## **CITY OF SIOUX CITY**



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## Ronald McDonald House of Siouxland Awarded the Pride of Sioux City: Business Beautification Award

The Ronald McDonald House Charities of Siouxland is the latest recipient of the *Pride of Sioux City: Beautification Award* from the Sioux City Economic Development Department. This award is presented to Sioux City employers who show pride in the appearance of their business property. Mayor Bob Scott will present the Ronald McDonald House with the award and commendation at the June 17th City Council meeting.

The award, which is open to all Sioux City businesses, is presented to companies based on criteria including landscaping, originality, cleanliness, sense of community, appearance of building and signs, and overall appearance. A committee of local business professionals and city staff select a winner from a list of nominations.

"We are so honored to receive this award. Through a special donation, we were able to update our landscaping in 2018 to make the Ronald McDonald House an even more welcoming space for families, " said Christy Batien, Executive Director. "A special thanks to The Claussen Group, UnityPoint Health-St. Luke's and Holland's Lawn Care for all of their efforts to keep this space looking so beautiful."

## About Ronald McDonald House Charities of Siouxland

For 25 years, the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Siouxland has provided a place to stay and food to eat for families with children age 21 and younger receiving medical treatment in Sioux City. This comfort and care is given through three core programs The Ronald McDonald House at 2500 Nebraska St., The Ronald McDonald Family Kitchens at both Sioux City hospitals and the Family Lunch Program.