



Media Release

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Ames Police Request Assistance in Assault Investigation

Around 2:20 a.m. on May 16, 2026, an adult male was seriously injured in an assault in the 2400 block of Chamberlain Street.

As part of the ongoing investigation, the Ames Police Department is seeking information regarding three individuals who were in the Campustown area on May 15 between 11 p.m. and the time of the assault. Investigators are releasing four photographs showing these individuals and are seeking the public's assistance in identifying them or providing information about their activities during the relevant timeframe.

Anyone who recognizes the individuals, witnessed the incident, or has relevant information is encouraged to contact the Ames Police Department.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Ames Police Department at (515) 239-5133 or the anonymous tip line (515) 239-5533. You may also contact Crime Stoppers of Central Iowa at (515) 223-1400. Online anonymous tips may be submitted to www.crimestoppersofcentraliowa.com.

Questions regarding this press release may be directed to Sergeant Amber Christian, Ames Police Department, at (515) 239-5134 or (515) 239-5133.

A criminal charge is merely an accusation, and defendant(s) are presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

