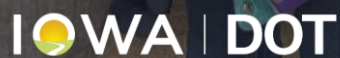




# FY 2026 Public Transit Infrastructure Grant Program



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# Public Transit Infrastructure Grant Program

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- Program created by 2006 General Assembly
- Funds vertical infrastructure projects for public transit
- All 35 public transit systems are eligible

## Project Evaluation Criteria

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- No more than 40-percent of the funds available can be awarded to an individual transit system
- Structural integrity of existing facilities
- Safety enhancements to existing facilities
- New facilities that enhance the life of the transit fleet or optimize transit service
- Projects should be “shovel ready” and capable of completion in 18 months

## Available Funding and Application Summary

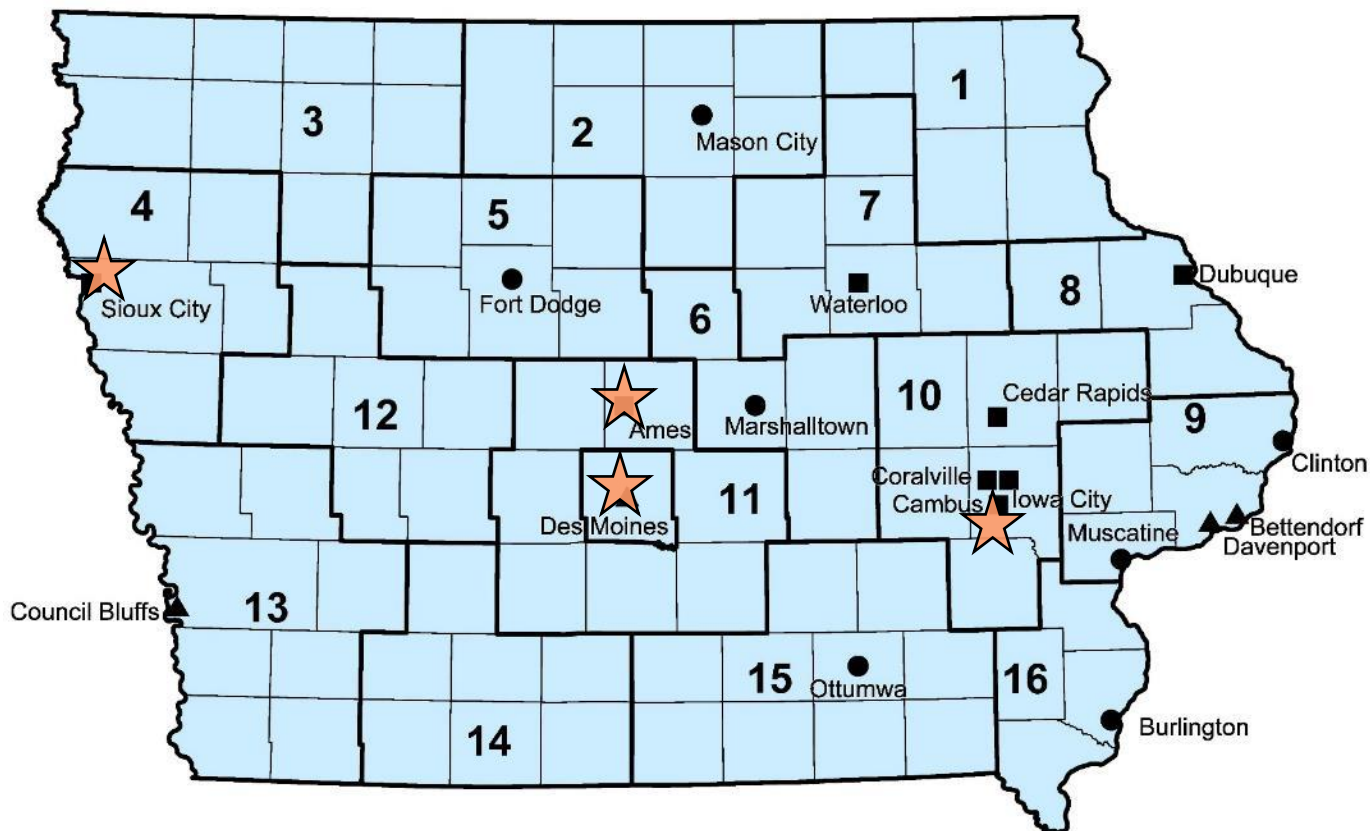
- Annual appropriation: \$1,200,000
- Underrun/withdrawals: \$215,240
- Funds available: \$1,415,240
- Total number of projects: 4
- Total project costs: \$13,271,183
- Total PTIG requested: \$1,560,000

## Table of Projects Recommended For Award

Project Name	Sponsor	Total Project Cost	Requested Amount (% of Total Project Cost)	Recommended Amount (% of Total Project Cost)
Maintenance Facility Expansion and Modernization	University of Iowa, Cambus	\$12,067,590	\$600,000 (4.97%)	\$566,096 (4.69%)
In-Ground Hoist Replacement	Ames Transit Agency, Cyride	\$750,000	\$600,000 (80.00%)	\$566,096 (75.48%)
Revolving Door Replacement	Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority	\$153,593	\$120,000 (78.13%)	\$120,000 (78.13%)
Passenger Elevator Replacement	Sioux City Transit	\$300,000	\$240,000 (80.00%)	\$163,048 (54.35%)

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## Iowa's Public Transit System



- ▲ 4 Transit Systems in urbanized areas > 200,000 population
- 8 Transit Systems in urbanized areas 50,000 to 200,000 population
- 7 Transit Systems in small urban areas < 50,000 population
- 16 Regional Transit Systems

## Questions?

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# Project Recommended for Award

## University of Iowa Cambus

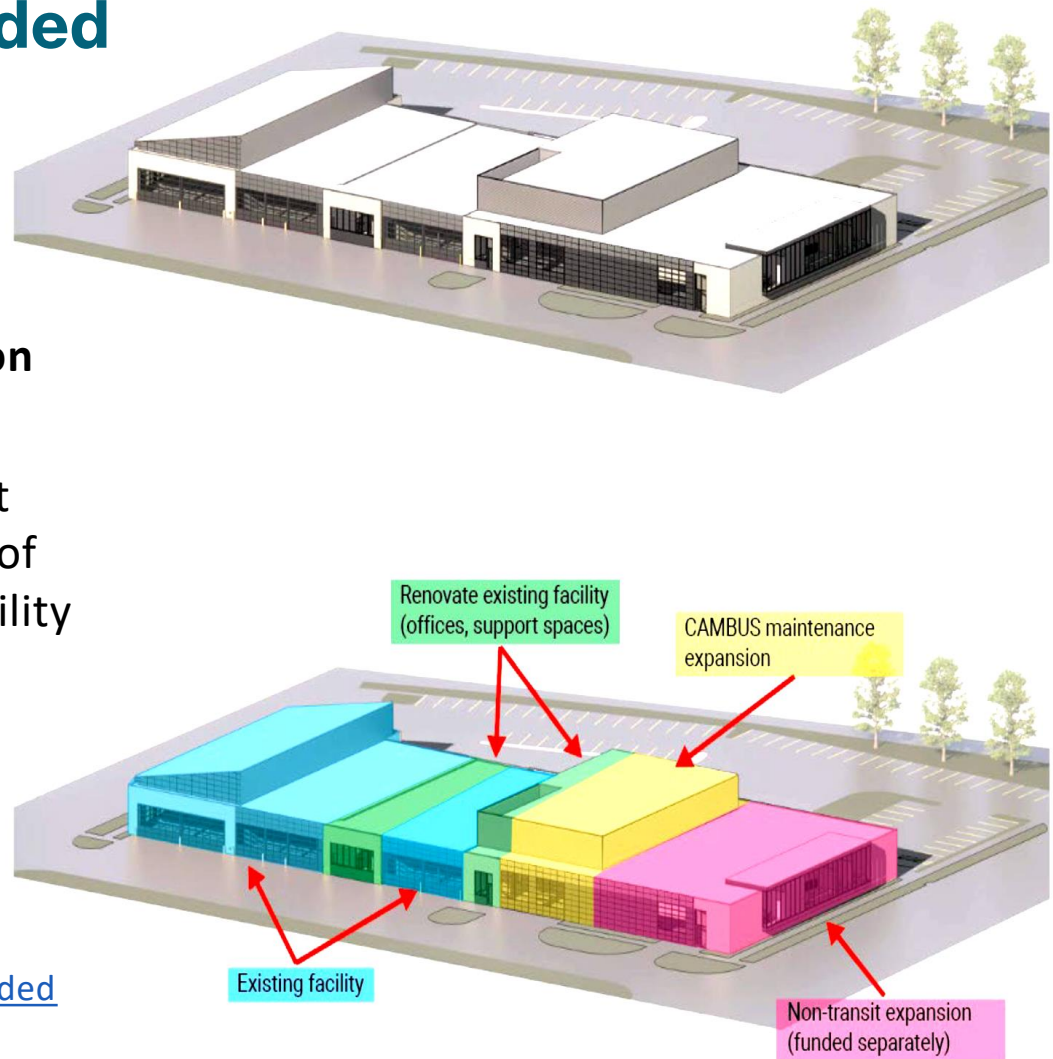
### Maintenance Facility Expansion and Modernization

Construct a 25,000 square foot expansion and modernization of the CAMBUS Maintenance Facility

Funding Request: \$600,000

Recommended: \$566,096  
(80%)

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# Project Recommended for Award

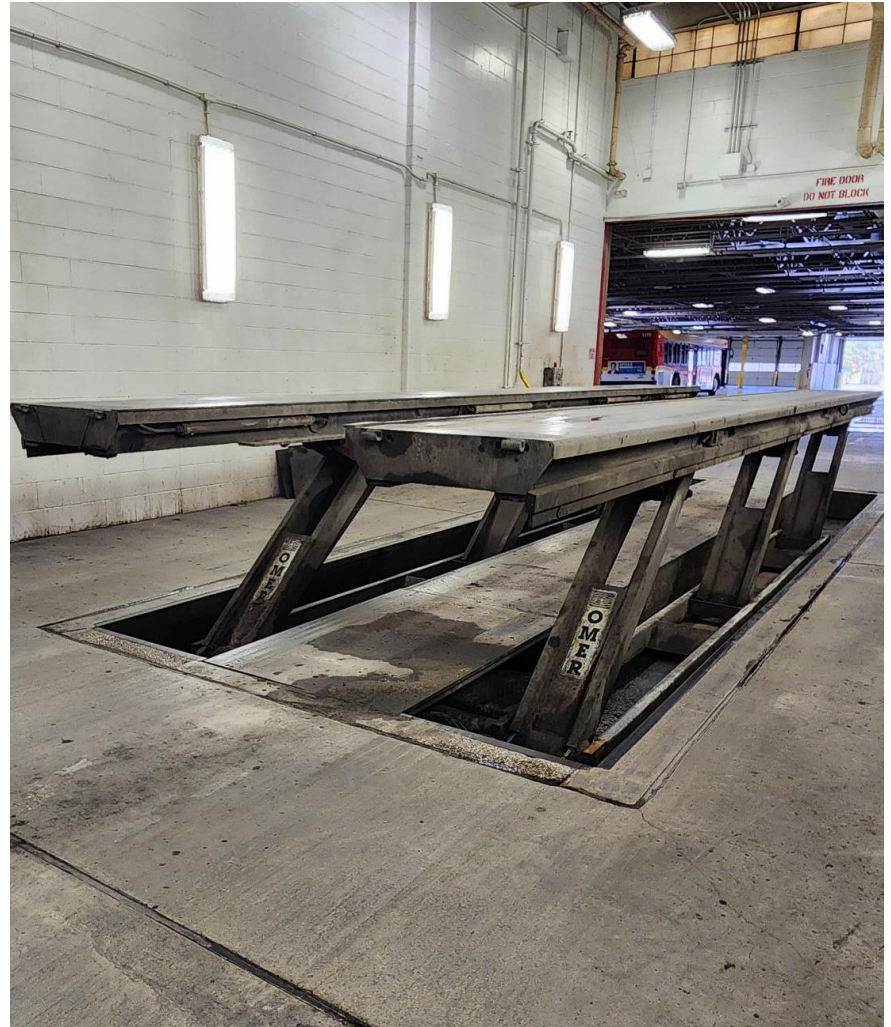
## Ames Transit Agency, CyRide In-Ground Hoist Replacement

Replace in-ground bus hoist with two new in-ground hoists capable of lifting two 40-foot buses independently or operating in sync to lift one 60-foot articulated bus.

Funding Request: \$600,000

Recommended: \$566,096  
(80%)

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# Project Recommended for Award

## Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority

### Revolving Door Replacement

Replacement of two revolving door systems and surrounding flooring at primary customer facility, DART Central Station.

Funding Request: \$153,593

Recommended: \$120,000 (80%)

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# Project Recommended for Award

## Sioux City Transit

### Passenger Elevator Replacement

This project will provide replacement and upgrade for two elevators in the Martin Luther King Jr. Transportation Center

Funding Request:     \$240,000

Recommended:        \$163,048 (80%)

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