Renewable Fuels-Related CARES Act Funding — 2020

Renewable Fuels Retail Recovery Program

The Program offers relief funds to help gas stations, truck stops, co-ops, and other renewable fuels retailers recover from the business disruptions and lost demand caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.
- The Program has a funding cap of $30,000 per project for an ethanol or biodiesel-related application, with a maximum of $60,000 per site.
- Applicants must affirm a 60-month commitment to dispense the higher blends detailed in their application within 24 months of project completion and no later than January 1, 2023.

Grant Recipients by City

Note: Program funds are not to be used for an identical portion of a project or specific equipment that is also funded under the Iowa Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program (RFIP).

Iowa Biofuels Relief Program

The Iowa Biofuels Relief Program provides short-term cash flow assistance to Iowa-based biodiesel and ethanol companies impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Program eligibility criteria included:
- Must have plants located in Iowa.
- Must have produced at least 100,000 gallons of biofuel between January 1 and March 31, 2020.
- Must have experienced revenue losses due to price damage on produced gallons of biofuel, the idling of plants, or other curtailment of production on or after March 17, 2020, as a result of the pandemic.

Grant Recipients by Company

Note: Several grant recipients have multiple plant locations. The location displayed is the plant with the largest capacity and/or has the largest population.

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