

**\$35 MILLION** OF REVENUES FROM STATE GAMING TAXES IN FY 2006 BENEFITED ENVIRONMENTAL NEEDS



ENVIRONMENT

- Water Quality Protection
- Wetlands Development
- Resource Enhancement
- State Parks
- Conservation Incentives
- Lake Restoration



# 2006 Gaming Revenue Earmarked for Programs Supported by the Environment First Fund

## **Agricultural Drainage Well Closure Assistance Program** **\$500,000**

The program closes agricultural drainage wells in the tiled-drained regions of the state that may contaminate underground drinking water supplies and develops alternative drainage outlets needed to replace the wells.

## **Brownfield Redevelopment Program** **\$500,000**

Funds are used to clean up contaminated commercial or industrial sites.

## **Wetland Incentive Program (CREP)** **\$1,500,000**

CREP provides incentives for wetlands development that will target tile-drained areas of the state. CREP's purpose is to reduce nutrient and pollutant runoff in rivers and streams. In addition to improving water quality, the wetlands will provide wildlife habitat and increase recreational opportunities.

## **Conservation Reserve Program (CRP)** **\$2,000,000**

CRP provides financial incentives to landowners for vegetative buffers, grassed waterways and other types of buffer strips.

## **Integrated Farm and Livestock Management Demonstration Program (IFLM)** **\$850,000**

The IFLM program provides funding to demonstrate the effectiveness and adaptability of emerging agricultural systems for nutrient and pesticide management, air quality protection and soil and water conservation. Agricultural inputs of tillage, fertility, and pest management can be managed to optimize production and minimize potential impacts of sediment, nutrients and pesticides on the state's soil and water resources.

## **Geographic Information System Development** **\$195,000**

The purpose of the Geographic Information System is to improve the availability, integration and analysis of natural resource information, and to improve decisions regarding the management, development and protection of Iowa's natural resources.

## **Lake Restoration** **\$1,500,000**

Lake restoration appropriation provides funding for lake restoration watershed improvement projects within Iowa.

## **Loess Hills Conservation Authority** **\$600,000**

Funds for the Loess Hills are used for two different purposes. The money appropriated for the Hungry Canyons account is used to stabilize stream channels that have been damaged due to soil erosion. The money appropriated to the Loess Hills Alliance account is used for conservation and preservation of the Loess Hills area through the purchase of land or conservation easements.

## **Marine Fuel Tax Capital Projects** **\$2,300,000**

The Marine Fuel Tax Capital Projects provide funding for capital expenditures to local governmental units for boating accessibility, construction of the Elinor Bedell state park and wildlife conservation area, recreational grant matching program, creation of a lake rehabilitation pilot program, bluffslands protection revolving fund and dredging of lakes.

## **Park Operations and Maintenance** **\$2,000,000**

Funds are earmarked for all facets of state park operations to allow DNR to care for these highly valued and precious natural resources; so thousands of people can enjoy the many outdoor activities being offered.

## **Resource Enhancement and Protection Program (REAP)** **\$11,000,000**

The REAP Program invests in the enhancement and protection of the state's natural and cultural resources.

## **Soil Conservation Cost Share** **\$5,500,000**

State funds are made available to landowners to pay a portion of approved permanent soil and water conservation practices. This provides permanent protection of Iowa's soil resources and water quality, giving the public clean water for drinking and recreation.

## **Southern Iowa Conservation & Development Authority** **\$300,000**

Money will be used to stabilize stream channels that have been damaged due to soil erosion.

## **Volunteer Water Quality Initiative** **\$100,000**

This program aims to expand citizen water monitoring in Iowa, helps citizens become involved in protecting and improving water resources, and increases accurate information on Iowa's water resources.

## **Water Quality Monitoring Stations** **\$2,955,000**

This expands professional water quality monitoring to provide reliable information about the quality of the state's water, and also strengthens Iowa's citizen monitoring program.

## **Water Quality Protection Fund** **\$500,000**

Funds are used to help support the federal Safe Drinking Water Act. This act provides strengthened protections to ensure that American families have clean, safe tap water. It also gives Americans the right to know about tap water contaminants and if the water they drink could be harmful. With this act in place, it helps to provide monetary support to communities that may have contaminated water, but may not have the funds to improve it.

## **Watershed Protection Program** **\$2,700,000**

Money targets water-quality problems and improves the state's impaired water bodies.



**\$55.8 MILLION** OF REVENUES FROM STATE GAMING TAXES FOR THE REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND (RIIF)



**INFRASTRUCTURE**

- Community Attraction Tourism
- Honey Creek Destination State Park
- Capitol Complex
- State Fair Improvements
- IPTV Hi-Definition TV Conversion
- Public Safety
- Education/Universities





# 2006 Gaming Tax Revenues Earmarked for the Rebuild Iowa Infrastructure Fund

## **Administrative Services/General Services, \$18,218,820**

- Pool Tech/Data Warehouses Projects
- Major Maintenance
- Wallace Building
- Toledo Juvenile Home Improvements
- Terrace Hill Maintenance
- CCUSO Renovation - DHS
- Capitol Complex Electrical Distribution
- Routine Maintenance
- Employee Relocation Expenses/Leases
- Records and Property Building Remodel

## **Department of Corrections, \$5,300,470**

- Electrical System Lease Purchase – Fort Madison
- Davenport CBC Facility Construction
- Fort Dodge CBC Residential Facility
- Anamosa Dietary Renovation
- Jesse Parker Building Rent
- Facility Leases

## **Cultural Affairs, \$220,000**

- Iowa Battle Flags

## **Economic Development, \$5,560,000**

- Community Attraction and Tourism
- Federal Enterprise Zone Matching Funds
- Ferryboat Study

## **Education, \$26,127,000**

- Secure an Advance Vision for Education (SAVE)
- IPTV – High-Definition TV Conversion
- IPTV – Replace Transmitters
- Enrich Iowa Libraries
- ICN Part III Maintenance/Lease Costs
- Iowa Learning Technologies
- Community Colleges Infrastructure

## **Human Services \$250,000**

- Ames Residential Treatment Facility

## **Iowa Finance Authority \$1,400,000**

- IFA Transitional Housing

## **Natural Resources, \$5,509,000**

- Honey Creek Premier Destination State Park
- Waubonsie State Park
- Fort Atkinson Restoration
- Mid-America Port Commission
- Lake Cornelia

## **Public Safety, \$1,850,000**

- AFIS Lease Purchase
- Fire Equipment Revolving Loan Fund
- Fire Training Facilities

## **Regents, \$9,250,000**

- Special School Maintenance
- UNI – Program for Playground Safety
- Gilchrist Hall Deductible – Supplemental
- Major/Deferred Maintenance

## **State Fair, \$750,000**

- Fair Improvements

## **Transportation, \$2,350,750**

- Aviation Improvement Program
- General Aviation Airport Grants
- Rail Assistance
- Recreational Trails

*Includes carry forward funding from previous year.*

*\*Source: Legislative Services Agency*

**\$70 MILLION** OF REVENUES FROM STATE GAMING TAXES IN FY 2006 BENEFITED MANY HEALTH CARE NEEDS



HEALTHY  
IOWANS

Department for the Blind  
Department of Corrections  
Department of Education  
Department of Human Services  
Department of Public Health



# 2006 Gaming Revenues are Earmarked for Endowment for Iowa's Health Account

*This funds programs within the Healthy Iowans Tobacco Trust Fund*

## **Department of Public Health, \$20,907,530**

- Tobacco Use Prevention/Control
- Substance Abuse Prevention
- Healthy Iowans 2010
- Smoking Cessation Products
- Defibrillator Grant Program
- Birth Defects Institute
- Capitol Complex Defibrillator
- PKU Assistance
- AIDS Drug Assistance Program

## **Department of Human Services, \$39,892,180**

- CHIP Expansion to 200% of Federal Poverty Level
- Medicaid Supplement (Medical Assistance)
- Children and Family Services
- General Administration

## **Department of Corrections, \$3,201,290**

- Community-Based Corrections District I-VIII
- Fort Madison Special Needs Unit
- Newton Value Based Program
- Mitchellville Value Based Program

## **Department for the Blind, \$130,000**

- Newslines for the Blind

## **Department of Education, \$2,153,250**

- Iowa Empowerment Fund

*Some programs are partially funded with non-gaming revenue.*



**\$225 MILLION** OF REVENUES FROM STATE GAMING TAXES FOR VISION IOWA PROJECTS



Facilities Improving  
Iowans' Quality of Life:  
Recreational  
Cultural  
Educational  
Entertainment





# \$15 Million is Allocated From Gaming Tax Revenues for 20 Years to Fund Vision Iowa, Community Attractions and Tourism Grants

## **River Renaissance on the Mississippi, Davenport, \$20,000,000**

### River City Music Corridor

- Expansion of Adler Theater
- Renovation of the Redstone Building
- Development of a River Courtyard
- Rhythm City Skywalk Bridge

### Arts Corridor

- Construction of Figge Arts Center
- Development of an Arts Walk
- Construction of parking facilities

### Economy Corridor

- Construction of AgTech Venture Capital Center
- Additional parking

## **Capital City Vision Project, Polk County, \$55,000,000**

### Plus \$15 Million Forgivable Loan

- Construction and development of the Iowa Events Center
- New facilities for the Science Center of Iowa
- Development of Hall of Pride

## **River's Edge, Sioux City, \$21,000,000**

- Construction of new events center
- Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center
- Ground transportation center

## **Mid-America Recreation and Convention Complex, Council Bluffs, \$24,000,000**

### Plus \$7 Million Loan

- Multi-use field house/arena/exhibit facility
- Convention complex

## **America's River at the Port of Dubuque, Dubuque, \$40,000,000**

- Mississippi River Discovery Center
- Mississippi River National Education and Conference Center
- Riverwalk and amenities
- Riverfront hotel and indoor waterpark

## **West Tarkio Reservoir/Lake, Shenandoah and Clarinda, \$12,000,000**

- Development of a 1,600-acre reservoir/lake
- Community leaders envision this to spark a rebirth in the area. Cities of Shenandoah and Clarinda plan to build water-treatment centers as part of the project.

## **Rediscovering the River, Des Moines, \$4,000,000**

- 1.2 mile pedestrian promenade slated for construction on the east and west sides of the Des Moines River.
- 2 mile multi-purpose trail will connect this promenade with Gray's Lake.
- Envisioned for the project will be a fountain, civic gardens and an ice skating rink.

## **Bridge View Center, Ottumwa, \$7,500,000**

- Construction of multi-purpose exhibition hall
- New performing arts center

## **Things To Do With A River View, Clinton, \$3,300,000**

- Aquatic center
- Marina
- Skate park
- Recreational vehicle park
- Mississippi River's Edge Trail
- Renovation of the Clinton Area Showboat Theatre and the River View Baseball Stadium

## **Cedar Valley River Renaissance, Waterloo, \$9,500,000**

- Cedar River Plaza
- Downtown Pedestrian Riverwalk Loop
- Wellness and Sports Complex
- Cedar River Dam
- Grout Museum
- African-American Museum
- EMA Community Center
- Veterans Center

## **Great River Gateway, Burlington, \$4,250,000**

- Project to enhance cultural and recreational opportunities in the area
- Improvements will be made to Community Field, home of the Burlington Bees minor-league baseball team.
- Renovations to Burlington Memorial Auditorium
- Construction of a new public library
- Rehabilitation at the current public library to transform it into the Des Moines County Historical Center

## **Destination Park Project Analysis, Storm Lake, \$9,000,000**

- Lakeshore Drive Beach
- Lighthouse Observation Deck/Concession Stand
- Great Lawn
- Family Playground
- Cobblestone Lodge
- Outdoor Aquatic Center
- Municipal Golf Course

## **Vision Iowa money supports Community Attraction and Tourism (CAT) grants. Here are several communities benefiting from gaming-funded CAT projects:**

- Albion • Atlantic • Centerville • Clear Lake • Creston
- Columbus Junction • Coralville • Decorah • Defiance • Diagonal
- Dyersville • Donnellson • Malvern • Marathon • Marengo
- Monticello • Mt. Pleasant • Nashua • Oelwein • Pella • Red Oak
- Reinbeck • Rockwell City • Sigourney • Sioux Center • Spirit Lake
- Springville • St. Ansgar • Strawberry Point • West Bend

**For a complete listing of gaming-funded CAT programs, visit [www.iowagaming.org](http://www.iowagaming.org).**