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Tony Thompson for sheriff

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CEDAR FALLS --- I want to tell you why I'm voting for Tony Thompson for sheriff. He is for getting the inmates out to work around our county. From cleaning up roadsides ditches, to helping in our county parks to beautify our county, he wants to put them to work. I think inmate work crews are an important part of his plan to improve our jail service. By using inmates to clean up our county, we are putting our best foot forward. As other businesses, like Monsanto come looking, we are not just putting our best face out there, but we are maximizing our resources without increasing tax money to get it done. Tony Thompson has a very pragmatic approach to law enforcement and a very insightful plan to improve our sheriff's office and our county's safety in the process. I encourage every voter to see what I have seen and you too will be voting for Tony Thompson for sheriff of Black Hawk County.