

**Senate File 2484 - Introduced**

SENATE FILE 2484  
BY COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 3187)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to and making appropriations from the rebuild  
2 Iowa infrastructure fund and technology reinvestment fund, and  
3 including effective date provisions.  
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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DIVISION I

REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND

Section 1. REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND —

APPROPRIATIONS. There is appropriated from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund created in section 8.57 to the following departments and agencies for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

1. DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

For maintenance projects at the Terrace Hill facility:

..... \$ 1,000,000

2. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP

a. (1) For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in section 466B.45 for purposes of supporting the water quality initiative administered by the division of soil conservation and water quality as provided in section 466B.42, including salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":

..... \$ 8,200,000

(2) (a) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used to support demonstration projects in subwatersheds as designated by the department that are part of high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council.

(b) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used to support demonstration projects in watersheds generally, including regional watersheds, as designated by the division, and high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council.

(3) In supporting projects in watersheds and subwatersheds as provided in subparagraph (2), all of the following apply:

(a) The demonstration projects must utilize water quality

1 practices as described in the latest revision of the document  
2 entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented  
3 in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land  
4 stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa state  
5 university of science and technology.

6 (b) The division shall implement demonstration projects as  
7 provided in subparagraph division (a) by providing for  
8 participation by persons who hold a legal interest in  
9 agricultural land used in farming. To every extent practicable,  
10 the division shall provide for collaborative participation by  
11 such persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land  
12 located within the same subwatershed.

13 (c) The division shall implement demonstration projects on a  
14 cost-share basis as determined by the division. Except for  
15 edge-of-field practices, the state's share of the amount shall  
16 not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of establishing the  
17 practice as determined by the division or 50 percent of the  
18 actual cost of establishing the practice, whichever is less.

19 (d) The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other  
20 persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar  
21 water quality practices. The division shall promote field day  
22 events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish  
23 water quality practices on such persons' agricultural land.

24 (e) The division shall conduct water quality evaluations  
25 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period after  
26 accumulating information from such evaluations, the division  
27 shall create an aggregated database of water quality practices.  
28 Any information identifying a person holding a legal interest in  
29 agricultural land or specific agricultural land shall be a  
30 confidential record.

31 (4) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall  
32 be used to support education and outreach in a manner that  
33 encourages persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land  
34 used for farming to implement water quality practices, including  
35 the establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and

1 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

2 (5) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph may be  
3 used to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of  
4 efforts provided in this lettered paragraph.

5 (6) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph may be  
6 used by the department to support urban soil and water  
7 conservation efforts, which may include but are not limited to  
8 management practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the  
9 use of permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality  
10 restoration. The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis  
11 as provided in chapter 161A.

12 (7) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the  
13 contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in this  
14 lettered paragraph to carry out the provisions of this lettered  
15 paragraph on a cost-share basis in combination with other moneys  
16 available to the department from a state or federal source.

17 (8) Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in  
18 this lettered paragraph may be used for costs of administration  
19 and implementation of the water quality initiative administered  
20 by the division.

21 b. (1) For updating the maximum return to nitrogen modeling  
22 system for fertilizer management, notwithstanding section 8.57,  
23 subsection 3, paragraph "c":

24  
25 ..... \$ 1,000,000

26 (2) Any information received, collected, or held for purposes  
27 of this lettered paragraph is a confidential record exempt from  
28 public release if the information identifies a person who holds a  
29 legal interest in agricultural land or who has previously held a  
30 legal interest in agricultural land, a person who is involved or  
31 who was previously involved in managing the agricultural land or  
32 producing crops or livestock on the agricultural land, or the  
33 identifiable location of the agricultural land.

34 3. DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLIND

35 For building repairs for the building located at 524 Fourth

1 Street, Des Moines, Iowa:

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3 ..... \$ 250,000

4 4. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

5 For installing air conditioning at the Anamosa state  
6 penitentiary and the Mount Pleasant correctional facility:

7 ..... \$ 8,137,500

8 5. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

9 a. For deposit in the community attraction and tourism fund  
10 created in section 15F.204, notwithstanding section 8.57,  
11 subsection 3, paragraph "c":

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13 ..... \$ 10,000,000

14 b. For deposit in the destination Iowa fund created in  
15 section 15.281, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3,  
16 paragraph "c":

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18 ..... \$ 10,000,000

19 c. For a grant to an organization with a sports entertainment  
20 venue in a city with a population between 15,550 and 15,800  
21 according to the 2020 federal decennial census, to be used for  
22 facility enhancement:

23

24 ..... \$ 7,000,000

25 d. For grants to nonprofit organizations committed to  
26 strengthening communities through youth development, healthy  
27 living, and social responsibility for costs associated with the  
28 renovation and maintenance of facility infrastructure at  
29 facilities located in cities with a population of less than  
30 28,000 according to the 2020 federal decennial census:

31

32 ..... \$ 250,000

33 e. For deposit in the strategic infrastructure program fund  
34 described in section 15.313, notwithstanding section 8.57,  
35 subsection 3, paragraph "c":

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2 ..... \$ 10,000,000

3 f. For deposit in the local government shared-services grant

4 fund established in section 28E.20, if enacted by 2026 Iowa Acts,

5 Senate Study Bill 3034, section 95, 2026 Iowa Acts, House Study

6 Bill 563, section 95, or successor legislation, notwithstanding

7 section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":

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9 ..... \$ 10,000,000

10 g. For a grant to a nonprofit organization located in a city

11 with a population between 2,000 and 3,000 according to the 2020

12 federal decennial census, for the creation of an interactive

13 museum exhibit at a presidential library, notwithstanding section

14 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":

15

16 ..... \$ 3,000,000

17 6. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

18 For repairing the roof of the Giangreco building:

19

20 ..... \$ 11,527,569

21 7. IOWA LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY

22 For the construction of a firearms range at Camp Dodge:

23

24 ..... \$ 3,700,000

25 8. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

26 a. For implementation of lake projects that have established

27 watershed improvement initiatives and community support in

28 accordance with the department's annual lake restoration plan and

29 report, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph

30 "c":

31

32 ..... \$ 9,600,000

33 b. For state park infrastructure improvements:

34

35 ..... \$ 5,000,000

1 c. For water trails and low head dam safety grants, including  
2 grants for projects relating to eligible water bodies, as defined  
3 in section 456A.33C, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3,  
4 paragraph "c":

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6 ..... \$ 1,500,000

7 d. For providing funding assistance to eligible communities,  
8 as described in section 455E.11, subsection 2, paragraph "a",  
9 subparagraph (1), subparagraph division (d), to address abandoned  
10 buildings by promoting waste abatement, diversion, selective  
11 dismantlement of building components, and recycling,  
12 notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":

13 ..... \$ 1,000,000

14 9. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC DEFENSE

15 a. For major maintenance projects at national guard armories  
16 and facilities:

17

18 ..... \$ 2,100,000

19 b. For improvement projects for Iowa national guard  
20 installations and readiness centers to support operations and  
21 training requirements:

22

23 ..... \$ 2,100,000

24 c. For construction improvement projects at the Camp Dodge  
25 facility:

26

27 ..... \$ 550,000

28 d. The department of public defense shall report to the  
29 general assembly by December 15, 2026, regarding the projects the  
30 department has funded or intends to fund from moneys appropriated  
31 to the department pursuant to this subsection.

32 10. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

33 For payments and other costs due under a financing agreement  
34 entered into by the treasurer of state for building the statewide  
35 interoperable communications system pursuant to section 29C.23,

1 subsection 2, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3,  
2 paragraph "c":

3

4 ..... \$ 2,846,011

5 11. BOARD OF REGENTS

6 a. For allocation by the state board of regents to the state  
7 university of Iowa, Iowa state university of science and  
8 technology, and the university of northern Iowa to reimburse the  
9 institutions for deficiencies in the operating funds resulting  
10 from the pledging of tuition, student fees and charges, and  
11 institutional income to finance the cost of providing academic  
12 and administrative buildings and facilities and utility services  
13 at the institutions:

14

15 ..... \$ 25,000,000

16 b. For the renovation and construction of the public policy  
17 center at the commons at the university of northern Iowa:

18

19 ..... \$ 6,000,000

20 c. For the renovation and construction of the nursing  
21 simulation laboratory at the state university of Iowa:

22

23 ..... \$ 7,000,000

24 12. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

25 a. For acquiring, constructing, and improving recreational  
26 trails within the state:

27

28 ..... \$ 2,500,000

29 b. For deposit in the public transit infrastructure grant  
30 fund created in section 324A.6A, for projects that meet the  
31 definition of vertical infrastructure in section 8.57, subsection  
32 3, paragraph "c":

33

34 ..... \$ 1,200,000

35 c. For deposit in the railroad revolving loan and grant fund

1 created in section 327H.20A, notwithstanding section 8.57,  
2 subsection 3, paragraph "c":

3

4 ..... \$ 2,000,000

5 d. For vertical infrastructure improvements at commercial  
6 service airports within the state:

7

8 ..... \$ 1,900,000

9 e. For vertical infrastructure improvements at general  
10 aviation airports within the state:

11

12 ..... \$ 1,000,000

13 13. TREASURER OF STATE

14 For distribution in accordance with chapter 174 to qualified  
15 fairs that belong to the association of Iowa fairs for county  
16 fair vertical infrastructure improvements:

17

18 ..... \$ 1,060,000

19 Sec. 2. REVERSION. For purposes of section 8.33, unless  
20 specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated  
21 moneys from an appropriation made in this division of this Act  
22 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for  
23 the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that  
24 ends two years after the end of the fiscal year for which the  
25 appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for  
26 which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier  
27 fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at  
28 the close of that same fiscal year.

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DIVISION II

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TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND

31 Sec. 3. TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND — APPROPRIATIONS.

32 There is appropriated from the technology reinvestment fund  
33 created in section 8.57C to the following departments and  
34 agencies for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending  
35 June 30, 2027, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is

1 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

2 1. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

3 For technology projects and upgrades:

4

5 ..... \$ 697,425

6 2. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

7 a. (1) For the continued development and implementation of  
8 an educational data warehouse that will be utilized by teachers,  
9 parents, school district administrators, area education agency  
10 staff, department of education staff, and policymakers:

11

12 ..... \$ 600,000

13 (2) Of the moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph,  
14 the department may use a portion for an e-transcript data system  
15 capable of tracking students throughout the students' education  
16 via interconnectivity with multiple schools.

17 b. For maintenance and lease costs associated with  
18 connections for part III of the Iowa communications network:

19

20 ..... \$ 2,727,000

21 3. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

22 a. For costs associated with the design, development, and  
23 implementation of a new eligibility determination system:

24

25 ..... \$ 19,897,695

26 b. For costs associated with integrating data sources into a  
27 new eligibility determination system:

28

29 ..... \$ 1,633,361

30 c. For costs associated with implementing Medicaid work  
31 requirements, new eligibility redetermination requirements, and  
32 required information technology changes pursuant to federal Pub.  
33 L. No. 119-21, commonly referred to as the One Big Beautiful Bill  
34 Act:

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1 ..... \$ 3,473,690  
2 d. For technology costs associated with the state poison  
3 control center:  
4  
5 ..... \$ 42,080  
6 4. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT  
7 For the continuing implementation of a statewide mass  
8 notification and emergency messaging system:  
9  
10 ..... \$ 400,000  
11 5. DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT  
12 a. For the continued development and implementation of a  
13 searchable database that can be placed on the internet for budget  
14 and financial information:  
15  
16 ..... \$ 45,000  
17 b. For the continued development and implementation of the  
18 comprehensive electronic grant management system:  
19  
20 ..... \$ 70,000  
21 c. For the upgrade of the local government budget and  
22 property tax system:  
23  
24 ..... \$ 120,000  
25 d. For the annual licensing of a searchable database that is  
26 placed on the internet for budget and financial information:  
27  
28 ..... \$ 358,429  
29 e. For the security office of the chief information officer,  
30 including for statewide endpoint detection and response,  
31 cybersecurity incident investigation response, and miscellaneous  
32 purposes:  
33  
34 ..... \$ 2,947,658  
35 f. For the cost of equipment and computer software for the

1 continued development and implementation of Iowa's criminal  
2 justice information system:

3

4 ..... \$ 1,400,000

5 g. For costs associated with the justice enterprise data  
6 warehouse:

7

8 ..... \$ 282,664

9 h. For costs associated with the enterprise artificial  
10 intelligence capacity expansion:

11 ..... \$ 2,510,000

12 i. For costs associated with the modernization of the mobile  
13 architecture and communications handling program and the traffic  
14 and criminal software program:

15

16 ..... \$ 2,000,000

17 6. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

18 For costs associated with a new digital evidence management  
19 system:

20 ..... \$ 300,000

21 7. TREASURER OF STATE

22 a. For the purchase of software relating to investment  
23 tracking:

24

25 ..... \$ 192,000

26 b. For the purchase of software relating to banking  
27 reconciliations:

28

29 ..... \$ 228,000

30 Sec. 4. REVERSION. For purposes of section 8.33, unless  
31 specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated  
32 moneys from an appropriation made in this division of this Act  
33 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for  
34 the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that  
35 ends two years after the end of the fiscal year for which the

1 appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for  
2 which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier  
3 fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at  
4 the close of that same fiscal year.

5 Sec. 5. Section 8.57C, subsection 3, Code 2026, is amended to  
6 read as follows:

7 3. a. There is appropriated from the general fund of the  
8 state to the technology reinvestment fund for the fiscal year  
9 beginning July 1, ~~2026~~ 2027, and for each fiscal year thereafter,  
10 the sum of seventeen million five hundred thousand dollars.

11 b. There is appropriated from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure  
12 fund for the fiscal year beginning July 1, ~~2025~~ 2026, and ending  
13 June 30, ~~2026~~ 2027, the sum of ~~eighteen million two hundred~~  
14 ~~sixty-nine thousand two hundred seventeen~~ thirty-nine million  
15 nine hundred twenty-five thousand two dollars to the technology  
16 reinvestment fund, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3,  
17 paragraph "c".

18 DIVISION III

19 CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS

20 Sec. 6. 2023 Iowa Acts, chapter 118, section 2, is amended to  
21 read as follows:

22 SEC. 2. REVERSION.

23 1. For purposes of section 8.33, unless specifically provided  
24 in subsection 2 or otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated moneys  
25 from an appropriation made in this division of this Act shall  
26 not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for the  
27 purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that  
28 ends two years after the end of the fiscal year for which the  
29 appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for  
30 which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier  
31 fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at  
32 the close of that same fiscal year.

33 2. For purposes of section 8.33, unencumbered or unobligated  
34 moneys from an appropriation made in section 1, subsection 12,  
35 paragraph "f", of this 2023 Iowa Act shall not revert but shall

1 remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated  
2 until December 31, 2026.

3 Sec. 7. 2024 Iowa Acts, chapter 1155, section 2, is amended  
4 to read as follows:

5 SEC. 2. REVERSION.

6 1. For purposes of section 8.33, unless specifically provided  
7 in subsection 2 or otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated moneys  
8 from an appropriation made in this division of this Act shall  
9 not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for the  
10 purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that  
11 ends two years after the end of the fiscal year for which the  
12 appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for  
13 which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier  
14 fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at  
15 the close of that same fiscal year.

16 2. For purposes of section 8.33, unencumbered or unobligated  
17 moneys from an appropriation made in section 1, subsection 5,  
18 paragraph "e", of this 2024 Iowa Act shall not revert but shall  
19 remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated  
20 until the close of the fiscal year that ends three years after  
21 the end of the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made,  
22 or until the project for which the appropriation was made is  
23 completed, whichever is earlier.

24 Sec. 8. EFFECTIVE DATE. This division of this Act, being  
25 deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

26 EXPLANATION

27 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with  
28 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

29 This bill relates to and makes appropriations from the rebuild  
30 Iowa infrastructure fund (RIIF) and the technology reinvestment  
31 fund (TRF).

32 REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND. The bill appropriates  
33 project funding for FY 2026-2027 from RIIF for projects for  
34 the departments of administrative services, agriculture and  
35 land stewardship, the blind, corrections, education, natural

1 resources, public defense, public safety, and transportation,  
2 and for the economic development authority, Iowa law enforcement  
3 academy, board of regents, and treasurer of state.

4 TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND. The bill appropriates project  
5 funding for FY 2026-2027 from TRF for projects for the  
6 departments of corrections, education, health and human services,  
7 homeland security and emergency management, management, and  
8 public safety, and for the treasurer of state. Code section  
9 8.57C (TRF) is amended to provide that the standing appropriation  
10 to TRF from the general fund for fiscal years beginning on or  
11 after July 1, 2026, is changed to fiscal years beginning on or  
12 after July 1, 2027, and to provide for an appropriation to TRF  
13 from RIIF for FY 2026-2027.

14 CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS. The bill delays the reversion  
15 of an FY 2023-2024 appropriation from RIIF to the department  
16 of transportation for vertical infrastructure improvements at  
17 commercial service airports within the state and FY 2024-2025  
18 and FY 2025-2026 appropriations from RIIF to the department of  
19 health and human services for tunnel decentralization for the  
20 state resource center at Woodward. These provisions take effect  
21 upon enactment.