

AMES NATIONAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 14, 2006

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**JULY 14, 2006**  
Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported)

**AMES NATIONAL CORPORATION**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**IOWA**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

**0-32637**  
(Commission File Number)

**42-1039071**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**405 FIFTH STREET  
AMES, IOWA 50010**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: **(515) 232-6251**

**NOT APPLICABLE**  
(Former Name, Former Address and Former Fiscal Year, if Changed Since Last Report)

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**Item 2.02**

**Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

The following exhibit is filed as part of this Report:

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u>               |
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| 99.1               | News Release dated July 14, 2006 |

**Item 9.01**

**Financial Statements and Exhibits**

On July 14, 2006, Ames National Corporation issued a News Release announcing financial results for the three and six months ended June 30, 2006. A copy of the News Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**AMES NATIONAL CORPORATION**

Date: July 14, 2006

By: */s/ Daniel L. Krieger*  
Daniel L. Krieger, President  
(Principal Executive Officer)

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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News Release dated July 14, 2006

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