



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE April 20, 2017

Contact:

Summer Evans Marketing & Communications Director | City of Waukee O: 515-978-7905 M: 515-865-9882 sevans@Waukee.org

New Waukee Public Library Hours Begin May 1

Waukee, **lowa** — Soon, users of the Waukee Public Library can access the popular facility and its resources a little earlier each morning. Beginning May 1, instead of opening at 9:30 a.m., the library will open its doors at 9 a.m. each day of the week except for Sunday.

"We felt that adjusting our hours to open at 9 a.m. would benefit our patrons," said Waukee Public Library Director Kristine Larson. "We often have patrons waiting at the entrance for us to open in the mornings; we knew we could serve them better by making this small adjustment."

The following hours of operation will kick in beginning Monday, May 1, 2017:

- Monday-Thursday: 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.
- Friday: 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- Saturday: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Sunday: 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. (Labor Day Memorial Day)

Also, of note, the Waukee Public Library is closed on Sundays during the summer (May 28 through September 3).

###

The Waukee Public Library operates as part of the City of Waukee. It is governed by a seven-member board of trustees. In 2016 alone, nearly 110,000 visitors walked through the library doors and 183,000 items were checked out. In addition to providing books, digital materials, meeting space and computer access, the Waukee Public Library hosts hundreds of programs and events each year to educate and enlighten Waukee area citizens of all ages.