

### **2015 Paint Creston Program**

The Image Enhancement Committee of the Creston Chamber of Commerce is again able to offer the Paint Creston Program to a minimum of five Creston owner occupied homes in 2015. In the five years that the program has been in place, 25 homes in Creston have been painted.

In the past, some homeowners have felt that any general upkeep of their property will increase the assessed value on their home and thus have not kept their property in good condition. This is not correct. According to former, Union County Assessor, S. Gene Haner, "The Assessment on a home will not raise if the home is painted or re-roofed contrary to popular belief."

In order to be considered for the program, each interested homeowner needs to complete an application which is available at the Chamber Office. The completed application can then be mailed or returned no later than 5:00 p.m. on May 8, 2015, to the Chamber Office, 208 West Taylor Street, Creston, IA. The mailing address is PO Box 471, Creston, IA, 50801 and the Chamber email address is [chamber@crestoniowachamber.com](mailto:chamber@crestoniowachamber.com).

For questions please call the Chamber Office at 641-782-7021.

We truly believe that a little paint can make a dramatic difference.

### **Contact Info**

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**Paint Creston Application**  
(Home must be owner-occupied  
& located in Creston to qualify)

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ Creston, IA 50801

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

How many people live in the home?

Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_

What range is your household income? \_\_\_\_\_ \$0-\$20,000 \_\_\_\_\_ \$20,000-\$40,000  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$40,000+

How many years have you owned your home? \_\_\_\_\_

If your home is selected, do you have the ability and or resources to paint your home within the time frame ( by October 9, 2015)? \_\_\_\_\_

If your home is selected, will you be able to maintain the appearance? \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you applying: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Homeowners Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**All work must be completed by October 9, 2015.**  
**If work is not completed the homeowner will reimburse the Creston Chamber of Commerce for the full retail price of the paint.**

Return completed application to the Creston Chamber of Commerce by May 8, 2015