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Chautauqua County Government Will Have a Strong Presence at 2010 Fair

Mayville: -- Representatives from a wide variety of Chautauqua County Departments will be on hand at the 2010 Chautauqua County Fair. The 2010 Fair runs from July 26th through August 1st.

Consolidating operations this year, County Executive Gregory J. Edwards said the theme of the County Government booth is "*Working Together for a Better Tomorrow.*" The County booth will be located inside the fair's Commercial Building.

"We made the choice to provide information on County services and programs in a more one-on-one setting this year, rather than inside a large tent," Edwards said. "We made this decision as part of overall cost saving measures. Residents will still be able to have total access to County employees."

Edwards said area children will also have an opportunity to enter for a chance to win a bicycle, which has been done in years past.

"Hollyloft Ski & Bike on Fairmount Avenue in Jamestown has again donated a bicycle that will be raffled off," Edward said. "I want to thank Hollyloft owner Les Johnson and Youth Bureau Program Coordinator Patricia Yokom for making the bike raffle a reality again this year. I know many kids look forward to the chance to enter the raffle."

Government Booth Manager and County Clerk Sandy Sopak said the County booth will be staffed Monday-Friday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., with some events beginning at Noon.

"We look forward to providing information on everything from the County's Office for the Aging to the Department of Motor Vehicles," Sopak said.

The Chautauqua County Fair will be held at the fairgrounds at 1089 Central Avenue in Dunkirk from July 26th – August 1st, 2010. For more information on the 129th Chautauqua County Fair, visit their Web site: www.ChautauquaCountyFair.org.

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