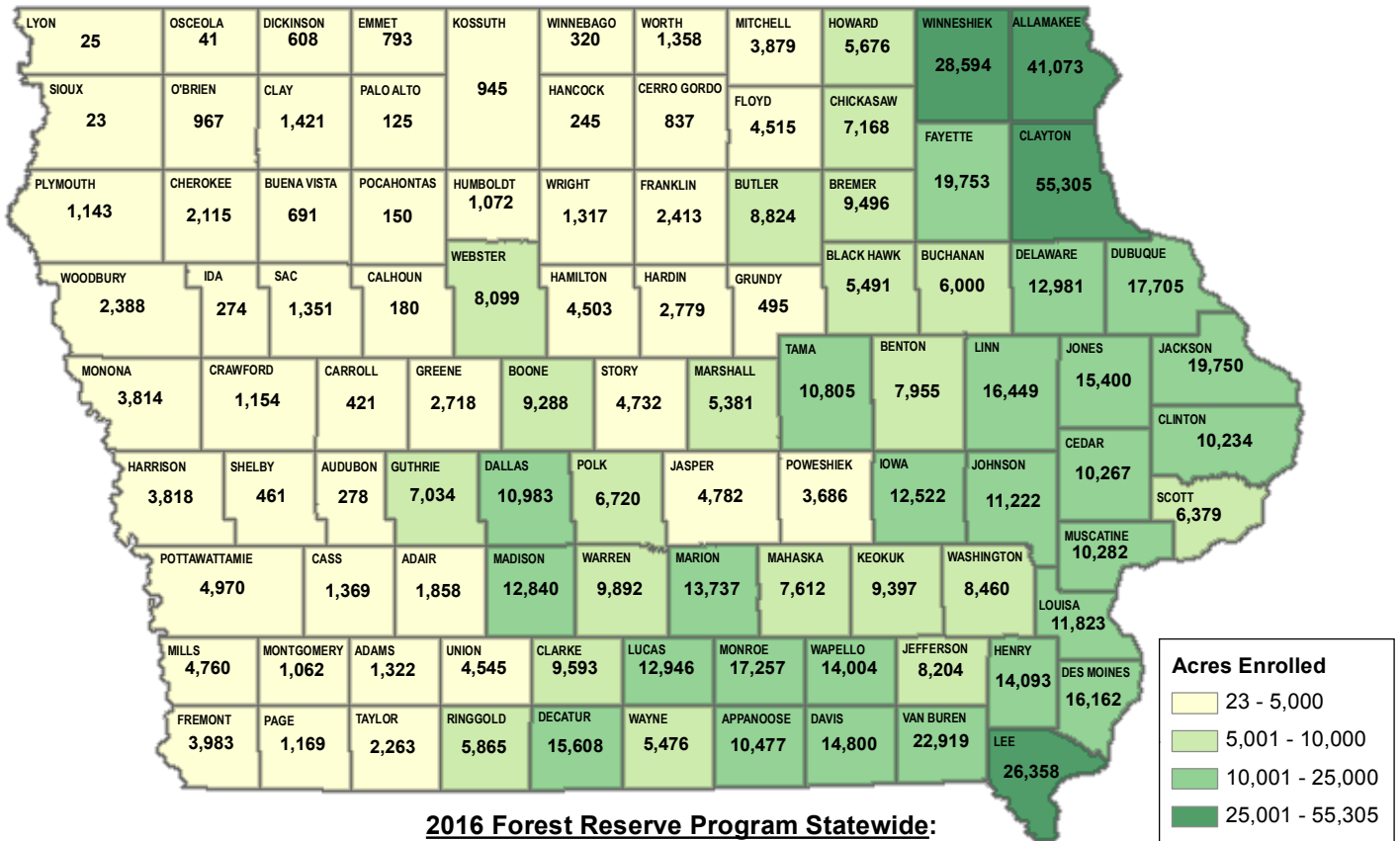


FOREST RESERVE PROGRAM ACRES BY COUNTY – 2016



2016 Forest Reserve Program Statewide:
 Acres: 754,496 | Parcels: 53,518
 Statewide average acres per parcel: 14.1

Established in **1906** as the "Forest and Fruit Tree Reservation Act" to:
 "reduce or eliminate property taxes to induce landowners to hold
 their poorer lands in timber not only as a source of farm income but
 also for erosion control, watershed protection and game cover."

**Forest Reserve Lands
 Are 100% Tax Exempt**

PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY



2 Acre Minimum**

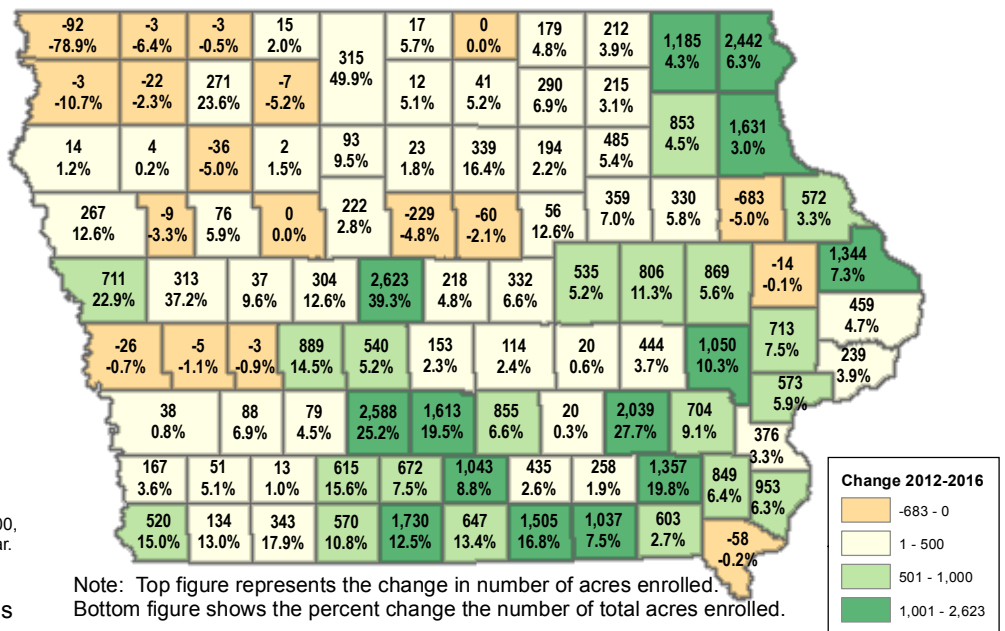


No cattle, mules, horses,
 sheep, goats, or hogs are
 permitted on forest reserves.

*Not more than one-fifth of the total number of trees may
 be removed in a single year. If the number falls below 200,
 the owner must restore the number to 200 within one year.
 **Acres must be contiguous.

Source: Department of Natural Resources

CHANGE IN ENROLLED ACRES – 2012-2016



Note: Top figure represents the change in number of acres enrolled.
 Bottom figure shows the percent change the number of total acres enrolled.

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