

Senate Study Bill 3187 - Introduced

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BY (PROPOSED GOVERNOR BUDGET
BILL)

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 practices as described in the latest revision of the document entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented

1 in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land
2 stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa state
3 university of science and technology.

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

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

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

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

29 (4) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall
30 be used to support education and outreach in a manner that
31 encourages persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land
32 used for farming to implement water quality practices, including
33 the establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and
34 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

35 (5) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph may be

1 used to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of
2 efforts provided in this lettered paragraph.

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

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

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

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

22 \$ 1,000,000

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

31 3. DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLIND

32 For building repairs for the building located at 524 Fourth
33 Street, Des Moines, Iowa:

34 \$ 250,000

35 4. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

1 For installing air conditioning at the Anamosa state
2 penitentiary and the Mount Pleasant correctional facility:
3 \$ 8,137,500
4 5. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
5 a. For deposit in the community attraction and tourism fund
6 created in section 15F.204, notwithstanding section 8.57,
7 subsection 3, paragraph "c":
8 \$ 10,000,000
9 b. For deposit in the destination Iowa fund created in
10 section 15.281, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3,
11 paragraph "c":
12 \$ 10,000,000
13 c. For a grant to an organization with a sports entertainment
14 venue in a city with a population between 15,550 and 15,800
15 according to the 2020 federal decennial census, to be used for
16 facility enhancement:
17 \$ 7,000,000
18 d. For grants to nonprofit organizations committed to
19 strengthening communities through youth development, healthy
20 living, and social responsibility for costs associated with the
21 renovation and maintenance of facility infrastructure at
22 facilities located in cities with a population of less than
23 28,000 according to the 2020 federal decennial census:
24 \$ 250,000
25 e. For deposit in the strategic infrastructure program fund
26 described in section 15.313, notwithstanding section 8.57,
27 subsection 3, paragraph "c":
28 \$ 10,000,000
29 f. For deposit in the local government shared-services grant
30 fund established in section 28E.20, if enacted by 2026 Iowa Acts,
31 Senate Study Bill 3034, section 95, 2026 Iowa Acts, House Study
32 Bill 563, section 95, or successor legislation, notwithstanding
33 section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":
34 \$ 10,000,000
35 g. For a grant to a nonprofit organization located in a city

1 with a population between 2,000 and 3,000 according to the 2020
2 federal decennial census, for the creation of an interactive
3 museum exhibit at a presidential library, notwithstanding section
4 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":

5 \$ 3,000,000

6 6. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

7 For repairing the roof of the Giangreco building:

8 \$ 11,527,569

9 7. IOWA LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY

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

11 \$ 3,700,000

12 8. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

13 a. For implementation of lake projects that have established
14 watershed improvement initiatives and community support in
15 accordance with the department's annual lake restoration plan and
16 report, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph
17 "c":

18 \$ 9,600,000

19 b. For state park infrastructure improvements:

20 \$ 5,000,000

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

25 \$ 1,500,000

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

32 \$ 1,000,000

33 9. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC DEFENSE

34 a. For major maintenance projects at national guard armories
35 and facilities:

1 \$ 2,100,000

2 b. For improvement projects for Iowa national guard
3 installations and readiness centers to support operations and
4 training requirements:

5 \$ 2,100,000

6 c. For construction improvement projects at the Camp Dodge
7 facility:

8 \$ 550,000

9 d. The department of public defense shall report to the
10 general assembly by December 15, 2026, regarding the projects the
11 department has funded or intends to fund from moneys appropriated
12 to the department pursuant to this subsection.

13 10. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

14 For payments and other costs due under a financing agreement
15 entered into by the treasurer of state for building the statewide
16 interoperable communications system pursuant to section 29C.23,
17 subsection 2, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3,
18 paragraph "c":

19 \$ 2,846,011

20 11. BOARD OF REGENTS

21 a. For allocation by the state board of regents to the state
22 university of Iowa, Iowa state university of science and
23 technology, and the university of northern Iowa to reimburse the
24 institutions for deficiencies in the operating funds resulting
25 from the pledging of tuition, student fees and charges, and
26 institutional income to finance the cost of providing academic
27 and administrative buildings and facilities and utility services
28 at the institutions:

29 \$ 25,000,000

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

32 \$ 6,000,000

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

35 \$ 7,000,000

1 12. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

2 a. For acquiring, constructing, and improving recreational
3 trails within the state:

4 \$ 2,500,000

5 b. For deposit in the public transit infrastructure grant
6 fund created in section 324A.6A, for projects that meet the
7 definition of vertical infrastructure in section 8.57, subsection
8 3, paragraph "c":

9 \$ 1,200,000

10 c. For deposit in the railroad revolving loan and grant fund
11 created in section 327H.20A, notwithstanding section 8.57,
12 subsection 3, paragraph "c":

13 \$ 2,000,000

14 d. For vertical infrastructure improvements at commercial
15 service airports within the state:

16 \$ 1,900,000

17 e. For vertical infrastructure improvements at general
18 aviation airports within the state:

19 \$ 1,000,000

20 13. TREASURER OF STATE

21 For distribution in accordance with chapter 174 to qualified
22 fairs that belong to the association of Iowa fairs for county
23 fair vertical infrastructure improvements:

24 \$ 1,060,000

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

35 DIVISION II

1 TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND

2 Sec. 3. TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND — APPROPRIATIONS.

3 There is appropriated from the technology reinvestment fund
4 created in section 8.57C to the following departments and
5 agencies for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending
6 June 30, 2027, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
7 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

8 1. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

9 For technology projects and upgrades:

10 \$ 697,425

11 2. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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

16 \$ 600,000

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

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

23 \$ 2,727,000

24 3. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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

27 \$ 19,897,695

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

30 \$ 1,633,361

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

1 \$ 3,473,690
2 d. For technology costs associated with the state poison
3 control center:
4 \$ 42,080
5 4. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
6 For the continuing implementation of a statewide mass
7 notification and emergency messaging system:
8 \$ 400,000
9 5. DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT
10 a. For the continued development and implementation of a
11 searchable database that can be placed on the internet for budget
12 and financial information:
13 \$ 45,000
14 b. For the continued development and implementation of the
15 comprehensive electronic grant management system:
16 \$ 70,000
17 c. For the upgrade of the local government budget and
18 property tax system:
19 \$ 120,000
20 d. For the annual licensing of a searchable database that is
21 placed on the internet for budget and financial information:
22 \$ 358,429
23 e. For the security office of the chief information officer,
24 including for statewide endpoint detection and response,
25 cybersecurity incident investigation response, and miscellaneous
26 purposes:
27 \$ 2,947,658
28 f. For the cost of equipment and computer software for the
29 continued development and implementation of Iowa's criminal
30 justice information system:
31 \$ 1,400,000
32 g. For costs associated with the justice enterprise data
33 warehouse:
34 \$ 282,664
35 h. For costs associated with the enterprise artificial

1 intelligence capacity expansion:

2 \$ 2,510,000

3 i. For costs associated with the modernization of the mobile
4 architecture and communications handling program and the traffic
5 and criminal software program:

6 \$ 2,000,000

7 6. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

8 For costs associated with a new digital evidence management
9 system:

10 \$ 300,000

11 7. TREASURER OF STATE

12 a. For the purchase of software relating to investment
13 tracking:

14 \$ 192,000

15 b. For the purchase of software relating to banking
16 reconciliations:

17 \$ 228,000

18 Sec. 4. REVERSION. For purposes of section 8.33, unless
19 specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated
20 moneys from an appropriation made in this division of this Act
21 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for
22 the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that
23 ends two years after the end of the fiscal year for which the
24 appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for
25 which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier
26 fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at
27 the close of that same fiscal year.

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

30 3. a. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
31 state to the technology reinvestment fund for the fiscal year
32 beginning July 1, 2026 2027, and for each fiscal year thereafter,
33 the sum of seventeen million five hundred thousand dollars.

34 b. There is appropriated from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure
35 fund for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025 2026, and ending

1 June 30, ~~2026~~ 2027, the sum of ~~eighteen million two hundred~~
2 ~~sixty-nine thousand two hundred seventeen~~ thirty-nine million
3 nine hundred twenty-five thousand two dollars to the technology
4 reinvestment fund, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3,
5 paragraph "c".

6 DIVISION III

7 CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS

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

10 SEC. 2. REVERSION.

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

21 2. For purposes of section 8.33, unencumbered or unobligated
22 moneys from an appropriation made in section 1, subsection 12,
23 paragraph "f", of this 2023 Iowa Act shall not revert but shall
24 remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated
25 until December 31, 2026.

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

28 SEC. 2. REVERSION.

29 1. For purposes of section 8.33, unless specifically provided
30 in subsection 2 or otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated moneys
31 from an appropriation made in this division of this Act shall
32 not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for the
33 purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that
34 ends two years after the end of the fiscal year for which the
35 appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for

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

4 2. For purposes of section 8.33, unencumbered or unobligated
5 moneys from an appropriation made in section 1, subsection 5,
6 paragraph "e", of this 2024 Iowa Act shall not revert but shall
7 remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated
8 until the close of the fiscal year that ends three years after
9 the end of the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made,
10 or until the project for which the appropriation was made is
11 completed, whichever is earlier.

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

14 EXPLANATION

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

17 This bill relates to and makes appropriations from the rebuild
18 Iowa infrastructure fund (RIIF) and the technology reinvestment
19 fund (TRF).

20 REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND. The bill appropriates
21 project funding for FY 2026-2027 from RIIF for projects for
22 the departments of administrative services, agriculture and
23 land stewardship, the blind, corrections, education, natural
24 resources, public defense, public safety, and transportation,
25 and for the economic development authority, Iowa law enforcement
26 academy, board of regents, and treasurer of state.

27 TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND. The bill appropriates project
28 funding for FY 2026-2027 from TRF for projects for the
29 departments of corrections, education, health and human services,
30 homeland security and emergency management, management, and
31 public safety, and for the treasurer of state. Code section
32 8.57C (TRF) is amended to provide that the standing appropriation
33 to TRF from the general fund for fiscal years beginning on or
34 after July 1, 2026, is changed to fiscal years beginning on or
35 after July 1, 2027, and to provide for an appropriation to TRF

1 from RIIF for FY 2026-2027.

2 CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS. The bill delays the reversion
3 of an FY 2023-2024 appropriation from RIIF to the department
4 of transportation for vertical infrastructure improvements at
5 commercial service airports within the state and FY 2024-2025
6 and FY 2025-2026 appropriations from RIIF to the department of
7 health and human services for tunnel decentralization for the
8 state resource center at Woodward. These provisions take effect
9 upon enactment.

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