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More than 100 Jobs to be created in Ankeny's Newest Continuing Care Retirement Community

West Des Moines, June 2016 - Construction is set to be finished July of this year, in Ankeny on a new senior living community called The Bridges at Ankeny, offering memory-care services, long-term care, skilled rehabilitation, respite and hospice care. With independent living and assisted living following within the next year.

Hawkeye Estates an Iowa-based company is developing the 13 acre community located at 3510 Northwest Abilene Road, off of North 36th Street. The community will be managed by Hawkeye Care Centers of Iowa.

The 146-residence community will be comprised of 30-bed memory care neighborhood, 28-bed long-term care community and 42-bed skilled rehabilitation wing. Future living residences will include 30 assisted living residences and 18 independent custom townhomes. The Bridges at Ankeny will be equipped with the latest technology and senior-living design amenities, including an on-site therapy and wellness center, theater, doctor's exam room, day spa and bistro.

"The Bridges at Ankeny has been specifically designed to provide residents with a true sense of community, which is different than most people think when considering more traditional senior living models," said Doug Johnson, President of Hawkeye Care Centers of Iowa. "The Bridges at Ankeny will be a state-of-the-art, technologically advanced community that strives to meet the needs of residents in a comfortable and homelike setting, while also offering 24-hour nursing, rehabilitation and therapy services on site, and other amenities should residents' needs change."

The community is expected to generate approximately over 100 local jobs, and is expected to open August 23, 2016. Those interested in joining our team should apply online at www.thebridgesankeny.com.

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