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Gov. Branstad, HSEMD Administrator Derek Hill, Congressman Steve King to Tour Flood-Affected Areas Along the Missouri River on Monday

(DES MOINES) - Gov. Terry E. Branstad will join Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management Director Gen. Derek Hill and Congressman Steve King on **Monday, June 27, 2011** in traveling via Black Hawk helicopter for an aerial tour of the flood-affected areas along the Missouri River.

The trio will visit with local officials and hold press conferences in Sioux City and Council Bluffs regarding flood damage, and prevention efforts, along the Missouri River. They will then conduct an aerial surveillance of the flood-affected areas while traveling from Sioux City to Council Bluffs.

The following events are open to the media:

Monday, June 27, 2011

- 9 a.m.** Gov. Branstad and Lt. Governor Reynolds hold administration's weekly press conference
Large Conference Room
State Capitol – Governor's Office
Des Moines, IA
- 11:30 a.m.** Gov. Branstad tours Riverside Residential Area
Sioux City, IA
- 12:15 p.m.** Gov. Branstad, Derek Hill and Congressman King tour critical infrastructure at the Hamilton Blvd. and I-29 Interchange
Sioux City, IA
- 1 p.m.** Gov. Branstad, HSEMD Administrator General Derek Hill, and Congressman Steve King hold press conference
Siouxland Chamber of Commerce
101 Pierce Street
Sioux City, IA
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.** Gov. Branstad conducts aerial surveillance of flood along Missouri River en route to Council Bluffs
- 3 p.m.** Gov. Branstad, Derek Hill and Congressman King tour
Riverside Grille Area
Council Bluffs, IA

3:30 p.m. Gov. Branstad, Derek Hill, and Congressman Steve King hold press conference
Dodge Maintenance Building
428 S. 38th St.
Council Bluffs, IA

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