



'Wake Up' meetings feature Bluffs issues

Topics ranging from the Bluffs Challenge Cup run to a proposed new library and the National Historic Trails Center will be discussed at a "Wake Up to Council Bluffs" meeting Wednesday morning.

Twelve speakers will include Council Bluffs Mayor Thomas P. Harafan, Iowa Rep. Brent Siegrist, R-Council Bluffs, and Pottawattamie County Supervisor Shawn Shea. The meeting will begin at 7:17 a.m. at Haymarket Hall, 527 S. Main St., and will be open to the public.

Sponsored by the Council Bluffs Chamber of Commerce, the meeting will present information on a variety of local issues. Each speaker will have three minutes for presentations.

Other speakers will be Chamber Chairman Mark Doll and President Larry Mankin; Mark Ramsey, spokesman for developers of a proposed casino-hotel in Council Bluffs; Ed Lynn, president of Jer-

mie Edmundson Memorial Hospital; Don Porter, vice president of management services at Iowa Western Community College; George S. Beno, executive director of Iowa West Racing Association; Anne McKeown, the Chamber's chairwoman-elect; Susanne Christiansen, president of the Council Bluffs Library Board; and Marty Shukert, designer of the Chamber's strategic plan for Council Bluffs.

Topics will include Bluffs Run, city and county projects, legislative issues, the proposed Western Historic Trails Center, the proposed casino, southwest Iowa graduate center, Jennie Edmundson Hospital's proposed expansion, economic development, landfills, a new library, the Renaissance Faire, D.C. Ambassadors, 1991 Leadership Council Bluffs and the Bluffs Challenge Cup.

More meetings may be held on a bi-monthly or quarterly basis.

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