

Iowa Department of Natural Resources
Natural Resource Commission

ITEM	20		DECISION
TOPIC	Water Recreation Access Cost-Share (WRAC) Grant FY 2010		

The Natural Resource Commission is requested to approve funding for the recommended Water Recreation Access Cost-Share (WRAC) Grant applications for FY10, funded through the Marine Fuel Tax Program and Federal Coast Guard.

Grant applications have been reviewed and prioritized by a review committee who met on April 21, 2009, to review a total of 15 projects requesting \$405,336.45 in funds according to rules provided for in Iowa Administrative Code chapter 571 - 30. One application received additional consideration pursuant to Iowa Code section 303.3C, as it is a participant in Iowa's Great Places. A total of \$100,000.00 was available for distribution.

The committee recommends fully funding the top 5 ranked projects. In the event any of the recommended applicants are unable to meet the obligations of the WRAC program and funds remain available, the Department requests authority to offer those funds to the next highest scored project until it exhausts the funds available.

Rank By Score	Applicant	Project Description	MFT Grant Request	MFT Local Match	Total Project Cost	MFT Grant Awarded
1	Palo Alto CCB	Lammers Boat Access Construction	\$51,130.07	\$17,043.36	\$68,174.06	\$51,130.07
2	Johnson CCB	Hills Access Latrine Construction	\$26,628.75	\$8,876.25	\$35,505.00	\$26,628.75
3	Harrison CCB	Willow Lake Recreation Area Latrine Construction	\$4,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$6,000.00	\$4,500.00
4	Hamilton CCB	Bell's Mill Park Concrete Boat Ramp Construction	\$14,615.63	\$4,871.86	\$19,487.49	\$14,615.63
5	Story CCB	Shreck Access Construction on the South Skunk River Water Trail	\$5,340.00	\$1,821.50	\$7,286.00	\$3,125.55

6	City of Clinton	25 th Avenue North Boat Ramp Construction	\$75,000.00	\$37,500.00	\$150,000.00	
7	City of Perry	Boat Ramp & Vicinity Improvement	\$36,000.00	\$29,700.00	\$65,700.00	
8	O'Brien CCB	Prairie Heritage Center Boat Ramp Repair and Resurface	\$51,375.00	\$17,125.00	\$68,500.00	
9	City of Bettendorf	Eagles Landing Park Boat Launch Construction	\$20,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$40,000.00	
10	Dallas CCB	Dawson Boat Ramp Construction and Acquisition	\$45,000.00	\$15,000	\$60,000.00	
11	Guthrie CCB	Acquisition	\$7,875.00	\$2,625.00	\$10,500.00	
12	City of Burlington	Visitor Boat Dock Construction	\$50,290.00	\$16,763.50	\$67,053.50	
13	Monona CCB	Maple River Access Development at Schoenjahns Wildlife Area	\$3,582.00	\$1,194.00	\$4,776.00	
14	City of Rock Rapids	Island Park Boat Dock Installation	\$6,500.00	\$6,500.00	\$13,000.00	
15	Marble Rock Park Board	Powerhouse Park boat ramp, dock, and river walkway Design	\$7,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$10,000.00	
			\$405,336.45	\$168,148.61	\$544,807.99	\$100,000.00

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