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FRED BECKER ELEMENTARY HOSTS GRAND OPENING

WATERLOO-Fred Becker Elementary will host a grand opening on Tuesday, January 24, 2012, from 6-8:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend the event at 1239 Sheldon Street, Waterloo.

A ceremony will take place at 6:00 in the gym, with several guest speakers including, WCSD Superintendent, Dr. Norris; David Jones, Waterloo City Council Member representing Mayor Buck Clark; Waterloo Community School District Board President, Mike Young; Mike Chapman, Historian and Author; Waterloo Amvets; Doug Larson of Larson Construction; and a representative from StruXture Architecture. Following the ceremony, all guests are invited for refreshments and self-guided tours.

The new building was made possible by the One Cent Sales Local Option Tax. Becker Elementary serves students who live in the attendance area of the former Black Hawk or Edison Elementary Schools. It was named in memory of Fred Becker, who was a young Waterloo native who gave his life during World War I.

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