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## Campbell Housing Complex Groundbreaking Ceremony

On April 15, 2026, the Housing Authority of the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska proudly held the groundbreaking ceremony for the Campbell Housing Complex, and it was good to see so many people in attendance.

This project represents more than just new homes. It reflects our commitment to strengthening sovereignty and ensuring access to high-quality, affordable housing on our Reservation. Safe, stable housing plays a vital role in improving overall community well-being, strengthening social and cultural connections, and supporting economic prosperity.

This groundbreaking marks a significant step forward for the Housing Authority and for Indian Country as a whole. Addressing the housing shortage remains a priority, and this project shows our continued commitment to building stronger, healthier communities for current and future generations.



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## **A QUICK THANK YOU!**

The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska would like to extend a sincere thank you to everyone who helped make the recent car show and demo derby a success.

From setup to coordination throughout the day, your time and effort played an important role in ensuring everything ran smoothly. Taking time out of your Saturday to support the Tribe is truly appreciated.

Your commitment and willingness to step in where needed did not go unnoticed. These events are successful because of the people who come together to make them happen.

Thank you again to everyone who contributed. We appreciate your support.

## **Spring Farm Update**

It's been a busy and productive start to the season for our farm team. We've planted about 25% of our 2,250 acres of corn and soybeans, with conditions allowing steady progress so far. This year, we've also added 34 acres of alfalfa, providing a valuable forage source for our cattle herd.

Looking back at last year, our corn averaged 172 bushels per acre and

soybeans averaged 55 bushels per acre. Some acres were not harvestable due to heavy weed pressure, which affected overall performance. Moving forward, we're focused on improving yields by better managing Johnson grass and strengthening our crop management practices.

On the livestock side, spring calving is nearly complete, with 32 calves born and 10 remaining. It's been a solid season, and we're looking forward to wrapping it up soon.

We appreciate your continued support as we move through the growing season.



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# Congrats Ioway Graduates!

We want to celebrate YOU!

If you'd like to see yourself or your graduate in a special announcement please send the following information to [communications@iowas.org](mailto:communications@iowas.org):

- Name of graduate
- Photo - preferably a senior photo, head-shot, wearing graduation regalia, or holding diploma
- School and grade level/program graduated from
- Any notable honors, awards, scholarships, future plans, etc.
- Family info - names of parents, grandparents, family names, clan, etc.

**DEADLINE JUNE 8, 2026**



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## **TRIBE PREPARES TO LAUNCH NEW FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska is proud to announce the upcoming launch of Sage Intacct, a financial management system designed to enhance efficiency, transparency, and accountability across all tribal operations.

This new platform will streamline financial processes, improve reporting capabilities, and provide department leaders with clearer, real-time insight into their budgets. By strengthening the separation of duties and reducing reliance on paper-based systems, Sage Intacct marks a significant step toward a more modern and organized financial infrastructure.

The system will be implemented across tribal entities, including Administration, Grandview Oil, Rutana Tire, Grey Snow Sanitation, and the Boys and Girls Club ensuring greater consistency and coordination throughout the organization.

Executive Committee members, upper management, and supervisors have completed training and are prepared to begin using the system. Sage Intacct is scheduled to go live on May 1, 2026.

This transition reflects the Tribe's continued commitment to responsible financial management and ongoing operational improvement.



**We honor our past while  
building a healthy  
future - thank you for  
staying connected.**

### **General Council Dates:**

**May 30, 2026** - The draft agenda is now posted in the Members' Area of the website. Please review it and share any changes or additions with Tony.

**August 1, 2026**  
**October 17, 2026**

### **Upcoming Event Dates:**

**April 30 - May 3, 2026 City of  
White Cloud Flea Market**  
**June 27, 2026 - Rodeo**