

## Chore Services for Elderly now available in Monona County

Monona County Community Partnership Foundation recently awarded a \$3,000 grant to Siouxland Aging Services, Inc., for their Chore Program. Siouxland Aging Services' Chore Program provides lawn mowing and snow removal for elderly residents in Monona County as well as Plymouth, Ida, Cherokee and Woodbury Counties. Elderly residents in Monona County are encouraged to apply for the Chore Program.

“We want to thank the Monona County Community Partnership Foundation for their generosity. This grant will allow people who need lawn care and snow removal to safely stay in their homes longer. Maintaining a quality, independent life is always our mission at Siouxland Aging Services. Without generous support from benefactors such as the Monona County Community Partnership, this program would not be available to nearly as many of the residents of Monona County,” stated Sandy Wienhold, Director of Case Management. “These are chores elderly people often try to do themselves. Not only are chores difficult for seniors but doing them can be harmful to an older persons' wellbeing.”

With a mission of enabling older lowans to live with maximum possible dignity, well-being and independence, Siouxland Aging Services assists those over 60 years of age and their families in Monona, Cherokee, Ida, Plymouth and Woodbury Counties, Siouxland Aging Services is located at 2301 Pierce St., Sioux City, IA 51104. For more information on how you can be eligible for the Chore Program, or to find out more about other services offered, contact Siouxland Aging Services at (712) 279-6900, toll free (800) 798-6916 or on our our website at [www.siouxlandaging.org](http://www.siouxlandaging.org).