
BUDGET UNIT BRIEF – FY 2021

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Iowa National Guard — Modernization of Readiness Centers

Purpose and History

Appropriations for construction improvements and modernization efforts of readiness centers (armories) for the Iowa Army National Guard are provided in the infrastructure budget. The Iowa National Guard has 38 readiness centers around the State. Of the 38 readiness centers, 32 were constructed at least 25 years ago.

Readiness Center Projects

Funds are used for various improvements, including renovations to classrooms, training areas, and administrative offices; upgrades to heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems; and upgrades for electrical systems and roofs, as well as improvements to kitchens, latrines, and other areas of the readiness centers. As of FY 2017, the following readiness centers have been improved with the statewide modernization appropriation and corresponding federal funding:

- FY 2009: Oelwein, Charles City
- FY 2010: Perry, Audubon
- FY 2011: Knoxville, Iowa Falls, and Shenandoah
- FY 2012: Washington, Camp Dodge Joint Forces Miller Armory
- FY 2013: Dubuque, Council Bluffs
- FY 2014: Mason City, Sioux City
- FY 2015: Clinton and land purchases adjacent to Camp Dodge
- FY 2016: Oskaloosa, Clinton, and Council Bluffs
- FY 2017: Fairfield and Boone

State Funding

Since FY 2011, appropriations have been made in the annual infrastructure budget. Between FY 2013 and FY 2017, \$9.6 million has been appropriated. Generally, the State appropriations act as a match to draw down federal funding.

Related Statutes and Administrative Rules

Iowa Code chapter [29A](#)

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More Information

U.S. Statutes at Large: H.R. 3222, Department of Defense Appropriation Act, Pub. L. No. 110-116, 121 Stat. 1295 (2007): www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-bill/3222

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