Budget Unit Brief



HVAC Improvements - Primary Road Fund

Purpose and History

Beginning in FY 2006, the General Assembly has made appropriations to improve existing heating, ventilating, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems in the Iowa Department of Transportation (DOT) buildings. The DOT manages 218 field facilities statewide, including 109 maintenance garages. This appropriation replaces exhaust and radiant heating systems that are outdated. In FY 2015, the DOT plans to use this appropriation to improve the Carroll exhaust system, and radiant heat systems at the Ames headquarters, DeWitt, Missouri Valley, Coralville, Mt. Pleasant, West Burlington, Ottumwa, and Perry. Since FY 2006, 45 facilities have received HVAC upgrades due to this appropriation.

Funding History

Funding for this appropriation has ranged from a low of \$100,000 to a high of \$700,000 in FY 2015. These resources are appropriated from the Primary Road Fund in the annual Transportation Appropriations Act.

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More Information

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