



# 2024 State Rail Plan

Kickoff Presentation MPO-RPA Quarterly Meeting



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## Agenda

### **What is it?**

How we will use it

### **2017 State Rail Plan**

How we will change it

### **Timeline**

When it's getting done

### **Engagement Action Plan**

We need help from you:

Vision, Goals, and Objectives

Trends and Forecasts

Rail Service Needs and Opportunities

# Engagement Plan



**MPOs and  
RPAs (Cities  
and  
Counties)**

December 13, 2023  
March 8, 2024  
June 14, 2024

**Freight  
Advisory  
Council  
(FAC)**

December 15, 2023  
March 8, 2024  
June 14, 2024

**Rail  
Advisory  
Council  
(RAC)**

December 14, 2023  
March 7, 2024

**Passenger  
Rail  
Advisory  
Council**

Spring 2024

**DOT Staff**

Ongoing

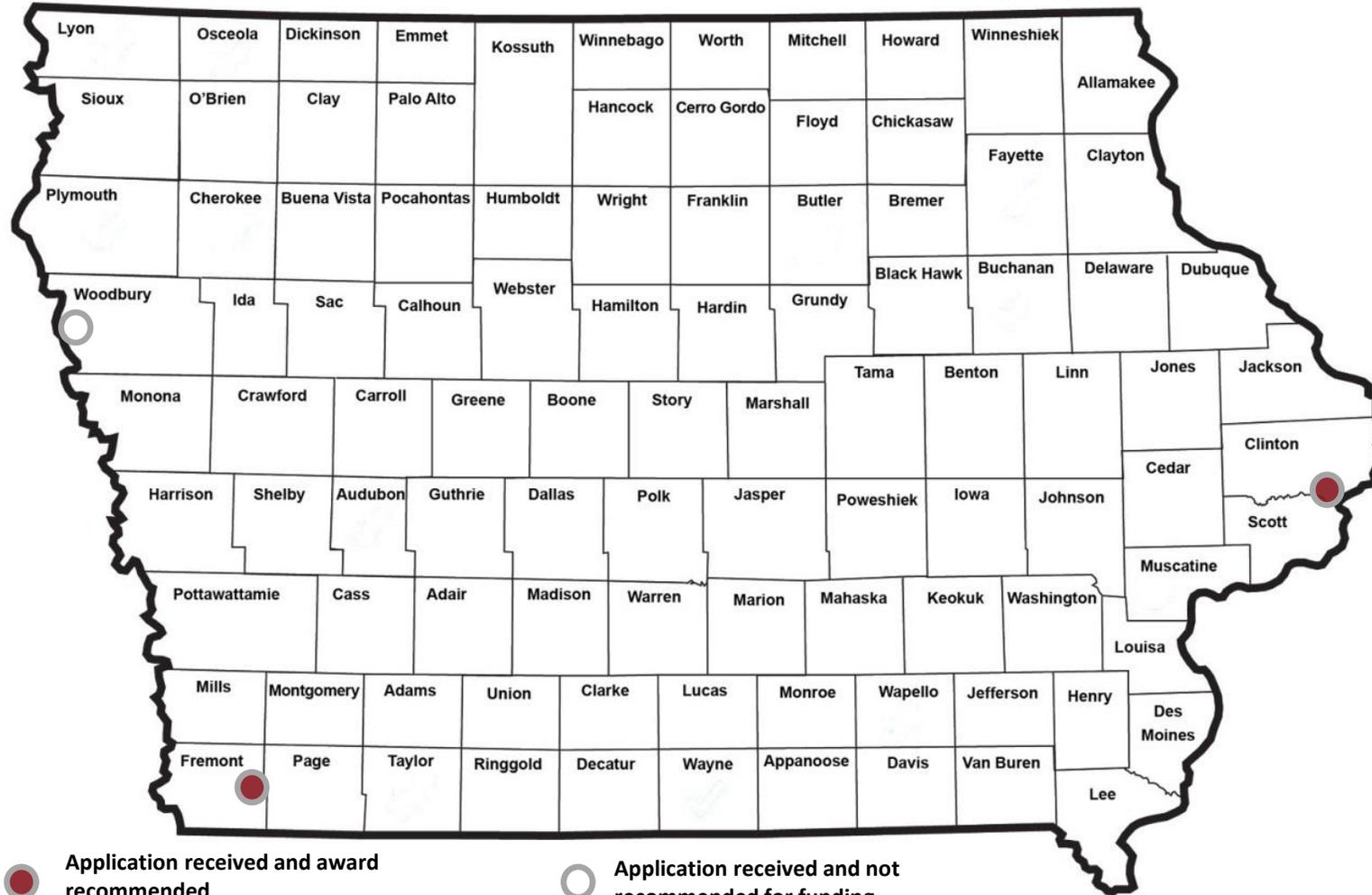
# Map of Applications Received

**Green Plains  
Shenandoah LLC-  
Fremont, Co**

Job creation: 12 jobs

Total project rail cost  
\$941,253

Recommendation:  
loan award \$424,000  
grant \$144,000



**Atlas Roofing  
Corporation- Clinton,  
Co**

Job creation: 117 jobs

Total project rail cost  
\$7,200,000

Recommendation:  
loan award \$715,000  
grant \$1,404,000

Application received and award recommended

Application received and not recommended for funding



*Thank you!*

Questions?



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