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DUBUQUE, IA - Effective July 1, 2016, the Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA will no longer offer programming at the West Program Center, located at 4170 Pennsylvania Avenue.

Through the intentional and thoughtful strategic work of the Board of Directors and senior staff, the Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA has implemented a strategic plan. The plan deploys the best use of our resources in order to build the capacity of the Y to meet the growing needs of the Dubuque community.

"Our goal is to give the communities we serve a stronger, healthier Y with focused commitment on Youth Development, Healthy Living, Social Responsibility, Eliminating Racism and Empowering Women," explains President and CEO, Sharon Covey. "Our greatest desire is to continue serving the families of the Y."

The Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA will honor all memberships at the Main facility, located at 35 North Booth Street, and provides the same quality instruction, programs and services the community has come to count on at the Y, including Child Watch.

"The Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA is more than a building, but rather an association of people who have counted on the Y for 150 years. Our forward-thinking progress has allowed us to complete the reorganization of our Board of Directors, implement a strategic plan focusing on a new facility, integrate new programming and are planning for our 150th Anniversary," said Board Vice President, Mark Seckman.

For more information, please contact Sharon Covey, President and CEO at scovey@dubuquey.org or by calling 563-556-3371.

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The Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA serves 10,300 individuals annually in membership and programs with 15 childcare sites located throughout Dubuque and surrounding areas. The Y offers health and wellness activities and programs that include youth sports, school-age and pre-school child care, summer day camp, aquatics, Zipline and classes for all ages. The Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA is a leading nonprofit strengthening our community through youth development, healthy living, social responsibility, eliminating racism, and empowering women.

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