
BUDGET UNIT BRIEF – FY 2023

Fiscal Services Division

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Polk County Justice Center — RIIF

Purpose

This funding will provide for the furnishing of the Polk County Justice Center. Examples of items that may be purchased with this funding include computer equipment and other technology and office furniture. Iowa Code section [602.1303](#) requires counties to provide courtrooms, offices, and other physical facilities that are suitable for the district court. The Polk County Justice Center is a facility operated by Polk County but occupied by the Iowa Judicial Branch. The Judicial Branch is responsible for furnishing the space it will occupy. The State is responsible for miscellaneous costs of the Judicial Branch related to furnishing, supplies, and equipment under Iowa Code section [602.11101](#)(e)(2).

Funding

In FY 2019, \$1.5 million was appropriated from the Rebuild Iowa Infrastructure Fund to furnish the Justice Center. This is the second appropriation to the Judicial Branch to furnish the Justice Center. In FY 2017, \$6.7 million was appropriated from the State Bond Repayment Fund. Total funding appropriated to furnish the Justice Center is \$8.2 million. The Judicial Branch expects that further appropriations will not be needed.

Related Statutes and Administrative Rules

Iowa Code sections [602.1302](#) and [602.11101](#)

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