Welcome to Dolliver Memorial State Park, where Webster County’s rich cultural heritage and picturesque landscapes convene. Located along the scenic Des Moines River Valley, Dolliver Memorial State Park — spread across 597 acres — boasts unique bluffs, canyons, flatlands, ancient Native American mounds and an abundance of exploration opportunities.

PARK AMENITIES/POINTS OF INTEREST/THINGS TO DO
While visiting, enjoy the park’s rugged and well-maintained trail system. Nearly six miles of winding trails lead through the Copperas Beds — unique sandstone formations that tower 100 feet above Prairie Creek. Here you will see an ancient (more than 150 million years old) river bed and witness the erosive power of Prairie Creek that uncovered and left behind this breathtaking feature. The trail continues up into oak-covered hillsides and along two hilltop prairies as you travel through the woods. Follow the trail north to Bone Yard Hollow, a unique historical area in Webster County. Bone Yard Hollow is said to have been given its names by early settlers who found large numbers of bison bones in the canyon. It is believed that the first inhabitants in the area drove herds of bison from the prairie over the cliff to their deaths so they might use the animals for their meat, hides, horns and bones.

Located in the upland timber, ancient Native American mounds overlook the Des Moines River Valley. There are one linear and two conical mounds at this site. All the mounds in this area probably date to the Woodland Culture approximately 1100 A.D. The Indian mounds were either ceremonial or burial in nature.

There are two historic day-use lodges, South Lodge and Center Lodge, named for their locations in the park. These structures, built in the 1930s, stand as a legacy to the craftsmanship of the Civilian Conservation Corps. Their rustic-style architecture mirrors the rugged natural beauty of their surroundings. Along with the lodges, Dolliver has several campsites (20 with electrical hook-ups), two family cabins and one shelter available to rent. Dolliver offers a group camp for family reunions, organized youth groups or church groups. The camp has a dining hall, modern rest rooms and showers and 10 separate sleeping cabins. There are also several campsites to offer for overnight stays, most with electric hook-ups. A boat ramp allows access to the Des Moines River for canoeists and anglers.

SPECIAL PARK RULES
Pick up the rules/regulation booklet for more information on general park rules.

LOCAL EVENTS/ATTRACTIONS
Some of the local events worth checking out during your visit to Dolliver might be the Dam to Dam River Cleanup or Webster County Fair (July), the Carp Fishing Tournament or Dragon Boat Dash (August), or the Eco-Challenge Triathlon (September).

Fort Dodge is home to several attractions, including Blanden Memorial Art Museum, Community Orchards, Fort Museum and Frontier Village, Mineral City Speedway and River Front Speedway. Brushy Creek State Recreation Area is approximately five miles east. Check out www.fortdodgeweb.com and www.myfortdodge.com for local attractions and events in Webster County.

LOCAL CONTACT INFORMATION
Park Office: 515.359.2539
Park Rangers: Eddie Elkin & Matt Petersen
Park Manager: Kevin Henning

For emergencies, please call 911.

For reservations, visit http://iowastateparks.reserveamerica.com or call 877.427.2757
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