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In the pages that follow, you will find resources available in the county and contact information, but this is more than a standard directory. The Guthrie County Guide offers information about city governments and schools, a listing of area churches and information about local events planned for the upcoming year.

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Of course, things change a lot within a year, so be sure to contact the individual groups listed here for updates. If you notice any errors, omissions, or if you have advice on something new you would like to see, contact our editor, Tammy Pearson, at 515-953-4822 ext. 302 or tammy@iowalivingmagazines.com.

And don't forget to keep this guide where you can easily find it and refer to it often. Guthrie County has a lot to offer, so get out and enjoy it!

Shane Goodman
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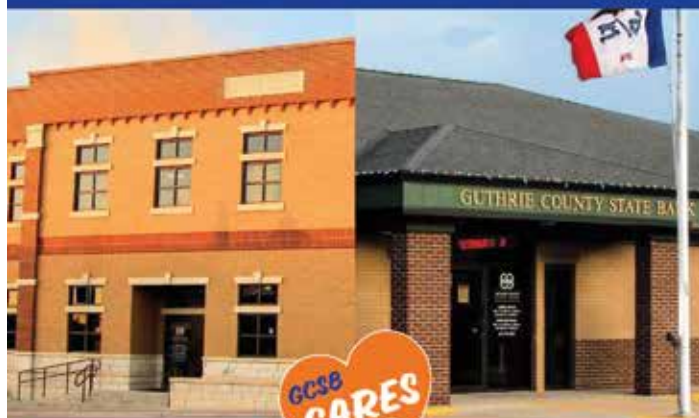


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Numbers to Know

EMERGENCIES.....CALL 911

County Assessor	641-747-3319
County Attorney	641-747-3765
County Auditor	641-747-3619
Board of Supervisors	641-747-3512
Clerk of Court	641-747-3415
County Conservation	641-755-3061
Emergency Management	641-332-3030
County Engineer	641-747-2274
Environmental Health	641-747-3972
Extension (ISU)	641-747-2276
General Relief	641-747-2546
Historical Village	641-755-2989
County Human Resources	641-332-3297
Public Health	641-747-3972
County Recorder	641-747-3412
Sheriff's Office (non-emergency)	641-747-2214
Transfer Station	641-747-3764
County Treasurer	641-747-3414
Passports	641-747-3972
Veterans Affairs	641-747-2546
County Zoning Administrator	712-792-9914
Guthrie County Regional Airport	641-747-3563

Websites to know



GUTHRIE COUNTY ORDINANCES

<https://codelibrary.amlegal.com/codes/guthrieicoia/latest/overview>



ELECTION INFORMATION

guthriecounty.gov/government/county-offices/auditor/elections



POLLING PLACES

sos.iowa.gov/elections/voterreg/pollingplace/search.aspx



PARCEL DATA

beacon.schneidercorp.com/Application.aspx?AppID=395&LayerID=5695&PageTypeID=2&PageID=3076



PASSPORTS

<https://guthriecounty.gov/passports/>



RECYCLING INFORMATION

www.healthyguthrie.org/transfer-station



DRIVER'S LICENSE INFORMATION

https://guthriecounty.gov/treasurer/drivers_license/



GUTHRIE COUNTY CONSERVATION

<https://guthriecounty.gov/conservation/>



TOWNSHIP INFORMATION AND OFFICIALS

https://guthriecounty.gov/about/township_information/



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HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

Memorial Day,
Independence Day,
Labor Day, Veterans Day,
Thanksgiving and the day
after, Christmas and the
day before, New Year's
Day



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The Board consists of five supervisors, each elected by citizens in the county. Individuals serve overlapping four-year terms, with elections held every two years. The Board elects one of its members annually to chair its activities.

The Board of Supervisors meets every Tuesday morning at 9 a.m. at the Courthouse, 200 N. Fifth St., Guthrie Center. During budget discussions and deliberations, the supervisors meet on Thursday mornings at 9 a.m. as well. Meetings are open to the public.

To be placed on the Board's weekly agenda, contact the County Auditor's Office at 641-747-3619 at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting. Minutes of the Board meetings are available for public viewing in the County Auditor's office in the Courthouse or online at https://guthriecounty.gov/supervisors/meetings_minutes/.

SUPERVISORS

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COUNTY DEPARTMENTS

ASSESSOR

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641-747-3319

ATTORNEY

Located in the Courthouse
County Attorney: Dana Minter
Assistant County Attorney: Charles Abel
Office Manager: Casey Jones
641-747-3765

AUDITOR

Located in the Courthouse
County Auditor: Danielle Fink
Deputy, Payroll and Real Estate: Bryann Marsh
641-747-3619

CONSERVATION

206 W. South St., Panora
Conservation Director: Brad Halterman
Park Ranger: Branden Caldwell
Museum Curator: Kristine Jorgensen
Maintenance Technician: Ted Scheuermann
641-755-3061

E911

Environmental Health Office
641-747-3972

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

2002 State St. No. 3, Guthrie Center
EMA Coordinator: Jeremy Cooper
641-332-3030

ENGINEERING AND SECONDARY ROADS

2211 215th Road, Guthrie Center
County Engineer: Josh Sebern
641-747-2274
Hours: 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
After-hour emergencies may be reported to the Sheriff's office.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

2002 State St., Guthrie Center
Director: Jotham Arber
Financial Coordinator: Jo Rasmussen
641-747-3972

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

Located in the Courthouse
Director: Beth Watson
Appointment required
641-747-2546

HUMAN RESOURCES

Located in the Courthouse
HR Coordinator: Jamie Lindsay
641-332-3297

PLANNING AND ZONING

Region XII Council of Governments
1009 E. Anthony St., Carroll
Zoning Administrator: Chris Whitaker
712-792-9914

RECORDER

Located in the Courthouse
County Recorder: Tristen Richard
Deputy: Lisa Johnson
Clerk: Carly Heckman
641-747-3412

SHERIFF

Law Enforcement Center
200 N. Fifth St., Guthrie Center
County Sheriff: Matt Harmann
Chief Deputy: Todd Thorn
641-747-2214
Window Service: Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.
Foyer: 24/7 with intercom service
Jail: Thursdays, 2-3:30 p.m. excluding holidays
These relevant links are available on the county's website under the Sheriff's Department, see <https://guthriecounty.gov/government/county-offices/sheriffs-office/>

- Sex Offender Registry
- National Center for Missing and Exploited Children
- Iowa Department of Public Safety
- Iowa State Patrol
- Division of Criminal Investigation (DCI)
- Iowa Department of Transportation
- Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment
- Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)
- Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA)
- Concerns of Police Survivors
- Officer.com - The Source for Law Enforcement
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Located in the Courthouse
County Treasurer: Brenda Campbell
Driver's License Deputy: Kim Christensen
Tax Deputy: Erica Finster
Motor Vehicle Deputy: Michelle Schlichte
Clerk: Traci Clark
Hours: Motor Vehicle and Property Tax, weekdays 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Driver's License Services by appointment only
641-747-3414

VETERANS AFFAIRS

Located in the Courthouse
Administrator: Beth Watson
641-747-2546
Appointments are highly encouraged

Administrator: Beth Watson

Located in the Courthouse

641-747-2546

Email: b.watson@guthriecounty.gov

Hours: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday

Call or email for appointment.

The Guthrie County Veterans Affairs Commission provides assistance to all eligible veterans discharged from active military service under honorable conditions and/or their family members in applying for federal benefits and other veterans' aid, which includes, but is not limited to:

- Service-connected disability compensation
 - Non-service-connected pension
 - Surviving spouse pension
 - Aid and attendance/housebound
 - Headstones and grave markers
 - Obtaining military records
 - Applications for Iowa Veterans Trust Fund Assistance
- For more information about services and benefits available to veterans, visit the Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs website: va.iowa.gov/benefits.

VETERANS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Guthrie County Veteran's Relief program is funded by the county to provide emergency assistance for basic needs to resident veterans and families. Call the office or contact via email and request an application. Applications can be returned in person by appointment, by postal mail, email and via the drop box at the east entrance of the courthouse. Call the office to find out what documentation you need to provide with your application. The program is for emergency needs that cannot be met by other means.



Basic needs addressed:

- Rent
- Utilities
- Food and provisions
- Prescription medication
- Transportation (fuel)
- Burial assistance (Note: You must make application after death and before burial.)

To be eligible for this program, you must meet the following requirements:

- Be a veteran with an Honorable Discharge (Under Honorable Conditions/General Discharge is acceptable.)
- Be a resident of Guthrie County
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- Apply for any and all benefits available from federal, state and local sources

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Located in the Courthouse

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641-747-2546

General Relief provides emergency assistance for the needy and poor in Guthrie County and refers individuals by helping identify resources available to them. The General Relief office is located at 200 N. Fifth St., Guthrie Center. You must call for an appointment to discuss your situation and to make sure you bring the required documents with you.

General Relief is funded by the county to provide emergency assistance for basic needs to county residents. Call the office or email for application. Applications can be accepted in person by appointment, by mail, email and via the drop box at the east entrance of the courthouse.

This program is for emergency needs that cannot be met by other means.

Basic needs help available:

- Rent/shelter
- Utilities
- Food and provisions
- Medical services
- Transportation (fuel)
- Burial assistance (Note: You must make application after death and before burial.)

To be eligible for this program, you must meet several criteria, including the following requirements:

- Be a resident of Guthrie County
- Actively seek employment in most cases
- Meet county income guidelines
- Apply for any benefits available from federal, state and local sources

GUTHRIE COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH

2002 State St., Guthrie Center

641-747-3972

The Guthrie County Health Department is dedicated to promoting and protecting the health of the residents of Guthrie County. The department offers a range of services including immunizations, health screenings, family planning, communicable disease control and health education. Staff members are highly trained public health professionals who work closely with community partners to improve the overall health and well-being of Guthrie County.



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Through H.O.P.E.S., families receive vital assistance in various areas, such as parenting skills, child health and development, early education and access to community resources, fostering a strong foundation for lifelong success and happiness.

• **Home Health services** offer essential care and support to individuals in the comfort and familiarity of their own homes. From skilled nursing care and medication management to physical therapy, personal care assistance and homemaker services, the home health department strives to meet the unique needs of each patient. By delivering compassionate and personalized care, they empower individuals to maintain their independence and achieve optimal health outcomes.

Whether it's recovering from an illness, managing a chronic condition, or simply needing assistance with daily activities, home health is committed to supporting individuals in their journey to wellness. Visit https://guthriecounty.gov/public_health/home_health/ for more information.



COUNTY HEALTH SERVICES

Mental health therapy through County Health Services (serving Audubon, Guthrie, Cass and Adair counties) offers a vital lifeline to individuals who are seeking support and guidance in managing their mental well-being. Our services are designed to be accessible and affordable, ensuring that individuals from diverse backgrounds can receive the care they need. County health services has a team of trained mental health professionals, including therapists and counselors, who are equipped to address a wide range of mental health concerns.

Through County Health Services, individuals can receive evidence-based therapy approaches tailored to their specific needs. These services encompass various therapeutic modalities, such as cognitive-behavioral therapy, psychoanalysis, and mindfulness-based interventions. Call **641-747-3972** to schedule.



ADAIR & GUTHRIE COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

2002 State St., Suite 3, Guthrie Center

Emergency Management Coordinator: Jeremy Cooper
641-332-3030

The mission of the Adair and Guthrie County Emergency Management Agency is to support, coordinate and maintain local homeland security and emergency management activities for Adair and Guthrie counties and their citizens.

It works with local governments, business, industry and citizens to maximize survival and preservation of life, property and the environment in the event of any natural or man-made disaster or major accident. It helps to coordinate and make available personnel, equipment, facilities, supplies or other resources to respond to emergencies.

RECEIVE ALERTS

Sign up to receive alerts from the Adair and Guthrie County Emergency Notification System at smart911.com.



In the event of an emergency or severe weather, an alert will be sent to the phone number and/or email address provided by voice, text and/or email.

This is a free service provided by Adair and Guthrie County and the state of Iowa; however, normal message fees may apply. To receive text messages to your cell phone, your cell phone must have text messaging capabilities. Notifications are dependent upon external providers and receipt of notifications by the intended recipient cannot be guaranteed.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

2002 State St., Guthrie Center

641-747-3972

Director: Jotham Arber

County Health Services Environmental Health Department is responsible for protecting the public health and safety of residents in Guthrie County. The department works to prevent and control environmental hazards that can have an impact on public health, such as unsafe water, waterborne diseases and air pollution. Staff members are highly trained and dedicated professionals who are committed to safeguarding the health and well-being of the county's residents.

The department provides a variety of tests related to septic systems, radon and water. For a list of rates, visit https://guthriecounty.gov/environmental_health/rates/.



GUTHRIE COUNTY TRANSFER STATION

2349 Jaguar Trail, Guthrie Center

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Second Monday of each month, open until 6 p.m.

641-747-3764

Director: Jotham Arber

For complete information about garbage, recycling, rates and services, visit https://guthriecounty.gov/transfer_station/.



RECYCLING PROGRAM

Residents living within city limits are provided with weekly curbside recycling services. Recycling collection is the same day as garbage collection. Each household is provided one recycle container free of charge.



Guthrie County rural recycling locations

- **Adair:** Full-time at the city maintenance shed
- **Bagley:** Third week of each month
- **Bayard:** Fourth week of each month near the old school house site
- **Jamaica:** Second week of the month along Railway Street
- **Panora:** Full-time at the Heartland Cardrol on E. Clay Street
- **Guthrie Center:** Full-time at the Redemption Center on S. Second Avenue and Recycling Transfer Station on Highway 44 West
- **Yale:** First week of each month north of the city park on Railroad Street



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The towns of Guthrie County

ADAIR

Adair is located partially in Adair County and partially in Guthrie County just north of I-80 and along the historic White Pole Road Scenic Byway. Its population was 781 in the 2023 census. Adair's water tower is an attraction in itself with its yellow smiley face.

CITY HALL

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City Supervisor: Ryan Billheimer
Mayor: Joanne Byars

City Council

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Shannon Haus
Jade Irlmeier
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ADAIR POLICE

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Non-Emergency Adair Police
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The towns of Guthrie County

BAGLEY



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Discover Bagley, situated in the heart of Guthrie County. With a rich history spanning 140 years, Bagley was established during the construction of railroads in Iowa. Thus, Bagley became a thriving hub of commerce and culture, and today it continues to embody the pioneering spirit of Iowa's past. Bagley's roadside park offers a nice stop for travelers and is a hotspot during the annual Highway 141 Garage Sales. On the west side of town, travelers will notice the "high water mark" sign noting the height of the flood water in 1986. The town's population was 230 in the 2023 Census.

CITY HALL

**207 Main St.
PO Box 52
Bagley, IA 50026
641-427-5600
cityofbagley@gmail.com
<https://cityofbagley.com>**

City Clerk: Shannon Barber
City Maintenance: Duane Delp

Mayor and City Council

Mayor Amanda Waltz
Emily Chapman
Steven Joy
Deanna Gibson
Janet Bennett
Kylie Carmichael

BAGLEY CITY PARK

Unwind and recharge at Bagley's beautiful 4-acre city park, located on the picturesque east edge of town along Third Avenue. The park boasts a wide range of amenities to suit every interest and age, including a spacious shelter house perfect for picnics, fun-filled playground equipment for kids, and a well-maintained ball diamond for sports enthusiasts. Whether you're looking to spend quality time with family and friends or simply enjoy some solo relaxation, this park is the perfect destination.

BAYARD



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Bayard is defined less by boundaries on a map than by the sense of shared values its residents hold dear. Residents take pride in maintaining a wholesome lifestyle, rich in cultural history, along with a deep commitment to the preservation of the environment and a progressive approach to local business. Its population was 404 in the 2023 census.

CITY HALL

**403 Main St.
Bayard, IA 50029
712-651-2001
<https://cityofbayardiowa.com>**

City Clerk: Gina Arnold
Water/Sewer Superintendent: Lee Roy Wagner

Hours:

Tuesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Thursday, 5:30-7 p.m.
First and third Saturday of the month, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Mayor and City Council

The City Council meets the second Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m. at City Hall

Mayor Tom Wardyn
Nathan McAlister
Michelle Nowak
Arnold Kesseling
Jack Lloyd
Sue Dorr

ATTRACTIONS

Bayard is a stop along the Highway 141 Garage Sales. In the downtown area, you will find the Hall of Pride museum and park honoring the Bayard High School. Bayard also offers visitors two other city parks with tennis courts, playground equipment and picnicking areas surrounded by beautiful trees.

CASEY

Casey, which is situated partly in Adair County and partly in Guthrie County, is just north of I-80 and along the historic White Pole Road Scenic Byway. Casey's downtown area, with its original brick street, is home to a library, Veterans' Memorial Park, and the Cultural Center, located in an old church, with its restored stained glass windows. Just a few miles southwest of town, you'll want to be sure to check out Slayton's Rock – one of Iowa's largest fully-exposed glacial deposits weighing more than 500,000 pounds. The population was 385 according to the 2023 census.

CITY HALL

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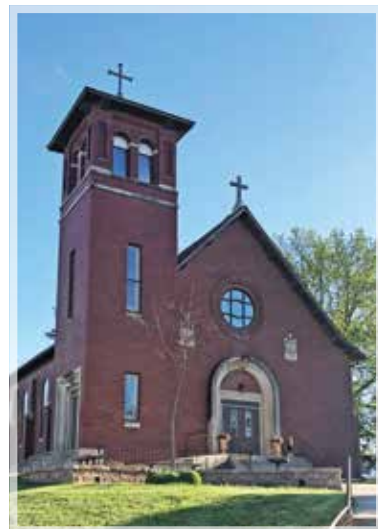
City Clerk: Gwen Blass
Public Works Director: Jon Welker
Public Works Assistant: Tim Knapp
Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Mayor and City Council

The City Council meets the first Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at the Community Center Wing of City Hall. If the first Monday is a holiday, the council meets the Thursday after the holiday.
Mayor Nicholas Lindberg
Leland Acker
Rick Richter
Bret Wedemeyer
Theresa Schiller
Rick Blake



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The Towns of Guthrie County

COON RAPIDS



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The majority of Coon Rapids is located in Carroll County. However, one of Iowa's "Great Places," Whiterock Conservancy, is south of Coon Rapids in Guthrie County. Formerly Garst Farms Resort, this 4,300-acre haven is located along the Middle Raccoon River. The population of Coon Rapids was 1,268 in the 2023 census.

GUTHRIE CENTER



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Guthrie Center, the county seat, is located in the heart of the rolling hills of Guthrie County and along the Western Skies Scenic Byway. The Guthrie County Courthouse and the Guthrie County Fairgrounds are both located here. Mitchell Park, with its Aquatic Center, sits next to the fairgrounds. Every summer, the Guthrie County Fair draws residents to the fairgrounds for a tradition that was established in 1858. The 2025 fair is Aug. 28-Sept. 1. The population was reported at 1,579 in 2023.

CITY HALL

400 State St., Guthrie Center, IA 50115

641-332-2190

cityhall@guthriecenter.com

Hours: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday - Friday

Mayor and City Council

The City Council meets the second and fourth Mondays of the month at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall. To be on the agenda, contact City Hall before 9 a.m. the Friday before the meeting.

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Police Department - Sheriff's office, Emergency 911

Non-emergency 641-747-2214

Fire Department, Chief Cory Campbell, Emergency 911

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Wastewater - Darin Sloss 641-332-2987

Aquatic Center 641-332-2989

Utility Billing Inquiries 641-332-2190

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The towns of Guthrie County

JAMAICA

Jamaica is located along Highway 141 and the northern Raccoon River Valley Trail "loop" that connects Dallas County and Guthrie County trails. The town also features a go-cart racetrack with an asphalt track and a dirt track. Races are on Sundays. Jamaica is also a stop along the Highway 141 Garage Sales. The band Slipknot recorded its Billboard No. 1 album in 2009 in a music studio in Jamaica. It has since closed. The population was 196 in the 2023 Census.

CITY HALL

**316 Main St.,
Jamaica, IA 50128**

City Clerk:

JackLynn Morey

Mayor and City Council

Mayor Dennis Meinecke
Mike Fagen
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Matthew Meinecke
Dina Martinez

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MENLO



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Located along the White Pole Road Scenic Byway, Menlo introduces itself as "A town of few, a friend to all." The town boasts historical landmarks such as the Sacony Mobile Gasoline Station and the Methodist Episcopal Church, which resembles a castle. The city park allows for camping and picnicking. The population was 343 in 2023.

CITY HALL

**417 Sherman St.,
Menlo, IA 50164**

641-524-2411

menloia@netins.net

menloia@gmail.com

Hours: Monday through Wednesday,
8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Thursday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Friday: Closed

City Clerk: Carla Heckman

Maintenance Supervisor: Jon Edgington

Mayor and City Council

Mayor Chad Weddell
Molly Griswold
Steve Renslow
Dodi Korradi
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CITY HALL

102 N.W. Second St.

Panora, IA 50216

641-755-2164

City Administrator: Lisa Grossman

lisa@cityofpanora.com

Deputy City Clerk: Joyce Calmer

clerk@cityofpanora.com

Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.,
1-4:30 p.m.

Mayor and City Council

The City Council meets the second and fourth Monday of each month at 5:30 p.m. at City Hall. Only one regular meeting is held in December, and certain regular meetings are rescheduled due to holidays. Special or work session meetings are held as necessary. Mayor Curtis Thornberry - 641-755-3882

Brian Dorsett - 641-755-3356

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102 N.W. Second St.

Police Chief – Matt Reising, matt@panorapolice.com

Police Officer – Rock Armstrong, rock@panorapolice.com

Police Officer – Colin Price, colin@panorapolice.com

Panora Volunteer Fire Department..... 641-755-2164

607 E. Market St.

Panora Emergency Medical Services

Panora EMS is a Critical Care Transport ambulance service located in the city of Panora. The department is staffed by volunteer and paid EMTs, paramedics and certified drivers.

PANORA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Located at City Hall. Available programs include Tax Abatement, Downtown Facade Rebate, and Sidewalk Rebate programs. The City of Panora partners with three organizations to promote economic development:

Panora Area Development Group (PRIDE)..... 641-755-3300

P.O. Box 189, Panora, IA 50216, pride@panora.org

Panora Chamber of Commerce..... 641-755-3300

P.O. Box 73, Panora, IA 50216

Midwest Partnership 515-523-1262

615 S. Division St., P.O. Box 537, Stuart, IA 50250,
info@midwestpartnership.com



The towns of Guthrie County

STUART



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Just north of I-80, Stuart is located in both Adair and Guthrie counties along the historic White Pole Road Scenic Byway and the Western Skies Scenic Byway. It introduces itself as "The home of 1,700 good eggs ... and a few stinkers." The town's architectural treasures include the Masonic Temple and the Saints Center for Culture and the Arts, and many are listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Stuart's amenities include a city park, aquatic center, American Legion skate rink and the Stuart Speedway. Its Good Egg Days celebration features family fun and community pride. The population was 1,855 in the 2023 Census.

CITY HALL

119 E. Front St., Stuart, IA 50250
515-523-1455
stuart4@coonvalleytelco.com
<https://stuartia.com>

City Administrator: Ashraf Ashour

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Mayor and City Council

The Stuart City Council meets at 6 p.m. on the second Monday of each month, with additional special meetings called as needed.
Mayor Dick Cook
Craig Russel
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EMERGENCY SERVICES

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STUART PUBLIC LIBRARY

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515-523-2152

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Library Director Lisa Sherman
Hours: Monday and Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. to noon

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info@saintscenter.com

The Historic All Saints Church in Stuart was transformed by a \$4 million restoration project and now is the Saints Center. The former church was once voted the Most Beautiful Church in Iowa by the readers of the Des Moines Register, but then fell victim to a hate crime in 1995 by an arsonist who wanted to "take the heart and soul out of a community."

The parish has since built a new Catholic church on the outskirts of town, but the Project Restore Foundation didn't give up over the years and successfully rallied for its restoration. After being awarded a Vision Iowa grant, the City of Stuart passed a tax referendum in order to help pay for the old church to become a community cultural center. This much-needed public space now serves as host to concerts, school events, weddings, family gatherings, conferences and more.

STUART AMERICAN LEGION, JAMES C. MCGHEE, POST 146 SKATING RINK 323 S.W. Second St., Stuart

Since 1979, The Stuart American Legion has provided affordable family entertainment by providing the community with a roller skating facility, which is open to the public September through May. Visit their Facebook page for more information.

YALE



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Yale is one of the stops along the Raccoon River Valley Trail. Its park provides restroom accommodations and a pleasant place to relax before hitting the trail again. The park provides playground equipment, basketball court and pickleball courts. The Yale Saddle Club holds horseshows throughout the summer. Check out their schedule on Facebook. The City is continuing to plan for the annual July 4th celebration that has many activities for people of all ages. Yale is known for its round gymnasium. The population was 264 in the 2023 Census.

YALE CITY HALL

207 Main St., Yale, IA 50277

641-439-2313

cityofyale@netins.net

Mayor and City Council

City Council normally meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m.

Mayor Beverly Louk, 641-431-0077
Tim Walker, 515-250-9683
Mindy Fear, 515-402-2742
Gerald McComb, 641-757-9272
Clint Deardorff, 406-600-4263
Amber Lopez, 515-298-4032

COMMUNITY CLUB

Started by 17 local business men and women in 1965, the Yale Community Club has worked to promote and improve the town of Yale. With a membership that grew to as many as 130 people, they tackled projects consisting of starting the annual July 4th celebration, building a community building and later its replacement, dedicating parks and raising funds to make it all happen.

In 2014, the Yale Community Club began offering a \$500 scholarship to graduating students with a Yale address.

The Yale Community Club normally meets at 7 p.m. on the fourth Monday of the month at the Yale Community Building. Meeting times are subject to change.



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LAKE PANORAMA



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Lake Panorama is the largest private lake development in Iowa with 1,160 acres of lake surface within the development and more than 30 miles of shoreline. The Lake Panorama Association was formed in 1968 and represents more than 1,750 member/property owners.

The Association owns Lake Panorama National Resort, which offers an 18-hole championship golf course, par 3 golf course, full-service restaurant, banquet and meeting room facilities and lodging, all in one location.

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Lake Panorama National Resort is owned by the Lake Panorama Association.

GUTHRIE COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

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The mission of the Guthrie County Community Foundation is to foster giving, strengthen service providers and improve the local conditions and quality of life. To these ends, the Guthrie County Community Foundation promotes philanthropy, endowment building, community building, capacity building, grant making, organizational collaborations, and public leadership for the benefit of Guthrie County.

The Foundation is committed to improving the quality of life throughout Guthrie County by investing in area nonprofits

through its grant programs and by providing individuals, families and area businesses a way to give back. The Foundation offers a variety of charitable giving fund options.

Grants are available to 501(c)3 organizations and government entities serving Guthrie County. Grant selections are made in an effort to create a better quality of life for people in Guthrie County. The local governing committee reviews the applications from charitable organizations serving their community. Applications are due the end of January.



GUTHRIE COUNTY HOSPITAL FOUNDATION

Welcome to Guthrie County Hospital (GCH)

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- Stuart Clinic

Supporting Our Mission

The Guthrie County Hospital Foundation plays a vital role in supporting patient care, facility improvements, and healthcare education. For more information, contact Dennis Flanery at 641-332-3879.

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Dennis Flanery

Dennis Flanery
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Guthrie County was originally part of old Keokuk County, which was comprised of approximately the western two-thirds of the state of Iowa. Later Keokuk County was organized with its present boundaries and Guthrie County was then part of a vast unorganized region until legislation divided the region into counties, one of which was Guthrie, in 1851. Guthrie County was named for Captain William Guthrie, formerly of Keokuk, who was the captain of the only company Iowa sent to the Mexican War. Captain Guthrie was mortally wounded in battle.

The first county seat was Panama, but that would not last long. The fight for the county seat lasted for 14 years (1859-1873) between Panama and Guthrie Center. In the end, Guthrie Center prevailed with the votes, and the construction of the first brick courthouse in Guthrie Center started in 1877 for an estimated cost of \$30,000.

Guthrie County was the first county in the state of Iowa to comply with legislation requiring a county high school to be located in each county. The county high school was located in Panama. The Guthrie County High School was organized in 1876 and remained a respected institute of learning until a special election vote in 1930 abolished the county school.

The first mill in the state that was located west of Des Moines was constructed by John Anderson in 1852. The mill was located on the Raccoon River 1.25 miles northwest of Panama. The mill would later be

QUICK FACTS

Established: 1851

First County Seat: Panama

First Town Established: Panama, 1851

First Permanent White Settler: Benjamin Kunkle

First Birth of Settler: Malinda Jane Kunkle, 1849

First Marriage of Settlers: George Messinger and Lucinda Casteel, 1852

First Death of Settler: Mr. McCullough, 1850

called the Hanyan-Beamon Mill. Customers came to the mill from as far west as Council Bluffs. Some drove as far as 200 miles, arriving as early as 2 a.m. and often remaining for several days.

The first railroad to be built in Guthrie County was the narrow gauge railroad, which was owned by Fredrick M. Hubbell of Des Moines and ran under the name of Des Moines and Northwestern Railroad. It was the longest stretch of narrow gauge in the state of Iowa — running from Des Moines, through Panama, to Fonda, Iowa, totaling 113.8 miles. Later, the railroad became part of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific Railroad. The route of the old track is now the Raccoon River Valley Recreational Trail.

Information and photos from The Guthrie County Tourism Council, www.discoverguthriecounty.org



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COON RAPIDS GOLF COURSE

731 S. Fifth Ave., Coon Rapids | 712-999-2880
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GUTHRIE CENTER GOLF CLUB

2604 State St./Highway 44, Guthrie Center | 641-332-3558

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1086 State Highway 25, Menlo | 641-542-2345
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GUTHRIE CENTER AQUATIC CENTER

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641-332-2989 | <https://guthriecenter.com/city-hall/city-parks-aquatic-complex/>

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LAKE PANORAMA NATIONAL CONFERENCE CENTER POOL

5071 Clover Ridge Road, Lake Panorama
800-879-1917 | www.lakepanoramanational.com/resort

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SPRINGBROOK STATE PARK

Highway 25, Guthrie Center | 641-747-3591
www.iowadnr.gov/places-go/state-parks/all-parks/springbrook-state-park

Springbrook's 14-acre lake offers a sandy beach for sunbathing and unsupervised swimming. There is no charge for swimming. The park is located 5 miles north of Guthrie Center on Highway 25.



STUART AQUATIC CENTER

324 S. Second St., Stuart | 515-523-1553
<https://stuartaquaticcenter.wixsite.com/website>

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ADAIR-CASEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Superintendent: Josh Rasmussen
Superintendent's Office, 3384 Indigo Ave., Adair, IA 50002
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ADAIR-CASEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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GUTHRIE CENTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

900 N. Fourth St., Guthrie Center, IA 50115
641-332-2720

PANORAMA COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Panorama Schools serves K-12 students from the communities of Panora, Yale, Jamaica, Bagley and Linden, including the Lake Panorama area.

DISTRICT OFFICE

701 W. Main St., Panora, IA 50216
641-755-4144
Superintendent: Kasey Huebner, kasey.huebner@panorama.k12.ia.us

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL

701 W. Main St., Panora, IA 50216
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WEST CENTRAL VALLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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DISTRICT OFFICE

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Springbrook State Park provides for a wide variety of outdoor recreation. It features two open picnic shelters. The one located on the lakeshore near the beach may be reserved for a fee through the park office. Picnic areas have tables, grills, water and restroom facilities. Enjoy fishing, hunting, hiking, swimming, camping and more.

Stay overnight in The Sherburne House, with four bedrooms, three bathrooms, two living rooms and a full kitchen. The cabin sleeps 10-14 people and offers scenic views of the area near the west side of the park.

The large campground has 118 campsites (81 with electrical hookups). Modern showers and restrooms, a trailer dump station, fireplaces



and tables available. Advance campsite reservations can be booked through the park reservation system. Some of the campsites are left available for self-registration on a first-come, first-served basis.

The park has trails for hiking and biking. Great hiking trails totaling 12 miles lead to the heart of Springbrook. In winter, snowmobiling is allowed on four miles of designated trails.

The Central Iowa State Park Bike Route is a 160-mile loop connecting Big Creek, Ledges and Springbrook primarily utilizing paved county highways and the paved Raccoon Bicycle Trail. The route ambles through 14 charming towns and is relatively flat, with a few challenging hills as you make your way across the picturesque valleys of the Des Moines and Raccoon rivers.

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TRAILHEADS

Panora - 600 E. Main St.
Yale - Corner of Railroad and South Street
Herndon - Herndon Road
Jamaica - South Main Street

The Raccoon River Valley Trail (RRVT) is an 89-mile multi-use recreational trail that extends from Clive, in the Des Moines metropolitan area, to Jefferson. In 2013, the 33-mile-long North Loop was completed, adding the communities of Dallas Center, Minburn, Perry, Dawson and Jamaica and creating a 77-mile complete loop that some riders can do in one day.

The trail winds its way through the Middle and North Raccoon River corridors with areas of prairie and canopies of timber that remind us of what Iowa was like in the 1870s. From the trailhead in Waukee going west, you will experience the communities of Dallas, Guthrie and Greene counties. Going east, the RRVT connects with the extensive trail system in Des Moines.

In 2004, a nonprofit organization, the Raccoon River Valley Trail Association, was formed to promote and market the trail.

COUNTY CONSERVATION SITES

Visit guthriecounty.gov/conservation/ to learn more about all of the county's parks and facilities.



CONSERVATION OFFICE AND HISTORICAL VILLAGE AND MUSEUM

206 W. South St., Panora, IA 50216
Conservation office: 641-755-3061
Email: conservation@guthriecounty.gov
Conservation Director: Brad Halterman
Museum Curator: Kristine Jorgensen
Museum office: 641-755-2989
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The Guthrie County Conservation Board invites you to enjoy the county's conservation and recreation areas encompassing more than 1,010 acres in Guthrie County. Discover original prairies, flowing rivers, scenic roadways, historic towns, and miles and miles of trails. The county manages 13 individual parks, prairie remnants, wildlife areas, historic sites, and a portion of the Raccoon River Valley Trail. Recreational opportunities include camping, hunting, fishing, canoeing, biking, bird watching, picnicking and much more. Whether you stay for an hour, a day, or a lifetime, there truly is something for everyone to discover in Guthrie County.

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Admission: Adults: \$2, Children 6 to 17: \$1, Children 5 and younger: Free

The Guthrie County Historical Village is located on a beautiful 4-acre complex on the southwest side of Panora, just a few blocks away from the scenic Middle Raccoon River, historic Lenon Mill Park, and the Raccoon River Valley Trail. The Village features 12 buildings, a Milwaukee caboose, numerous exhibits, and thousands of artifacts that explore the history of Guthrie County from 1850 to the early 20th century.

The museum is a county-wide project that started in 1968 with the acquisition of the Panora Depot. The majority of the collection has been donated by families and friends in the surrounding communities.

LENON MILL PARK

500 W. South St., Panora

Lenon Mill Park is nestled along the scenic Middle Raccoon River and is the original site of the old Lenon Mill, built in 1863. The mill no longer stands but visitors can view the one grindstone that remains to mark the historic



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spot or sit by the river and watch it flow over the old dam.

Lenon Mill Park is the first point of access on the Middle Raccoon River Water Trail - Route A. The park also offers excellent fishing. Species of fish commonly caught at Lenon Mill Park include smallmouth bass, largemouth bass, crappie, bluegill, walleye, channel catfish and an occasional northern pike.

Lenon Mill Park features primitive camping, RV camping with electric hook-up, water, bathrooms, a shelter house, swing set, horseshoe pit, picnic tables and canoe access. Visit MyCountyParks.com to learn more.

BENNIE HALL WILDLIFE AREA

3267 248th Trail, Linden (2 miles east and 4 miles south of Panorama)

Bennie Hall Wildlife Area is named after the late Bennie Hall, an avid trapper and hunter from Guthrie County who left his estate to the Prairie Woodland Conservation Foundation to be used for conservation purposes. The 220-acre

area lies adjacent to existing public land and created a 517-acre wildlife habitat complex. The area's primary use is as wildlife habitat for game and non-game species. One can enjoy hunting, fishing, bird watching, hiking, canoeing and kayaking in the area.

BUNDT PRAIRIE

190th and Nice Ave., Guthrie Center (3 miles north and 1/4 mile east of Guthrie Center)

Bundt Prairie is a rare gem located where a one-room country school originally sat. Just 3 acres remain of this original native prairie that has never seen the plow. Historically, prairie once covered 75 to 80% of Iowa's landscape. Now, less than 0.1% of original prairie remains, scattered throughout tiny areas around the state. A variety of native prairie grasses and flowers inhabit this site. Bring your identification book and your camera to capture the beauty of this remarkable ecosystem.

Friendly reminder: Please don't pick any wildflowers.

GREENWOOD CEMETERY PRAIRIE

Viceroy Trail, Panorama (1 mile east of Panorama and 1/2 mile south)

Greenwood Cemetery Prairie sits next to one of the older cemeteries (1860s) in Guthrie County. Just 3 acres remain of this original native prairie. A variety of native prairie grasses and forbs can be found at this site. Friendly reminder: Don't pick any wildflowers and be respectful of cemetery rules.

HIGHWAY 141 RIVER ACCESS

1388 Highway 141, Coon Rapids (East of Coon Rapids on Highway 141)

MIDDLE RACCOON RIVER ACCESS

3177 248th Trail, Panorama

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MONTEITH WILDLIFE AREA

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The Monteith Wildlife Area consists of 240 acres and is mainly used as a public hunting area with excellent habitat for upland game species, whitetail deer and wild turkey.

NATIONS BRIDGE PARK

2997 Wagon Road, Stuart (9 miles south of Panora and 6 miles north of Stuart on P28)

Nations Bridge Park offers a variety of recreational opportunities to the public and is a favorite spot for many. Its 81 acres can be used for camping, picnicking, kayaking, hiking, bird watching, fishing, disc golf and horse shoes. Wildlife is abundant at Nations Bridge Park. Deer, turkeys, squirrels, rabbits, quail, raccoons, coyotes, and a variety of songbirds can be seen at the park. Nature trails can be found throughout the park, and a self-guided nature trail is located on the east side of the park, on County Highway P28. The South Raccoon River, which is the first point of access on the South Raccoon River Water Trail - Route B,

also provides quality catfishing. A favorite spot for fishing is the old swimming hole just below the shower building.

Note: Swimming is not allowed in the river.

S.E. ROBINSON WILDLIFE AREA

3181 255th St., Panora (5.5 miles southeast of Panora)

S.E. Robinson Wildlife Area is a 110-acre wildlife area located along the Middle Raccoon River. The wildlife area is primarily used for public hunting with excellent habitat for deer, turkeys, squirrels and rabbits, but is also a nice area for hiking, bird watching and river fishing.

SEELY CREEK TIMBER

Frost Trail, Guthrie Center (6 miles west and 1 mile south of Guthrie Center)

Seely Creek Timber consists of 187 acres of beautiful rolling oak-hickory timber. The area offers excellent deer, turkey and squirrel hunting but is land-locked. Permission must

be acquired to get access to the area. For more information, contact the Guthrie County Conservation Board at 641-755-3061.

SUTCLIFFE WOODLAND

Frost Trail, Guthrie Center (7 miles west and 1.5 mile south of Guthrie Center. Follow the road signs.)

Sutcliffe Woodland is a beautiful, 55-acre oak-hickory area designated as a wildlife refuge. It offers a 31-post, self-guided interpretive nature trail, as well as picnicking, hiking and pond fishing.

OTHER SITES OF GUTHRIE COUNTY

WHITEROCK CONSERVANCY

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Coon Rapids along seven miles of the Middle Raccoon River valley, it is open to the public every day for recreation and exploration. Some of the many opportunities are highlighted below. See the website for complete information.

Trails: Whiterock Conservancy features extensive trails for people on foot, bicycles and horses. Mountain biking can be enjoyed on 16 miles of bike-optimized, single-track trails and 12 miles of shared-use trails (cost \$5 per day). Six miles of equestrian trails meander through the rolling hills in the river valley. In addition, 15 miles of multi-use trails are open to equestrians. Trail use is \$10 per horse per day. Parking for horse trailers is available at the River Campground and at the Oak Ridge RV Campground/trailhead. Trails close when they are wet.

Canoeing and Kayaking: An 8-mile Middle Raccoon River water trail starts at Riverside Park in Coon Rapids and ends at the main campground. This scenic float trip with breathtaking views of sandstone outcroppings, prairies, savannas and historic points of interest takes approximately two to five hours

(depending on water flow). For a shorter float, you can start at Roadside Park in Coon Rapids. Whiterock Conservancy rents canoes and kayaks, along with shuttle service, every day by reservation. For more information about rentals, contact guest services at 712-790-8221 ext. 5 or guestinfo@whiterockconservancy.org.

Fishing: Whiterock Conservancy offers access to 12 fishing ponds around the property, free of charge. See the website for regulations and places that have bait available.

Bison: Whiterock is also the home of a small herd of bison that can be seen in the pastures on the south and west sides of the Garst Home Farm and can often be seen from the Town Loop trail as it heads towards the visitor center or winds around the ponds. New calves are born in late spring and can be easily spotted because their fur is much lighter in color than the mature bison.

Art and history: From statues to murals, public art can be seen at the Riverhouse, the roadside park on Highway 141, and throughout the community of Coon Rapids. A collection of paintings of Whiterock's land by Nancy

WHITEROCK CONSERVANCY



Thompson can be seen in the Bur Oak Visitors Center during office hours. Or explore the Roswell and Elizabeth Garst Farm Historic District. Interpretive signs throughout the property describe historical events and current day practices. Guided tours and history talks can be arranged for groups. Contact guest services at 712-790-8221 ext. 1 or guestinfo@whiterockconservancy.org for more information.

Accommodations: Spend a night in the comfortable, individual rooms in the historic Garst Farmhouse or rent a country cottage with comfortable beds and full kitchens. Or stay at one of three campgrounds, a single primitive campsite or the remote primitive cabin.

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SAINTS CENTER FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS, STUART

www.saintscenter.com

The Saints Center, located in Stuart, opened February 2010 as a community cultural center and as the Learning Museum of Religious Tolerance. The historic Saints building was once voted the most beautiful church in Iowa. However, in 1995, an arsonist set fire to it. The Project Restore Foundation led the effort to raise funds and restore the building. The museum and building are open to the public and available for rent.

GUTHRIE COUNTY FREEDOM ROCK, GUTHRIE CENTER

www.traveliowa.com/destination/guthrie-county-freedom-rock/10235/

Located directly north of the Guthrie County Fairgrounds on the north side of Highway 44. Guthrie County's Freedom Rock was based on specific stories of the veterans from Guthrie County. Artist Ray "Bubba" Sorensen, who has been painting Adair County's version of the "Freedom Rock" every year since 1999, added Guthrie County to the list of counties which have commissioned him to create a version of the Freedom Rock. The work of art is painted on a 5-ton, nearly 11-foot-tall rock.

"LISTEN TO THE WIND" BYWAY SCULPTURE, GUTHRIE CENTER

Located on the corner of Third Street and State Street/Highway 44

The "Listen to the Wind" sculpture, located in Guthrie Center on the Western Skies Scenic Byway, is part of a 15-piece "Art on the Byway" series. This sculpture was designed by artist

GUTHRIE COUNTY FREEDOM ROCK



Hilde DeBruyne and inspired by a Native American proverb entitled the same. The sculpture is based on the concept of a windmill, and the series of leaves in the middle is an active



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component. At night, the sculpture is illuminated and shadows from the words are cast upon the wall to the east. Street parking is available and a quaint park setting with a water fountain and seating allows visitors to enjoy the sculpture.

DEXFIELD PARK HISTORICAL MARKERS

www.dexteriowa.org/index.php?page=historical-marker

Two historical markers can be found in Dexfield Park, Dexter. One commemorates the shootout and capture of some members of the Barrow Gang, which was hiding in the park while tending to wounds received in a prior gun fight in Missouri. The other commemorates the once popular "Beautiful Dexfield Park."

CHAD ELLIOT MURAL, COON RAPIDS

www.traveliowa.com/destination/chad-elliott-mural/13578/

Artist Chad Elliott, a former Coon Rapids resident with deep ties to the community, was

commissioned to paint a landscape mural on the east side of the Mohr Construction and Lumber building on Fifth Avenue near Main Street. Elliott was inspired by paintings by famous artist Grant Wood. The resulting mural depicts the Middle Raccoon River flowing through the rolling hills south of Coon Rapids.

M & M DIVIDE

Western Skies Scenic Byway/Highway 44, Guthrie County

Iowa's great divide, the Missouri and Mississippi Divide, sits at an elevation of 1,440 feet. This divide is a topographically high area between two watersheds, known as a hydrologic divide, over which no water can flow. At this location, the water to the west flows to the Missouri River and water to the east flows to the Mississippi River. The exact location sits about 7 miles west of Guthrie Center along the Western Skies Scenic Byway.

WESTERN SKIES SCENIC BYWAY

www.discoverguthriecounty.org/byway

The Western Skies Scenic Byway stretches 140 miles and spans the four counties of Guthrie, Audubon, Shelby and Harrison. The designation is intended to help tourists experience Iowa's natural beauty, history and culture. The byway begins in Stuart (southern Guthrie County) and heads north on County Road P28 where it connects with Highway 44 in Panora. On this route, travelers will find Nations Bridge Park, the ghost towns of Morrisburg and Dale City, waterway access to the Middle Raccoon River, the Guthrie County Historical Village, and the Raccoon River Valley Trail in Panora. The byway then heads west through Guthrie Center, rolling along a ridge top and on into Hamlin (Audubon County). At the western end of the byway, travelers gradually emerge in the unique landform known as the Loess Hills, formed by wind and river-sculpted glacial silt deposits that formed a front ridge adjacent to the Missouri River.

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The Guthrie County Barn Quilt Project was started in 2007 by several volunteers. Although the group is no longer together, their hard work and artistic vision left the county covered with 32 beautiful barn quilts for both residents and visitors to enjoy.

The mission of the Barn Quilts of Guthrie County is to promote tourism in rural areas and celebrate the unique agricultural experience of Guthrie County. The barn quilt project showcases the natural, agricultural, and architectural beauty of the county. At the same time, it highlights the beautiful quilt patterns as unique art and the historically significant aspects of each building.



GHOST TOWNS OF GUTHRIE COUNTY

www.discoverguthriecounty.org/ghosttowns

Over the years, many towns have emerged in Guthrie County only to become a mere memory of the past. This unfortunate ending was usually due to either location and/or circumstance. For information about these towns and directions, visit the website.

1853 NEWTON STAGECOACH ROUTE

www.discoverguthriecounty.org/newtontrail

In 1853, Eder B. Newton was employed to lay out a stage road across Guthrie County. The route was similar to the trail used by previous westward travelers, like the 49ers. In 1951, a small Guthrie County Tourism group placed homemade signs along the old stage route for the county's centennial, but by 2005 most of the signs were missing or illegible.

In 2008, William Frels, a member of Boy Scout Troop 127, researched the route, had new signs created with funding from local businesses, and installed the 19 signs along the 29.4-mile route for his Eagle Scout Project. If you are looking for an adventure, follow the stagecoach signs and enjoy your trip off the beaten path. Printable map available online.

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FARMERS MARKETS

Stuart Farmers Market

Lawbaugh City Park, Stuart
Corner of Third and S. Division Street
Every Wednesday, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
Mid-May through mid-October

Guthrie Center Farmers Market

N. Fourth Street, downtown Guthrie Center
Every other Saturday morning, 9-11 a.m.
June through October

Panora Farmers Market

Guthrie County Historical Village and Museum, 206 W. South St., Panora
Every other Saturday morning, 9 a.m. to noon, June 7 - Sept. 13

Casey Farmers Market

Casey Railroad/Kite Park
300 E. Second St.
Every other Saturday, 9-11 a.m. July through August

WHITE POLE ROAD MARATHON SALE

Saturday, June 7, 2025 | Dexter to Adair

This fun garage sale takes place along the White Pole Road Scenic Byway. The WPR stretches 26 miles in the southern part of Guthrie County and includes Adair, Casey, Menlo, Stuart and Dexter (in Dallas County).

While traveling from town to town in search of bargains, visitors will follow the poles painted white and pass several barn quilts, the restored Sacony Mobile Gas Man, the old Stuart Depot and Hotel, and the 1923 viaduct in Adair. The WPR sale will not only be a bargain-hunting trip, but a beautiful sight-seeing tour of some of Guthrie County's most beautiful countryside. It is definitely worth a drive.

STUART GOOD EGG DAYS

June 13-15, 2025 | Stuart

Stuart's annual celebration is called Good Egg Days. The name comes from the town motto that was adopted many years ago: "Home of 1700 Good Eggs and a Few Stinkers." It includes fun for the entire family with food vendors, tournaments and contests, kids activities, live music and more.

HISTORICAL VILLAGE PROGRAMS

Guthrie County Historical Village and Museum, 206 W. South St., Panora

Every summer, the Guthrie County Historical Village offers free educational programs and events to the public. Popular programs include the local history of Bonnie and Clyde, a tour along the Newton Stage Coach and Underground Railroad, and a Quilt Walk. Check the Historical Village's website for upcoming events: www.thegchv.com

BACoon RIDE

June 14, 2025, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Raccoon River Valley Trail, Centennial Park, Waukee

The 71-mile ride along the Raccoon River Valley Trail starts and ends in Waukee. Riders will find numerous bacon stops, a bacon-themed lunch, and numerous drink specials at establishments along the way. Not only will the BACoon RIDE be great fun, but 100% of the proceeds benefit the Iowa Bicycle Coalition, RAGBRAI's Dream Team, and other great Iowa charities. For more information, visit www.facebook.com/@baconrideiowa.

CHUCKWAGON DAYS

June 20-22, 2025 | Adair City Park

Adair's annual Chuck Wagon Days Celebration is sponsored by the Adair Chamber of Commerce. The event is full of entertainment, food, music and activities for the entire family. Check for updates on the Adair Chamber of Commerce Facebook page. Saturday

at 7 a.m. is the event's 5K and Mile Run/Walk. Other highlights include the kiddie parade Friday evening, main parade Saturday, games, a BBQ battle Sunday, volleyball tournament, live music and much more.

YALE 4TH OF JULY

July 4, 2025 | Yale

If you are looking for patriotic fun on the Fourth, Yale is the place to be. The small town hosts a big celebration, which kicks off with a parade that winds its way through the town. The day is full of food, games and entertainment. Spectacular fireworks and a dance conclude the all-day event. For schedule, visit www.facebook.com/annuallyale4thofjulycelebration.

CASEY FUN DAYS

July 18-19, 2025

Casey's Fun Days Celebration is sponsored by the Casey Service Club. The two-day event includes a parade, food and games and activities for the entire family throughout the town and concludes with a street dance.

PANORAMA DAYS

Aug. 1-3, 2025 | Panora

Panorama Days is a fun-filled and entertaining event with many great family activities, including a parade, games, food, live music, a water skiing show, a fun run and a street dance. Many classes host their class reunions during this weekend, and the Alumni Banquet takes place on the Saturday evening of the celebration. Watch for updates at www.panorachamber.org/panorama-days.

HIGHWAY 141 GARAGE SALE

Aug. 1-2, 2025 | Grimes to Manilla

The Highway 141 Garage Sale is the longest garage sale in Iowa, and if you've never been, you will certainly want to make it this year. Every year the sale grows bigger and bigger with more treasures to be found. The sale



starts in Grimes and stretches 115 miles west to Manilla. Bargain hunters will find countless sales set up in city parks, side streets, parking lots and farm homes. Local groups and civic organizations also serve great food.

GUTHRIE COUNTY FAIR

Aug. 28-Sept. 1, 2025 | Guthrie Center
www.guthriecountyfair.com

One of the best county fairs in Iowa, the Guthrie County Fair, started in 1858 by the Guthrie County Agricultural Society, is a tribute to local rural families and farmers. It's their hard work and perseverance that have shaped local history. Over the last 150 years, the fair has grown in size from one town block the first year to more than 7 acres of land along the river, with a grandstand, 4H building, community building, schoolhouse museum, many exhibit halls

and a large campground.

The cotton candy, corndogs and carnival rides delight the crowds. Special events include the Saturday-morning parade, rodeo, live entertainment for the whole family, figure 8 races, and bingo. An amusement park with rides keeps the kids entertained. Don't forget to tour the 4H Exhibit Hall, the Art Hall, the Baker No. 2 country school museum, and the livestock barns. The Guthrie County Fair is held every Labor Day weekend. It is one of the few fairs to take place after the Iowa State Fair. The fairgrounds have lots of camping sites available for visitors and loads of entertainment for all. For details, visit www.guthriecountyfair.com.

SCOOP THE LOOP

Saturday, Sept. 13, 2025, 3-8 p.m.
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THE HAUNTED VILLAGE

Sunday, Oct. 12, 2025, 5-7 p.m.
Guthrie County Historical Village and Museum, 206 W. South St., Panora

The Haunted Village is a family-oriented Halloween activity for children in fifth grade and younger that has been a favorite for more than 20 years. Activities include games and fortunes, tattoos and stickers, treats, storytelling, crafts, a haunted museum, hayride and a movie, "It's the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown," in the church – with free popcorn. Children must be accompanied by an adult and must stay with their adult at all times. Admission is free. Costumes, even for adults, are encouraged.

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bagleypubliclibrary.weebly.com

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712-651-2238

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Guthrie Center Mary J Barnett Memorial Library

641-747-8110

guthriecenter.lib.ia.us

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641-429-3362

jamaica.lib.ia.us

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641-524-4201

menlo.lib.ia.us

Panora Public Library

641-755-2529

panoralibrary.com

Stuart Public Library

515-523-2152

stuartlibrary.org



Guthrie County churches

ADAIR

Adair First Presbyterian Church

405 Audubon St., Adair

Adair United Methodist Church

404 Cass St., Adair

641-746-2210

www.umc.org/en/find-a-church/church?id=50556

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

1107 Broad St., Adair

641-742-3802

<http://goodshepherdadair.com>

New Life Baptist Church

218 Audubon St, Adair, IA 50002

www.newlifeadair.org

Our messages:

www.newlifeadair.org/videos

Saint John Catholic Church

501 Adair St., Adair

515-742-3230

<https://adairstjohn.org>

BAGLEY

Bagley United Methodist Church

401 Main Street, PO Box 40

www.umc.org

BAYARD

Bayard Church of Christ

401 Second St., Bayard

churchofchristbayard.org

641-757-1175

Bayard United Methodist Church

503 Third St., Bayard

On facebook

515-370-0533

St. Patrick's Catholic Church

214 Prairie St., Bayard

<https://st-mary-patrick-cecilia.com/st-patricks>

641-747-3843

CASEY

St. John Lutheran Church

104 E. First St., Casey

641-746-2734

www.idwlcms.org/congregation.php?id=29

Casey United Methodist Church

100 E. 2nd St., Casey

641-746-221

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Bowman Chapel United Methodist Church

2397 Bowman Ave., Guthrie Center

641-332-2408

First Christian Church

105 N. Fourth St., Guthrie Center

641-332-2571

Christian.org

First United Methodist Church

405 Prairie St., Guthrie Center

641-332-2408

www.gcumcia.org

First Presbyterian Church

701 State St., Guthrie Center

641-332-2425

Guthrie Center First Baptist Church

113 N. Fifth St., Guthrie Center

641-747-8198

www.guthriecenterbaptist.com

Guthrie Center Seventh-day

Adventist Church

1305 North St., Guthrie Center

641-322-2778

www.guthriecentersda.com

Immanuel Lutheran Church

713 N. 12th St., Guthrie Center

641-332-2918

www.immanuelgc.org

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Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses

1300 Grand St., Guthrie Center

515-747-8524

www.jw.org

Saint Mary Catholic Church

603 Main St., Guthrie Center

641-747-3843

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JAMAICA

Jamaica Union Church

409 Van Nest St., Jamaica

LINDEN

Linden United Methodist Church

106 N. Evans St., Linden

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301 Fifth St., Menlo

641-524-4561

Menlo Church of Christ

504 Sherman St., Menlo

<http://menlochurchofchrist.weebly.com>

515-210-0465



Guthrie County churches

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Church Of The Brethren

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641-755-3800

Calvary Chapel Of The Raccoon River Valley

604 E. Main St., Panora
www.calvaryraccoon.com
641-755-4268

Faith Bible Church

2096 Highway 4, Panora
www.fbcpanora.com
641-755-3034

First Christian Church

102 E. Church St., Panora
www.panorafcc.org
641-755-2227

Fountain of Life Church

2322 Wagon Road, Panora
www.folcpanora.com
641-755-2322

Lighthouse Assembly of God

400 S.E. Third St., Panora
www.panoralighthouseassemblyofgod.com
641-755-3060

Lutheran Church of Hope

5405 Chimra Road, Panora
641-755-2227

Panora United Methodist Church

119 E. Main St., P.O. Box 601, Panora
www.panoraumc.org
641-755-2655

Saint Cecilia Catholic Church

220 N. First St., Panora
www.st-mary-patrick-cecilia.com
641-747-3843

Saint Thomas Lutheran Church

2106 Highway 4, Panora
http://panoralutheran.com
641-755-2051

STUART

All Saints Catholic Church

216 All Saints Drive, Stuart
641-755-2051

Fairview Congregational Christian Church

1706 Stuart Road
On facebook

Morrisburg Community Church

2688 Wagon Road, Stuart
www.facebook.com/morrisburgchurch
641-755-2051

New Beginnings Open Bible Church

207 S.W. Seventh St., Stuart
stuartnbchurch.org
641-757-0192

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH



Stuart First Congregational Church

224 N. Division St., Stuart
https://www.facebook.com/StuartFCC
641-755-2051

Stuart-Mount Vernon United Methodist Church

219 N.W. Second St.
umcstuartia.org
641-755-2051

YALE

Yale Church of Christ

304 Lincoln, Yale
church-of-christ.org
641-757-1104

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