

# SESSION DATES – 1838-2024

## IOWA TERRITORY LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 1838-1845

ASSEMBLY	YEAR	CONVENED	ADJOURNED	CALENDAR DAYS	1 <sup>st</sup> EXTRAORDINARY SESSION	2 <sup>nd</sup> EXTRAORDINARY SESSION
1 <sup>st</sup>	1838-39	November 12	January 25	75		
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1839-40	November 4	January 17	75	July 13 – Aug. 1, 1840 (20 days)	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	1840-41	November 2	January 15	75		
4 <sup>th</sup>	1841-42	December 6	February 18	75		
5 <sup>th</sup>	1842-43	December 5	February 17	75		
6 <sup>th</sup>	1843-44	December 4	February 16	75	June 17-19 (1844) (3 days)	
7 <sup>th</sup>	1845	May 5	June 11	38		
8 <sup>th</sup>	1845-46	December 1	January 19	50		

## IOWA GENERAL ASSEMBLY – 1846-2024

ASSEMBLY	YEAR	CONVENED	ADJOURNED	CALENDAR DAYS	1 <sup>st</sup> EXTRAORDINARY SESSION	2 <sup>nd</sup> EXTRAORDINARY SESSION
1 <sup>st</sup>	1846-47	November 30	February 25	88	Jan. 3-25, 1848 (23 days)	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1848-49	December 4	January 15	43		
3 <sup>rd</sup>	1850-51	December 2	February 5	66		
4 <sup>th</sup>	1852-53	December 6	January 24	50		
5 <sup>th</sup>	1854-55	December 4	January 26	54	July 2-16, 1856 (15 days)	
6 <sup>th</sup>	1856-57	December 1	January 29	60		
7 <sup>th</sup>	1858	January 11	March 23	72		
8 <sup>th</sup>	1860	January 9	April 3	86	May 15-29, 1861 (15 days)	
9 <sup>th</sup>	1862	January 13	April 8	86	Sept. 3-11, 1862 (9 days)	
10 <sup>th</sup>	1864	January 11	March 29	79		
11 <sup>th</sup>	1866	January 8	April 3	86		
12 <sup>th</sup>	1868	January 13	April 8	87		
13 <sup>th</sup>	1870	January 10	April 13	94		
14 <sup>th</sup>	1872	January 8	April 23	107	Jan. 15 – Feb. 20, 1873 (37 days)	
15 <sup>th</sup>	1874	January 12	March 19	67		
16 <sup>th</sup>	1876	January 10	March 16	67		
17 <sup>th</sup>	1878	January 14	March 26	72		
18 <sup>th</sup>	1880	January 12	March 27	76		
19 <sup>th</sup>	1882	January 9	March 17	68		
20 <sup>th</sup>	1884	January 14	April 2	80		
21 <sup>st</sup>	1886	January 11	April 13	93		
22 <sup>nd</sup>	1888	January 9	April 10	93		
23 <sup>rd</sup>	1890	January 13	April 15	93		
24 <sup>th</sup>	1892	January 11	March 30	80		
25 <sup>th</sup>	1894	January 8	April 6	89		
26 <sup>th</sup>	1896	January 13	April 11	90	Jan. 19 – July 2, 1897 (165 days)	
27 <sup>th</sup>	1898	January 10	April 1	82		
28 <sup>th</sup>	1900	January 8	April 6	89		
29 <sup>th</sup>	1902	January 13	April 11	89		
30 <sup>th</sup>	1904	January 11	April 12	93		
31 <sup>st</sup>	1906	January 8	April 6	89		
32 <sup>nd</sup>	1907	January 14	April 9	86	Aug. 31 – Nov. 24, 1908 (86 days)	
33 <sup>rd</sup>	1909	January 11	April 9	89		
34 <sup>th</sup>	1911	January 9	April 12	94		
35 <sup>th</sup>	1913	January 13	April 19	97		
36 <sup>th</sup>	1915	January 11	April 17	97		

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37 <sup>th</sup>	1917	January 8	April 14	97		
38 <sup>th</sup>	1919	January 13	April 19	97	July 2, 1919 (1 day)	
39 <sup>th</sup>	1921	January 10	April 8	89		
40 <sup>th</sup>	1923	January 8	April 17	100	Dec. 4, 1923 – July 30, 1924 (240 days)	
41 <sup>st</sup>	1925	January 12	April 3	82		
42 <sup>nd</sup>	1927	January 10	April 15	96	Mar. 5-14, 1928 (10 days)	
43 <sup>rd</sup>	1929	January 14	April 12	89		
44 <sup>th</sup>	1931	January 12	April 15	94		
45 <sup>th</sup>	1933	January 9	April 20	102	Nov. 6, 1933 – Mar. 12, 1934 (127 days)	
46 <sup>th</sup>	1935	January 14	April 23	100	Dec. 21-24, 1936 (4 days)	
47 <sup>th</sup>	1937	January 11	April 20	100		
48 <sup>th</sup>	1939	January 9	April 26	108		
49 <sup>th</sup>	1941	January 13	April 10	88		
50 <sup>th</sup>	1943	January 11	April 8	88	Jan. 26-28, 1944 (3 days)	
51 <sup>st</sup>	1945	January 8	April 12	95		
52 <sup>nd</sup>	1947	January 13	April 25	103	Dec. 16-19, 1947 (4 days)	
53 <sup>rd</sup>	1949	January 10	April 20	101		
54 <sup>th</sup>	1951	January 8	April 17	100		
55 <sup>th</sup>	1953	January 12	April 29	108		
56 <sup>th</sup>	1955	January 10	April 29	110		
57 <sup>th</sup>	1957	January 14	May 3	110		
58 <sup>th</sup>	1959	January 12	May 7	116		
59 <sup>th</sup>	1961	January 9	May 6	118		
60 <sup>th</sup>	1963	January 14	May 18	125	Feb. 24-April 8, 1964 (45 days)	
61 <sup>st</sup>	1965	January 11	June 4	145		
62 <sup>nd</sup>	1967	January 9	July 2	175		
*63 <sup>rd</sup>	1969	January 13	May 23	131		
63 <sup>rd</sup>	1970	January 12	April 16	95		
64 <sup>th</sup>	1971	January 11	June 19	160		
64 <sup>th</sup>	1972	January 10	March 24	75		
65 <sup>th</sup>	1973	January 8	June 24	168		
65 <sup>th</sup>	1974	January 14	May 4	111		
66 <sup>th</sup>	1975	January 13	June 20	159		
66 <sup>th</sup>	1976	January 12	May 29	139		
67 <sup>th</sup>	1977	January 10	June 13	155	June 21-25, 1977 (5 days)	
67 <sup>th</sup>	1978	January 9	July 16	189		
68 <sup>th</sup>	1979	January 8	May 11	124		
68 <sup>th</sup>	1980	January 14	April 26	104		
69 <sup>th</sup>	1981	January 12	May 22	131	June 24-26, 1981 (3 days)	Aug. 12-14, 1981 (3 days)
69 <sup>th</sup>	1982	January 11	April 24	104		
70 <sup>th</sup>	1983	January 10	May 14	125		
70 <sup>th</sup>	1984	January 9	April 20	103		
71 <sup>st</sup>	1985	January 14	May 4	111		
71 <sup>st</sup>	1986	January 13	May 2	110		
72 <sup>nd</sup>	1987	January 12	May 10	119	June 4-6, 1987 (3 days)	Oct. 27, 1987 (1 day)
72 <sup>nd</sup>	1988	January 11	April 17	98		
73 <sup>rd</sup>	1989	January 9	May 7	119		
73 <sup>rd</sup>	1990	January 8	April 8	91		
74 <sup>th</sup>	1991	January 14	May 12	119		
74 <sup>th</sup>	1992	January 13	May 4	113	May 20-22, 1992 (3 days)	June 25, 1992 (1 day)
75 <sup>th</sup>	1993	January 11	May 2	112		
75 <sup>th</sup>	1994	January 10	April 20	101		
76 <sup>th</sup>	1995	January 9	May 4	116		
76 <sup>th</sup>	1996	January 8	May 2	116		
77 <sup>th</sup>	1997	January 13	April 29	107		
77 <sup>th</sup>	1998	January 12	April 22	101		
78 <sup>th</sup>	1999	January 11	April 29	109		
78 <sup>th</sup>	2000	January 10	April 26	108		

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79 <sup>th</sup>	2001	January 8	May 8	121	June 19, 2001 (1 day)	Nov. 8, 2001 (1 day)
79 <sup>th</sup>	2002	January 14	April 12	89	April 22, 2002 (1 day)	May 28, 2002 (1 day)
80 <sup>th</sup>	2003	January 13	May 1	109	May 29 - June 4, 2003 (7 days)	
80 <sup>th</sup>	2004	January 12	April 20	100	Sept. 7, 2004 (1 day)	
81 <sup>st</sup>	2005	January 10	May 20	131		
81 <sup>st</sup>	2006	January 9	May 3	115	July 14, 2006 (1 day)	
82 <sup>nd</sup>	2007	January 8	April 29	112		
82 <sup>nd</sup>	2008	January 14	April 26	104		
83 <sup>rd</sup>	2009	January 12	April 26	105		
83 <sup>rd</sup>	2010	January 11	March 30	79		
84 <sup>th</sup>	2011	January 10	June 30	172		
84 <sup>th</sup>	2012	January 9	May 9	122		
85 <sup>th</sup>	2013	January 14	May 23	130		
85 <sup>th</sup>	2014	January 13	May 2 <sup>**</sup>	110		
86 <sup>th</sup>	2015	January 12	June 5	145		
86 <sup>th</sup>	2016	January 11	April 29	110		
87 <sup>th</sup>	2017	January 9	April 22	104		
87 <sup>th</sup>	2018	January 8	May 5	118		
88 <sup>th</sup>	2019	January 14	April 27	104		
88 <sup>th</sup>	2020	January 13	June 14 <sup>***</sup>	154		
89 <sup>th</sup>	2021	January 11	May 19	129	October 5, 2021 (1 day)	October 28, 2021 (1 day)
89 <sup>th</sup>	2022	January 10	May 14	135		
90 <sup>th</sup>	2023	January 9	May 4	116	July 11, 2023 (1 day)	
90 <sup>th</sup>	2024	January 8	April 19	103		

*\*Annual legislative sessions commenced with the 63<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly, pursuant to the adoption, in 1968, of the 24<sup>th</sup> amendment to the Iowa Constitution.*

*\*\*House adjourned May 1, 2014; Senate adjourned May 2, 2014.*

*\*\*\*House was suspended from March 17, 2020 until June 3, 2020 due to pandemic.*

*The 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Iowa Territory Legislative Assemblies convened in Burlington.*

*The 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Iowa Territory Legislative Assemblies convened in Iowa City.*

*The 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Iowa General Assemblies convened in Iowa City.*

*The 7<sup>th</sup> Iowa General Assembly - current convened in Des Moines.*