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**PRESS RELEASE**

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January 4, 2022

**BRIDGE REPLACEMENT ON JUNIPER AVE AND 325<sup>TH</sup> STREET**

Beginning Monday, January 10, 2022, Juniper Ave will be closed, approximately 350' south from the intersection of 325<sup>th</sup> Street, for a bridge replacement project. Iowa Bridge and Culvert, L.C. of Washington, Iowa was awarded the project with a bid of \$240,684.43. The project consists of replacing the existing bridge over the Creek with a twin 12' by 8' by 38' reinforced concrete box culvert. The existing bridge is being replaced because it is currently posted with a weight restriction and is narrow, creating a detour for larger vehicles and equipment to get around in the area. The project is expected to take approximately 3-4 months, weather permitting.

Questions about the project may be directed to the Washington County Engineer's Office at (319) 653-7731.

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