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Over **2,600** individual clients seen by local SBDCs in FY 2014

**15 Regional Centers provided over 11,000 hours working with clients**

Capital Infusion of **\$52+ Million**

Sales Increases of **\$4.1 Million** per month

**251 New Businesses Started**

**New Business Every 35 Hours**

**New Job Every 7 Hours**

Existing business clients experienced an increase of over 21% in employment levels compared to a 1.5% increase for Iowa businesses in general



New small business owners who worked with Iowa SBDCs created on average 2 new jobs and over \$90,000 in new taxable sales in their 1st year

**SBDC Legislative request is for an increase of \$294,154**



**Accelerate the growth of your  
business with our help!**

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Locations**

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Cedar Falls	319-273-4322
Coralville	319-335-3742
Council Bluffs	712-325-3350
Creston	641-782-1483
Davenport	563-336-3401
Des Moines	515-331-8954
Dubuque	563-588-3350
Fort Dodge	515-576-6242
Marion	319-377-8256
Mason City	641-422-4342
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