
BUDGET UNIT BRIEF – FY 2025

Fiscal Services Division

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Community Forestry Program — RIIF

Purpose and History

This appropriation is intended to support efforts to reestablish trees that were lost to the derecho that occurred on August 10, 2020. Grants are intended to be made to local government entities, schools, and volunteer organizations and service organizations involved with local urban and community forest services, for planting trees on lands owned by State, county, or local governments. The Community Forestry Grant Program is for reimbursable grants ranging from \$1,000 to \$10,000 to be used for the purchase and planting of trees. Qualifying public planting lands include but are not limited to street rights-of-way, parks, school grounds, courthouse lawns, public buildings, fairgrounds, cemeteries, libraries, and trails.

Funding

Funding is appropriated from the Rebuild Iowa Infrastructure Program.

Related Statutes and Administrative Rules

Iowa Code chapter [455A](#)

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More Information

DNR Urban Forestry: www.iowadnr.gov/Conservation/Forestry/Urban-Forestry
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