
INCREASING FAMILY NEEDS	Mel in the Morning	MICA EXPLAINS ADDED DEMANDS AND IMPLEMENTING SOLUTIONS	DIRECTOR JOSIE SPALIN	7:50 AM 3/9	9 MINUTES
COVID VACCINATION PLAN CHANGES	Mel in the Morning	HOW THE VACCINE WILL BE ADMINISTERED AND CLASS CHANGES	CEO CLINIC ANDREW PERRY	7:10 AM 3/10	15 minutes
NEW FUNDING AVAILABLE FOR HOUSING RELIEF	Mel in the Morning	ADDITIONAL FUNDING TO HELP WITH RENTAL AND MORTGAGE PAYMENTS	VANESSA BAKER LATIMER	7:50 AM 3/11	9 minutes
LATEST PANDEMIC RELIEF PLANS	Mel in the Morning	DISCUSSION OF LATEST EFFORTS IN CONTAINING THE PANDEMIC	PLANNING MEMBER RICH HIGGINS	8:10 AM 3/12	14 minutes
DANGERS OF VAPING	Mel in the Morning	PIT FALLS AND CONSEQUENCES	YSS SPEC JOHN ROCHFORD	7:10 AM 3/15	18 minutes

		OF YOUTH VAPING			
ALCOHOL POISONING AND CONSEQUENCES	Mel in the Morning	DEATH OF ISU COED FOUND UNCONSCIOUS IN SORORITY PARKING LOT	APD CMDR JASON TUTTLE	8:40 am 3/17	11 MINUTES
JOB TRAINING PROGRAM RETURNS	Mel in the Morning	CHAMBER PROGRAM PUT ON BY EMPLOYERS IN THE AREA SEEKING HELP	BRENDA DREYER	7:11 AM 3/18	12 minutes
PLANS FOR CITY SPLASHPAD	Mel in the Morning	SEEKING PUBLIC INTEREST AND LOCATION OF A PROPOSED SPLASH PAD	PARKS DIR KEITH ABRAHAM	7:50 AM 3/19	9 minutes
SENIOR VOLUNTEERS	Mel in the Morning	VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR STORY COUNTY SENIORS	COORDIN. KALEN PETERSEN	8:11 AM 3/22	14 minutes
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CAMPUSTOWN CELEBRATION	Mel in the Morning	ENTICING MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY TO EXAMINE CAMPUSTOWN CHANGES	DIRECTOR KARIN CHITTY	8:10 am 3/25	12 MINUTES
PROGRAMS RETURNING TO NORMAL	Mel in the Morning	BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB OFFERING NEW PROGRAMS REGULAR OPEN HOURS	CEO ERICA PETERSEN	8:10 AM 3/30	14 MINUTES