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The City of Gowrie Police Department is the recipient of an Aureon Charity Grant to invest in technology for the new police cruiser.

The grant application requested funds to go towards a new laptop, one of many pieces of equipment that will be used within the new patrol car. This laptop is essential to keep officers connected with all digital tasks and information such as shift logs, citations, case management and working with other agencies.

Aureon is committed to advancing Iowa communities and invites public and non-profit agencies throughout the Webster-Calhoun service area to submit proposals for consideration in assisting with charity drives and funding specific projects. Most awards range from \$250 to \$1,500. Quarterly grant applications are specifically available through local independent telephone companies, like Webster-Calhoun, throughout Iowa.

The Aureon Charity Grant Program was established to increase service and support to rural independent telephone companies and the communities they serve. Applications are considered on a quarterly basis and available to organizations within the WCCTA service area.



Above: Marcie Boerner, Webster-Calhoun Cooperative Telephone Association, presenting the check for \$1,500 on behalf of Aureon to Chief Patrick Monaghan, Gowrie Police Department.

Below: New laptop for the Gowrie police cruiser.



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March Mania Winners

It was an exciting few weeks of college basketball with upsets and surprises every week! Congratulations to the winners of our Pick-It March Mania contest:

- 1st Place: Kim Kopecky
- 2nd Place: Marvin Jensen
- 3rd Place: Dawn Tarbox

Technician Training

Some of our technicians attended a fiber splicing training alongside two other local communications companies (Stratford Mutual Telephone & Colo Telephone). There is something to be said about low-based companies working together to learn and grow for the benefit of our communities.

“Adulting 101” Class

Mindy along with other area businesses visited with students at South Central Calhoun High School in Lake City about monthly expenses and how they can budget for a household after they graduate. This “Adulting 101” class was sponsored and organized by the Rockwell City Rotary Club.

