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DR. SAM CLOVIS WILL BE FEATURED SPEAKER FOR HINTON BUSINESS CLUB BANQUET

Hinton, Iowa (January 9, 2011) Dr. Sam Clovis, host of the talk radio show "Impact with Sam Clovis" that airs on Sioux City radio station KSCJ, 1360 AM, will be the featured speaker at the Hinton Business Club Banquet, slated for Saturday, March 24, at the clubhouse at Deer Run Golf Course in Hinton. Clovis' presentation is titled "Doing One More Thing."

The banquet begins with social time and cash bar at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 7 p.m. Clovis is scheduled to speak at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$25 per person and can be obtained by contacting members of the Hinton Business Club, or at Pinnacle Bank in Hinton. Tickets will be limited to the first 100 guests. The event is sponsored by the Hinton Business Club, a non-profit organization formed in 2009 to promote local business growth, enhance economic environment, and improve the quality of life.

Clovis, who also serves as chair of the department of Business Administration and Economics at Morningside College, came to the Sioux City area after working for the Homeland Security Institute where he remains a Fellow, concentrating his research efforts in national preparedness, community resilience, and immigration policy. He is also a member of the faculty at the Center for Homeland Defense and Security at the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, California, and serves as an adjunct instructor for Iowa State University in the university's Master of Public Administration program.

Clovis holds a bachelor of science degree in political science from the United States Air Force Academy, a master's in business administration from Golden Gate University in San Francisco, Calif., and a doctorate in public administration from the University of Alabama. He has regional expertise in Europe, the former Soviet Union, and the Middle East, where he served in the American Embassy in Bahrain. He has managerial and executive experience in the private, public, and not-for-profit sectors. His experience in the private sector includes work with Northrop Grumman and Booz Allen Hamilton, among other companies.

After graduating from the Air Force Academy, Clovis spent 25 years serving in the Air Force where he rose to the rank of colonel. He retired as the Inspector General of North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD) and the United States Space Command. He was a command pilot, gaining combat readiness in the F-106, F-4, and the F-16. He entered the private sector after retirement from the Air Force and has been teaching in higher education for the past 14 years. He is the former dean of College of Business and Management Science at William Penn University in Oskaloosa, Iowa. He and his family reside in the country near Hinton.

The Hinton Business Club supports local economic development, organizes events and activities to enhance local business, maintains a business development network, and conducts roundtable discussions about what matters to their businesses. For more information, visit www.hintonbusinessclub.com.