

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,
3 and 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

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

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

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

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

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

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

1 watersheds generally, and not limited to subwatersheds or
2 high-priority watersheds.

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

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

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

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

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

26 \$ 1,000,000

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

1 3. DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLIND
2 For building repairs for the building located at 524 Fourth
3 Street, Des Moines, Iowa:
4 \$ 250,000
5 4. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
6 For installing air conditioning at the Anamosa state
7 penitentiary and the Mount Pleasant correctional facility:
8 \$ 8,137,500
9 5. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
10 a. For deposit in the community attraction and tourism
11 fund created in section 15F.204, notwithstanding section 8.57,
12 subsection 3, paragraph "c":
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":
17 \$ 10,000,000
18 c. For a grant to an organization with a sports
19 entertainment venue in a city with a population between 15,550
20 and 15,800 according to the 2020 federal decennial census, to
21 be used for facility enhancement:
22 \$ 7,000,000
23 d. For grants to nonprofit organizations committed to
24 strengthening communities through youth development, healthy
25 living, and social responsibility for costs associated with
26 the renovation and maintenance of facility infrastructure at
27 facilities located in cities with a population of less than
28 28,000 according to the 2020 federal decennial census:
29 \$ 250,000
30 e. For deposit in the strategic infrastructure program fund
31 described in section 15.313, notwithstanding section 8.57,
32 subsection 3, paragraph "c":
33 \$ 10,000,000
34 f. For deposit in the local government shared-services
35 grant fund established in section 28E.20, if enacted by 2026

1 Iowa Acts, Senate Study Bill 3034, section 95, 2026 Iowa Acts,
2 House Study Bill 563, section 95, or successor legislation,
3 notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":
4 \$ 10,000,000

5 g. For a grant to a nonprofit organization located in a city
6 with a population between 2,000 and 3,000 according to the 2020
7 federal decennial census, for the creation of an interactive
8 museum exhibit at a presidential library, notwithstanding
9 section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":
10 \$ 3,000,000

11 6. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
12 For repairing the roof of the Giangreco building:
13 \$ 11,527,569

14 7. IOWA LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY
15 For the construction of a firearms range at Camp Dodge:
16 \$ 3,700,000

17 8. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
18 a. For implementation of lake projects that have
19 established watershed improvement initiatives and community
20 support in accordance with the department's annual lake
21 restoration plan and report, notwithstanding section 8.57,
22 subsection 3, paragraph "c":
23 \$ 9,600,000

24 b. For state park infrastructure improvements:
25 \$ 5,000,000

26 c. For water trails and low head dam safety grants,
27 including grants for projects relating to eligible water
28 bodies, as defined in section 456A.33C, notwithstanding section
29 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c":
30 \$ 1,500,000

31 d. For providing funding assistance to eligible
32 communities, as described in section 455E.11, subsection 2,
33 paragraph "a", subparagraph (1), subparagraph division (d),
34 to address abandoned buildings by promoting waste abatement,
35 diversion, selective dismantlement of building components,

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

3 \$ 1,000,000

4 9. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC DEFENSE

5 a. For major maintenance projects at national guard
6 armories and facilities:

7 \$ 2,100,000

8 b. For improvement projects for Iowa national guard
9 installations and readiness centers to support operations and
10 training requirements:

11 \$ 2,100,000

12 c. For construction improvement projects at the Camp Dodge
13 facility:

14 \$ 550,000

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

19 10. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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

25 \$ 2,846,011

26 11. BOARD OF REGENTS

27 a. For allocation by the state board of regents to the
28 state university of Iowa, Iowa state university of science
29 and technology, and the university of northern Iowa to
30 reimburse the institutions for deficiencies in the operating
31 funds resulting from the pledging of tuition, student fees
32 and charges, and institutional income to finance the cost of
33 providing academic and administrative buildings and facilities
34 and utility services at the institutions:

35 \$ 25,000,000

1 b. For the renovation and construction of the public policy
2 center at the commons at the university of northern Iowa:
3 \$ 6,000,000

4 c. For the renovation and construction of the nursing
5 simulation laboratory at the state university of Iowa:
6 \$ 7,000,000

7 12. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

8 a. For acquiring, constructing, and improving recreational
9 trails within the state:
10 \$ 2,500,000

11 b. For deposit in the public transit infrastructure grant
12 fund created in section 324A.6A, for projects that meet
13 the definition of vertical infrastructure in section 8.57,
14 subsection 3, paragraph "c":
15 \$ 1,200,000

16 c. For deposit in the railroad revolving loan and grant
17 fund created in section 327H.20A, notwithstanding section 8.57,
18 subsection 3, paragraph "c":
19 \$ 2,000,000

20 d. For vertical infrastructure improvements at commercial
21 service airports within the state:
22 \$ 1,900,000

23 e. For vertical infrastructure improvements at general
24 aviation airports within the state:
25 \$ 1,000,000

26 13. TREASURER OF STATE

27 For distribution in accordance with chapter 174 to qualified
28 fairs that belong to the association of Iowa fairs for county
29 fair vertical infrastructure improvements:
30 \$ 1,060,000

31 Sec. 2. REVERSION. For purposes of section 8.33, unless
32 specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated
33 moneys from an appropriation made in this division of this Act
34 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for
35 the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that

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

6 DIVISION II

7 TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND

8 Sec. 3. TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND —

9 APPROPRIATIONS. There is appropriated from the technology
10 reinvestment fund created in section 8.57C to the following
11 departments and agencies for the fiscal year beginning July
12 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027, the following amounts, or
13 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
14 designated:

15 1. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

16 For technology projects and upgrades:

17 \$ 697,425

18 2. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

19 a. (1) For the continued development and implementation
20 of an educational data warehouse that will be utilized by
21 teachers, parents, school district administrators, area
22 education agency staff, department of education staff, and
23 policymakers:

24 \$ 600,000

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

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

31 \$ 2,727,000

32 3. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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

35 \$ 19,897,695

1 b. For costs associated with integrating data sources into a
2 new eligibility determination system:
3 \$ 1,633,361
4 c. For costs associated with implementing Medicaid work
5 requirements, new eligibility redetermination requirements,
6 and required information technology changes pursuant to
7 federal Pub. L. No. 119-21, commonly referred to as the One Big
8 Beautiful Bill Act:
9 \$ 3,473,690
10 d. For technology costs associated with the state poison
11 control center:
12 \$ 42,080
13 4. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
14 For the continuing implementation of a statewide mass
15 notification and emergency messaging system:
16 \$ 400,000
17 5. DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT
18 a. For the continued development and implementation of
19 a searchable database that can be placed on the internet for
20 budget and financial information:
21 \$ 45,000
22 b. For the continued development and implementation of the
23 comprehensive electronic grant management system:
24 \$ 70,000
25 c. For the upgrade of the local government budget and
26 property tax system:
27 \$ 120,000
28 d. For the annual licensing of a searchable database that is
29 placed on the internet for budget and financial information:
30 \$ 358,429
31 e. For the security office of the chief information
32 officer, including for statewide endpoint detection and
33 response, cybersecurity incident investigation response, and
34 miscellaneous purposes:
35 \$ 2,947,658

1 f. For the cost of equipment and computer software for the
2 continued development and implementation of Iowa's criminal
3 justice information system:
4 \$ 1,400,000

5 g. For costs associated with the justice enterprise data
6 warehouse:
7 \$ 282,664

8 h. For costs associated with the enterprise artificial
9 intelligence capacity expansion:
10 \$ 2,510,000

11 i. For costs associated with the modernization of the
12 mobile architecture and communications handling program and the
13 traffic and criminal software program:
14 \$ 2,000,000

15 6. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

16 For costs associated with a new digital evidence management
17 system:
18 \$ 300,000

19 7. TREASURER OF STATE

20 a. For the purchase of software relating to investment
21 tracking:
22 \$ 192,000

23 b. For the purchase of software relating to banking
24 reconciliations:
25 \$ 228,000

26 Sec. 4. REVERSION. For purposes of section 8.33, unless
27 specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated
28 moneys from an appropriation made in this division of this Act
29 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for
30 the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that
31 ends two years after the end of the fiscal year for which the
32 appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for
33 which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier
34 fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at
35 the close of that same fiscal year.

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

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

8 *b.* There is appropriated from the rebuild Iowa
9 infrastructure fund for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
10 ~~2025~~ 2026, and ending June 30, ~~2026~~ 2027, the sum of ~~eighteen~~
11 ~~million two hundred sixty-nine thousand two hundred seventeen~~
12 thirty-nine million nine hundred twenty-five thousand two
13 dollars to the technology reinvestment fund, notwithstanding
14 section 8.57, subsection 3, paragraph "c".

15 DIVISION III

16 CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS

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

19 SEC. 2. REVERSION.

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

31 2. For purposes of [section 8.33](#), unencumbered or
32 unobligated moneys from an appropriation made in section 1,
33 subsection 12, paragraph "f", of this 2023 Iowa Act shall not
34 revert but shall remain available for expenditure for the
35 purposes designated until December 31, 2026.

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

3 SEC. 2. REVERSION.

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

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

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

25 EXPLANATION

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

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

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

1 and for the economic development authority, Iowa law
2 enforcement academy, board of regents, and treasurer of state.
3 TECHNOLOGY REINVESTMENT FUND. The bill appropriates
4 project funding for FY 2026-2027 from TRF for projects
5 for the departments of corrections, education, health and
6 human services, homeland security and emergency management,
7 management, and public safety, and for the treasurer of
8 state. Code section 8.57C (TRF) is amended to provide that the
9 standing appropriation to TRF from the general fund for fiscal
10 years beginning on or after July 1, 2026, is changed to fiscal
11 years beginning on or after July 1, 2027, and to provide for an
12 appropriation to TRF from RIIF for FY 2026-2027.
13 CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS. The bill delays the
14 reversion of an FY 2023-2024 appropriation from RIIF to the
15 department of transportation for vertical infrastructure
16 improvements at commercial service airports within the state
17 and FY 2024-2025 and FY 2025-2026 appropriations from RIIF
18 to the department of health and human services for tunnel
19 decentralization for the state resource center at Woodward.
20 These provisions take effect upon enactment.