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Two local programs nominated for the Upper Midwest Chapter Regional Emmy® Awards

Northern Dakota County Cable Communications Commission (NDC4) and Town Square Television are proud to announce nominations in two categories for the Upper Midwest Chapter Regional Emmy® Awards.

Girl Talk is produced by Kimberly Blackford. Girl Talk is a monthly half-hour program that is both educational and entertaining to women of all ages and focuses on issues that effect today's female population. This show can be seen daily on Community Channel 14 and is online at www.townsquare.tv/girltalk.cfm.

Amp It Up is produced by Shawn Vougeot. Amp It Up is a monthly half-hour music showcase that features original music of local and upper midwest bands and musicians. This show can be seen daily on Community Channel 14 and is available for online viewing at www.townsquare.tv/ampitup.cfm.

The Upper Midwest Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences is a membership organization dedicated to excellence in television by honoring exceptional work, past and present; providing professional development and outreach, and nurturing the next generation of television professionals. The 2011 Regional Emmys® will be presented at a ceremony in Minneapolis on September 24th.

NDC4 is a joint powers cooperative formed by its seven member cities to administer and enforce the cable television franchise ordinance for each of the seven cities. NDC4 is the local franchise authority representing cable subscribers' consumer interests, and also overseeing seven local community access channels on the Comcast cable system. Town Square Television is a non-profit organization producing local television programs and providing access to video production equipment, studios, training, and cable television channel time for community members who wish to televise their own programs. For more information, call 651-451-7834, or go to www.townsquare.tv.