



# Board of Supervisors

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## **Neuzil To Hold November Government and You Listening Posts**

(IOWA CITY IA) Terrence Neuzil, member of the Johnson County Board of Supervisors, will hold his "Government and You" Listening Posts in November. The listening posts last one hour and provide residents an opportunity to discuss local, state and national government issues in an informal setting. Each month during the listening posts, citizens also can learn and discuss a hot and emerging issue that Johnson County is facing. In November, the Hot Topics Discussion will be on the Joint Iowa City Johnson County Communications and Dispatch Center and the costs associated with the facility. The Center would combine emergency communication services from the Johnson County Sheriff's office, and the police departments of Iowa City, Coralville, North Liberty and University Heights. With a recent state legislative change, earlier this month, Johnson County moved forward with initial plans to increase the County's emergency management tax levy to pay for the facility, radio towers and other operating expenses. The costs associated with the investment in public safety will likely mean a significant increase to County taxes beginning in July of 2008. Those attending will learn more about those costs and other details of the center by attending one of the listening posts.

A list of dates, times and locations include:

Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7am Hy Vee Deli on Waterfront Drive in Iowa City.

Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 7am at Corridor Coffee Co, 555 Hwy 965 in North Liberty

Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 4pm at the Johnson County Board of Supervisor offices in the Johnson County Administration Building; 913 S. Dubuque Street in Iowa City.

Wednesday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, 4pm at Café Iguanas on Main Street in Hills.

Tuesday, November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2pm at the Iowa City Johnson County Senior Center in the Front Foyer.

For more information, please call 356-6000.

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