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Options Offered for Feedback on Crime & Poverty Report

DUBUQUE, Iowa – The City of Dubuque is offering residents and stakeholders several options to provide feedback on the recently completed Dubuque Study on Crime and Poverty Summary Report.

The research team from Northern Illinois University that conducted the study will make a formal presentation on the report at a public meeting of the Safe Community Task Force on **Tuesday, Jan. 25**, at 6:00 p.m. in City Council Chambers at the Historic Federal Building at 350 West 6th Street. This presentation will be televised live on City Cable Channel 8 on the Mediacom cable system and will also be streamed live and archived online at www.cityofdubuque.org/media.

Due to the time required to present the study findings, this meeting will not include time for public comment on the report, other than from the task force. However, residents and stakeholders who attend the Tuesday evening meeting and have questions and comments will be given note cards to submit their feedback for review by the Safe Community Task Force and City staff.

All residents and stakeholders, whether they attend the meeting or not, can provide feedback online at www.cityofdubuque.org/safecommunity. Feedback can also be submitted to the City Manager's Office by phone at 563-589-4110; by mail at 50 West 13th Street, Dubuque, Iowa, 52001; or by email at prussell@cityofdubuque.org.

Those who provide feedback and would like a response will need to provide their name, address, and phone number. Respondents who just want the task force to consider their comment or question and do not expect a response may submit anonymously.

A complete copy of the report is available online at www.cityofdubuque.org/safecommunity. Printed copies and CDs containing electronic versions are available to be checked out at Carnegie-Stout Public Library Reference Desk at 360 West 11th Street. In addition, printed copies of the report are available for review, and CDs are available free of charge, at the City Clerk's Office at City Hall at 50 West 13th Street, Human Rights Department in City Hall Annex at 1300 Main Street, and the Dubuque Police Department at 770 Iowa Street.

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