

SEPTEMBER 2026

NEWSLETTER

Newsletter emailed only and placed on city website at www.underwoodia.com on home page.

**Thank you to all
of our first
responders in
remembrance of
the 25th
anniversary of
September 11.**



**Thank you to
everyone who
came out to the
Harvest Festival
last month that
was supported
by Iowa West
Foundation.**

Mark your calendars

Underwood Fire & Rescue Dinner
Sunday, October 4, 2026
from 4:00-7:00 p.m.
at UMBA Hall



UMBA SPONSORED TRUNK AND TREAT



Fisher Cemetery Fall Clean-up

- All items that you want to keep as decorations, must be picked up from the cemetery by Friday, October 9.
 - Friendly reminder, live plants **CAN NOT** be planted in the ground in the cemetery as decorations.
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Grass Clippings **DO NOT** Belong in the Streets

Ordinance 135.03 Placing Debris on.

It is unlawful for any person to throw or deposit on any streets or alley any glass, glass bottle, nails, tacks, wire, cans, trash, garbage, rubbish, litter, offal, leaves, **grass, or any other debris** likely to be washed into the storm sewer and clog the storm sewer, or any substance likely to injure any person, animal or vehicle.

(Code of Iowa, Sec 321.369)

The City does NOT have a dump. Please do not dump at: North Street ditch, nor North Street to Milwaukee, nor Charles Drive. This **CLOGS** the storm sewers. Thank you for your support!

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**Southwest Iowa Veterans Sought for Korean Ambassador for Peace Medal**

The Pottawattamie County Veterans Service Office is working with counties across southwest Iowa to identify Korean War veterans eligible to receive the Ambassador for Peace Medal, a commemorative medal presented by the Korean government in appreciation of their service.

Eligible veterans and families of deceased veterans are encouraged to apply by September 30, 2026, to participate in a regional medal ceremony planned for November.

The Ambassador for Peace Medal is available to U.S. veterans who served in Korea from June 25, 1950, through July 27, 1953, as well as veterans who participated in United Nations peacekeeping operations through the end of 1955. The medal may be presented to the veteran or awarded posthumously to the veteran's next of kin.

To qualify, a veteran's DD-214 must document service in Korea and receipt of at least one of the following:

- Korean Service Medal
- Korean War Service Medal
- United Nations Service Medal

Veterans and family members applying on behalf of a deceased veteran should submit a completed Ambassador for Peace Medal application along with a copy of the veteran's DD-214.

Applications received by September 30 will be submitted to the Korean Consulate for processing. The Pottawattamie County Veterans Service Office will then coordinate a regional ceremony in November to recognize participating veterans and families. The ceremony date and location will be announced after applications have been received and details are coordinated with the Korean Consulate and participating counties.

The regional effort includes Veterans Affairs offices serving Adair, Adams, Audubon, Cass, Fremont, Guthrie, Harrison, Mills, Montgomery, Page, Ringgold, Shelby, Taylor and Union counties, in addition to Pottawattamie County.

Applications may be submitted to the Pottawattamie County Veterans Service Office at 623 6th Ave., Council Bluffs, IA 51501. Applications and additional information are also available online through the Pottawattamie County Veterans Service Office website at https://www.pottcounty-ia.gov/veterans_service_office/

Questions about eligibility, applications or the ceremony may be directed to the Veterans Service Office at 712-328-5797 or veterans@pottcounty-ia.gov.

CALLING ALL FRIDAY NIGHT SKATE VOLUNTEERS!

HELP OUT WHILE HAVING FUN

The UMBA in Underwood is looking for groups of friends, families, coworkers, and community members to volunteer for Friday Night Skating

Grab 3 friends and make it a group of 4!
We need volunteers to work in groups of four:

 2 volunteers — Concessions

 2 volunteers — Front Door

 Friday nights

October–April

 6:45 PM–9:45 PM

YOUR TIME HELPS KEEP FRIDAY NIGHT SKATING ROLLING!

 **Grab your group of 4 and sign up to volunteer!**

Please Reach out to Mallory Petersen 402-690-4417

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UPCOMING RESIDENTIAL ELECTRONICS RECYCLING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, OCT 14 2-6PM

EXIRA - BALL PARK

100 S. FLORENCE ST

THURSDAY, OCT 15 2-6PM

WALNUT - MEH COMMUNICATIONS SHED

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