

## PRESS RELEASE

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## **Ames Police Investigate Death**

On January 22, 2021, at 9:49 a.m., the Ames Police Department responded to a medical call at Delta Delta Sorority, 302 Ash Avenue. The caller reported a college aged female was found unconscious in the parking lot. When officers arrived, they found a 21-year-old female on the ground in the parking lot. The female was pronounced dead at the scene by medical personnel. The name of the female is being withheld pending notification of family. The female is an Iowa State University student.

Officers are canvassing the area and conducting follow-up interviews. At this time, there does not appear to be any threats to the community. Investigation into this incident continues by the Ames Police Department.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Ames Police Department at 239-5133 or the anonymous tip line **239-5533**. You may also contact Crime Stoppers of Central Iowa at 515-223-1400. Online anonymous tips may be submitted to www.crimestoppersofcentraliowa.com.

Questions regarding this press release may be directed to Commander Jason Tuttle, Ames Police Department, at (515) 239-5312 or (515) 239-5133.

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