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## **BACoon Sizzles Waukeee Welcomes BACoon Ride Too Riders and the Metro Community on June 19**

**Waukeee, Iowa**— Bacon lovers unite! BACoon Sizzles Waukeee, made possible by local Waukeee businesses Access Systems and Shottenkirk Chevrolet, will ride into Waukeee on Friday, June 19 – the night before BACoon Ride Too: A Second Helpin’.

BACoon Sizzles Waukeee will kick off a weekend of bacon, bikes and beer but you don’t have to be a rider to attend. Residents, friends, bacon enthusiasts – everyone is welcome to enjoy delicious bacon delicacies from vendors like Brewer Family Farms, Hotel Pattee, Waukeee Hy-Vee and Local Yocals. And you won’t want to miss the Star 102.5 stage where 80s tribute band, Members Only, will headline with local band, The New Mexicos, opening the stage.

Throw in a beer garden featuring local and national brews, giant beer pong, a putting green and more all in Waukeee’s beautiful Centennial Park starting at 5:00 p.m. – this is a party you won’t want to miss! Visit [www.waukeee.org/baconosizzles](http://www.waukeee.org/baconosizzles) for more information.

BACoon Ride first rode through Waukeee in 2014, when Iowa's world-famous RAGBRAI® joined with the founders of the Blue Ribbon Bacon Festival® and the Iowa Bicycle Coalition to create the unique ride. The 71-mile ride on the Racoon River Valley Trail combines the love of bacon and the love of bike riding, with bacon stops in each town along the route.

Waukeee will play a special part in BACoon Ride Too for the riders, with the city being the starting and ending point for the ride on June 20. The city will host camping in Centennial Park for registered riders along with a breakfast before the ride. Visit [www.baconride.com](http://www.baconride.com) to register for BACoon Ride.

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The City of Waukee is recognized as the fastest growing city within the state of Iowa and is located in Dallas County—one of the fastest growing counties within the United States. The official Census estimate based on July 2013 data is 17,077. Waukee offers a family-friendly environment featuring quality parks, schools and trails. The City is also dedicated to economic development and expanding business opportunities, including the creation of its future mixed-use development, Kettlestone. For more information, visit [www.waukee.org](http://www.waukee.org).