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APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE
ON TRANSPORTATION,
INFRASTRUCTURE, AND
CAPITALS BILL)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to and making appropriations to state
2 departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa
3 infrastructure fund and the revenue bonds capitals II fund,
4 providing for related matters, and including effective date
5 provisions.
6 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 to the following departments and agencies for the following fiscal years, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

1. DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

For major maintenance projects:

FY 2015-2016:

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

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 soil conservation division as provided in section 466B.42, including salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":

FY 2015-2016:

..... \$ 4,850,000

FY 2016-2017:

..... \$ 3,100,000

(2) (a) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the department that are part of high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

(b) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used to support projects in watersheds generally, including regional watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

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

1 apply:

2 (a) The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality
3 practices as described in the latest revision of the document
4 entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented
5 in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land
6 stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa
7 state university of science and technology.

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

15 (c) The division shall implement a demonstration project on
16 a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However, the
17 state's share of the amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the
18 estimated cost of establishing the practice as determined by
19 the division or 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing
20 the practice, whichever is less.

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

26 (e) The division shall conduct water quality evaluations
27 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period
28 after accumulating information from such evaluations, the
29 division shall create an aggregated database of water quality
30 practices. Any information identifying a person holding a
31 legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural
32 land shall be a confidential record under section 22.7.

33 (4) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph
34 shall be used to support education and outreach in a manner
35 that encourages persons who hold a legal interest in

1 agricultural land used for farming to implement water quality
2 practices, including the establishment of such practices in
3 watersheds generally, and not limited to subwatersheds or
4 high-priority watersheds.

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

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

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

21 (8) Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated
22 each fiscal year in this lettered paragraph may be used for
23 costs of administration and implementation of the water quality
24 initiative administered by the soil conservation division.

25 b. For deposit in the agricultural drainage well water
26 quality assistance fund created in section 460.303 for
27 purposes of supporting the agricultural drainage well water
28 quality assistance program as provided in section 460.304,
29 notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c".

30 FY 2015-2016:

31 \$ 1,920,000

32 FY 2016-2017:

33 \$ 1,920,000

34 The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be
35 used to support projects in watersheds generally, including

1 regional watersheds, as designated by the department and in
2 high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources
3 coordinating council established pursuant to section
4 466B.3. In addition, not more than 10 percent of the moneys
5 appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used for
6 costs of administration and implementation of soil and water
7 conservation practices.

8 3. DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS

9 a. For deposit in the Iowa great places program fund created
10 in section 303.3D for Iowa great places program projects that
11 meet the definition of "vertical infrastructure" in section
12 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":

13 FY 2015-2016:
14 \$ 1,000,000

15 FY 2016-2017:
16 \$ 1,000,000

17 b. For grants to nonprofit organizations committed to
18 strengthening communities through youth development, healthy
19 living, and social responsibility in cities with a population
20 of less than 28,000 as determined by the 2010 federal
21 decennial census, for costs associated with the renovation and
22 maintenance of facility infrastructure:

23 FY 2015-2016:
24 \$ 500,000

25 4. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

26 a. For deposit in the community attraction and tourism fund
27 created in section 15F.204:

28 FY 2015-2016:
29 \$ 5,000,000

30 FY 2016-2017:
31 \$ 5,000,000

32 b. For equal distribution to regional sports authority
33 districts certified by the department pursuant to section
34 15E.321, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph
35 "c":

1 FY 2015-2016:
2 \$ 500,000
3 FY 2016-2017:
4 \$ 500,000
5 c. For administration and support of the world food prize
6 including the Borlaug/Ruan scholar program, notwithstanding
7 section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":
8 FY 2015-2016:
9 \$ 200,000
10 FY 2016-2017:
11 \$ 200,000
12 5. DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
13 a. For the renovation and construction of certain nursing
14 facilities, consistent with the provisions of chapter 249K:
15 FY 2015-2016:
16 \$ 500,000
17 FY 2016-2017:
18 \$ 500,000
19 b. For a grant to a nonprofit organization specializing in
20 brain injury rehabilitation by providing post-acute inpatient
21 and outpatient rehabilitation, as well as long-term skilled,
22 supported, and independent living services for people who have
23 sustained a traumatic brain injury due to a stroke, tumor,
24 aneurysm, or other brain injury, in a city with a population
25 between 45,000 and 46,000 as determined by the 2010 federal
26 decennial census, for costs associated with the construction of
27 an outpatient therapy center:
28 FY 2015-2016:
29 \$ 500,000
30 FY 2016-2017:
31 \$ 500,000
32 6. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
33 a. For implementation of lake projects that have
34 established watershed improvement initiatives and community
35 support in accordance with the department's annual lake

1 restoration plan and report, notwithstanding section 8.57,
2 subsection 5, paragraph "c":
3 FY 2015-2016:
4 \$ 9,600,000
5 FY 2016-2017:
6 \$ 9,600,000
7 b. For the administration of a water trails and low head
8 dam public hazard statewide plan, including salaries, support,
9 maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, notwithstanding
10 section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":
11 FY 2015-2016:
12 \$ 2,000,000
13 c. For state park infrastructure improvements:
14 FY 2015-2016:
15 \$ 5,000,000
16 FY 2016-2017:
17 \$ 2,000,000
18 d. For funding projects of the Iowa parks foundation
19 that support the centennial celebration of state parks,
20 notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":
21 FY 2015-2016:
22 \$ 2,000,000
23 7. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC DEFENSE
24 a. For major maintenance projects at national guard
25 armories and facilities:
26 FY 2015-2016:
27 \$ 2,000,000
28 b. For construction improvement projects at statewide
29 readiness centers:
30 FY 2015-2016:
31 \$ 2,000,000
32 c. For construction improvement projects at the Camp Dodge
33 facility:
34 FY 2015-2016:
35 \$ 500,000

1 8. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

2 For the provision of a statewide public safety radio network
3 and the purchase of compatible radio communications equipment
4 with the goal of achieving compliance with the federal
5 communications commission's narrowbanding mandate deadline, and
6 for achieving "interoperability", as defined in section 80.28,
7 notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":

8 FY 2015-2016:
9 \$ 4,000,000

10 9. BOARD OF REGENTS

11 For allocation by the state board of regents to the state
12 university of Iowa, Iowa state university of science and
13 technology, and the university of northern Iowa to reimburse
14 the institutions for deficiencies in the operating funds
15 resulting from the pledging of tuition, student fees and
16 charges, and institutional income to finance the cost of
17 providing academic and administrative buildings and facilities
18 and utility services at the institutions:

19 FY 2015-2016:
20 \$ 30,237,549

21 FY 2016-2017:
22 \$ 33,473,351

23 10. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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

26 FY 2015-2016:
27 \$ 3,000,000

28 FY 2016-2017:
29 \$ 2,500,000

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

34 FY 2015-2016:
35 \$ 1,500,000

1 FY 2016-2017:
2 \$ 1,500,000
3 c. For infrastructure improvements at the commercial
4 service airports within the state:
5 FY 2015-2016:
6 \$ 1,500,000
7 FY 2016-2017:
8 \$ 1,500,000
9 d. For infrastructure improvements at general aviation
10 airports within the state:
11 FY 2015-2016:
12 \$ 750,000
13 FY 2016-2017:
14 \$ 750,000
15 e. For deposit in the railroad revolving loan and grant
16 fund created in section 327H.20A, notwithstanding section 8.57,
17 subsection 5, paragraph "c":
18 FY 2015-2016:
19 \$ 3,000,000
20 FY 2016-2017:
21 \$ 2,000,000
22 11. TREASURER OF STATE
23 For distribution in accordance with chapter 174 to qualified
24 fairs which belong to the association of Iowa fairs for county
25 fair infrastructure improvements:
26 FY 2015-2016:
27 \$ 1,060,000
28 FY 2016-2017:
29 \$ 1,060,000
30 12. IOWA VETERANS HOME
31 a. For replacement of the emergency fuel tanks for boilers
32 and generators and installment of spill containment equipment:
33 FY 2015-2016:
34 \$ 1,800,000
35 b. For renovation of the laundry facilities at the Malloy

1 building:

2 FY 2015-2016:

3 \$ 3,000,000

4 c. For the replacement of air handler units at the Sheeler,
5 Loftus, Malloy, and Dack buildings:

6 FY 2015-2016:

7 \$ 6,000,000

8 d. For the renovation of the Loftus ramp for compliance with
9 the federal Americans with Disabilities Act:

10 FY 2016-2017:

11 \$ 500,000

12 e. For renovation of the Sheeler and Loftus buildings:

13 FY 2016-2017:

14 \$ 2,000,000

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

25 DIVISION II

26 MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS

27 Sec. 3. REVENUE BONDS CAPITALS II FUND.

28 1. There is appropriated from the revenue bonds capitals
29 II fund created in section 12.88A to the department of
30 administrative services for the fiscal year beginning July
31 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following amount, or
32 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
33 designated:

34 For major maintenance projects:

35 \$ 4,646,841

1 revert but shall remain available for the purpose designated
2 until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2013,
3 or until the project for which the appropriation was made is
4 completed, whichever is earlier.

5 4. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated to the
6 department of economic development in section 18, subsection 4,
7 paragraph "a", of this division of this Act as amended by 2009
8 Iowa Acts, chapter 173, section 24, and 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter
9 133, section 34, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
10 close of the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made
11 shall not revert but shall remain available for the purpose
12 designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July
13 1, 2014, or until the project for which the appropriation was
14 made is completed, whichever is earlier.

15 5. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated to the
16 department of economic development in section 18, subsection 4,
17 paragraph "b", of this division of this Act as amended by 2009
18 Iowa Acts, chapter 173, section 24, and 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter
19 133, section 34, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
20 close of the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made
21 shall not revert but shall remain available for the purpose
22 designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July
23 1, 2016, or until the project for which the appropriation was
24 made is completed, whichever is earlier.

25 Sec. 5. 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter 133, section 2, is amended
26 to read as follows:

27 SEC. 2. REVERSION.

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

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

4 2. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
5 section 1, subsection 10, paragraph "c", as amended by 2012
6 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section 15, unless specifically
7 provided otherwise, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at
8 the close of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, shall not
9 revert but shall remain available for the purposes designated
10 until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2017.

11 Sec. 6. 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1136, section 1, subsection
12 7, paragraph d, is amended to read as follows:

13 d. For the renovation, modernization, and associated
14 improvements to an educational center for teacher education and
15 preparation at the university of northern Iowa:

16	FY 2015-2016:	
17	\$ 11,000,000
18		<u>15,000,000</u>
19	FY 2016-2017:	
20	\$ 13,600,000
21		<u>15,900,000</u>
22	FY 2017-2018:	
23	\$ 6,300,000

24 Sec. 7. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This division of this
25 Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon
26 enactment.

27 EXPLANATION

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

30 This bill relates to and makes appropriations to state
31 departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure
32 fund and the revenue bonds capitals II fund, and provides for
33 related matters. The bill is organized by divisions.

34 DIVISION I — REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND. This
35 division appropriates project funding for FY 2015-2016 from

1 the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund for projects for the
2 departments of administrative services, agriculture and
3 land stewardship, cultural affairs, human services, natural
4 resources, public defense, public safety, and transportation,
5 and for the economic development authority, Iowa veterans home,
6 treasurer of state, and the board of regents. The division
7 appropriates project funding for FY 2016-2017 from the rebuild
8 Iowa infrastructure fund for projects for the departments of
9 agriculture and land stewardship, cultural affairs, human
10 services, natural resources, and transportation, and for the
11 economic development authority, Iowa veterans home, treasurer
12 of state, and the board of regents.

13 DIVISION II — MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS. This division
14 appropriates project funding for FY 2015-2016 from the revenue
15 bonds capitals II fund for the department of administrative
16 services. Any remaining moneys in the revenue bonds capitals
17 II fund at the close of FY 2015-2016 is appropriated in the
18 following fiscal year for project funding for the department of
19 administrative services.

20 DIVISION III — CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS. This
21 division provides for the reversion of certain unencumbered or
22 unobligated moneys appropriated from the FY 2009 tax-exempt
23 bond proceeds restricted capital funds account to the
24 economic development authority for FY 2008-2009 and for
25 moneys appropriated from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund
26 in FY 2011-2012 and FY 2012-2013 to the board of regents.
27 The division also makes changes to the amounts of moneys
28 appropriated from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund to the
29 board of regents for a project at the university of northern
30 Iowa for FY 2015-2016, FY 2016-2017, and FY 2017-2018.

31 This division takes effect upon enactment.