

# Green Hills News Release

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## Goats on the Go at Green Hills

October 4, 2018 (AMES, IOWA) – Goats on the Go, LC is partnering with Green Hills to develop a specialized targeted grazing opportunity to enhance the health and appearance of our Prairie Area. This grazing is an environmentally friendly way to manage our landscape. Many of the goats' favorites include common nuisance or invasive species. At the same time, the grazing provides many of the benefits as fire but without the headache of a prescribed burn.

“My goal is to use my knowledge and education in such a way as to promote new and innovative ways to address a variety of situations across the Green Hills campus.” said Rian, our Landscape and Lawn Care Team Leader. “Using a company such as Goats on the Go captures this idea to the very core. This program reintroduces one of the most natural and sustainable ways to manage vegetation. There are so many added benefits to the vegetation and soil which simply could not be achieved using mechanical methods of vegetation management.”

Green Hills has been recognized by the City of Ames as a Platinum Smart Business Challenge award recipient. This level can only be obtained by implementing unique and innovative processes, practices, or initiatives. Here at Green Hills, we have made huge improvements in reducing our carbon footprint and implementing sustainable practices.

The goats will be at Green Hills until midway of next week. For more information about Green Hills or the visiting goats, please contact us at 515-357-5000.

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