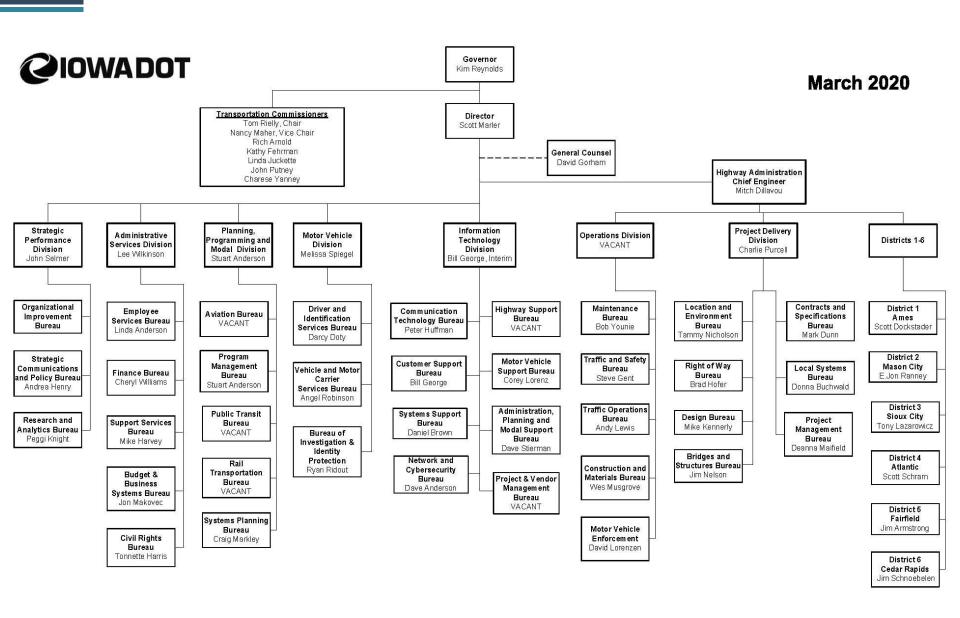
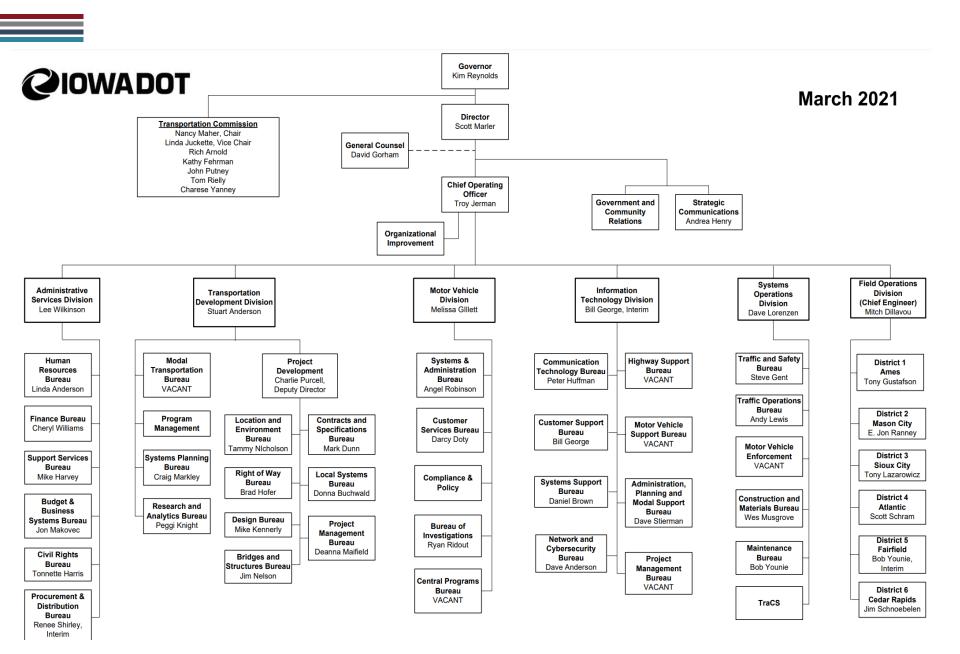
1:00 P.M.	Meeting Logistics and Welcome	Mark Wyatt
1:10 P.M.	Iowa DOT Organizational Restructuring	Craig Markley
	Update on the Iowa DOT organizational restructure and the new Transportation	
	Development Division.	
1:25 P.M.	COVID-19 Relief Recreational Trails Program	Deb Arp
	Share information related to the COVI-19 relief trail funding program, its guidelines,	Scott Flagg
	and application.	00
	https://iowadot.gov/systems_planning/Grant-Programs/-Federal-and-State-	
	Recreational-Trails	
1:40 P.M.	Iowa Legislature Update	Mark Wyatt
	Update on bicycle related bills introduced into the Iowa Legislature, 89th Legislative	
	Session	
1:55 P.M.	Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Implementation Updates	Milly Ortiz
	Complete Streets Policy, 2020 Fiscal Impact	
	Bicycle Compatibility Rating update	
	United States Bicycle Route System	
	Lewis and Clark Trail Signage	
2:15 P.M.	Breakout Session set-up	Milly Ortiz
2:20 P.M.	Breakout Session (More details would be sent prior to the meeting)	All Attendees
	Please come prepared to provide input regarding:	
	Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan's Implementation Actions	
	Future meeting structure, topics, etc.	
	Opportunities for improvement	
2:50 P.M.	Roundtable Announcements/Updates	All Attendees
	Open forum to share updates and information.	

#### PREVIOUS IOWA DOT ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



#### **IOWA DOT ORGANIZATIONAL RESTRUCTURING**



# COVID-19 RELIEF RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- ALL FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS APPLY
- ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS: FEDERAL, STATE, LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.
  - PARTNERSHIPS: Non-eligible project sponsor (such as a Non-profit) May partner with and eligible co-sponsor, if CO-sponsor will administer the project
- \$5 MILLION COMPETITIVE APPLICATION CYCLE
  - MINIMUM GRANT AMOUNT: \$500,000
  - Maximum grant amount: \$1.25 million
- PROJECT COMPLETION IN 2 YEARS

# COVID-19 RELIEF RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

- CONSTRUCTION OF NEW TRAILS
- Maintenance, resurfacing and restoration of existing recreational trails
- DEVELOPMENT AND REHAB OF TRAILSIDE FACILITIES AND TRAIL LINKAGES
- ACQUISITION OF EASEMENTS AND FEE SIMPLE TITLE TO PROPERTY FOR REC TRAILS AND CORRIDORS

## COVID-19 RELIEF RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM SCORING EMPHASIS

- THE DEGREE TO WHICH THE PROJECT PROVIDES DEVELOPMENT OF TRAIL LINKAGES INCLUDING TIES TO OTHER TRAILS. (40 POINTS)
- How the project aligns with the Iowa Bicycle and Pedestrian Long Range Plan and any applicable adopted regional, county, or municipal trail plan. (20 Points)
- THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE PROJECT TOWARD THE REQUIRED NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT (NEPA) COMPLIANCE AND PROJECT READINESS FOR DEVELOPMENT. (20 POINTS)
- THE DEGREE TO WHICH THE PROJECT WILL USE PROGRAM GRANT FUNDS TO LEVERAGE OTHER PUBLIC OR PRIVATE INVESTMENTS. (10 POINTS)
- THE DEGREE OF COMMITMENT TO CONTINUE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE PROJECT AFTER THE PROJECT IS COMPLETE (E.G. TRAIL MAINTENANCE FUND, ENDOWMENT, ETC.) (10 POINTS)

#### COVID-19 RELIEF RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM

- ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE EMAILED TO
   SCOTT.FLAGG@IOWADOT.US BEFORE 5:00 PM CST ON MAY
   17, 2021. NO HARDCOPIES.
- APPLICATION MATERIALS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE PROGRAM WEBSITE AT:
  - HTTPS://IOWADOT.GOV/SYSTEMS PLANNING/GRANT-PROGRAMS/-FEDERAL-AND-STATE-RECREATIONAL-TRAILS
- REVIEW THE GUIDANCE DOCUMENT BEFORE STARTING THE APPLICATION
- FUNDING DECISIONS ARE ANTICIPATED BY AUGUST 15<sup>TH</sup>.

**57** projects evaluated

23 projects excepted from the CSP per Section 2.2<sup>1</sup>

34 projects not excepted from CSP. Urban analysis and Rural Need Tests conducted.

CSP Sections 2.3.a, 2.3.b, & 2.4.a

**15** projects scoped with acceptable accommodations

**19** projects scoped without acceptable accommodations

# COMPLETE STREETS POLICY 2020 FISCAL IMPACT

**CSP SECTION 4.2** 

THE IOWA DOT SHALL REVIEW THE FISCAL IMPACT OF THIS POLICY UPON THE COMPLETION OF ONE FULL

PROGRAMMING AND PROJECT LETTING CYCLE FOLLOWING THE EFFECTIVE DATE IDENTIFIED IN SECTION 4.1, AND BIENNIALLY THEREAFTER.

18 project scopes
were not changed due to the cost of
accommodations being excessively
disproportionate to the need or
probable use

1 project scope
was modified to add bicycle and
pedestrian accommodations
(signage and pavement markings)

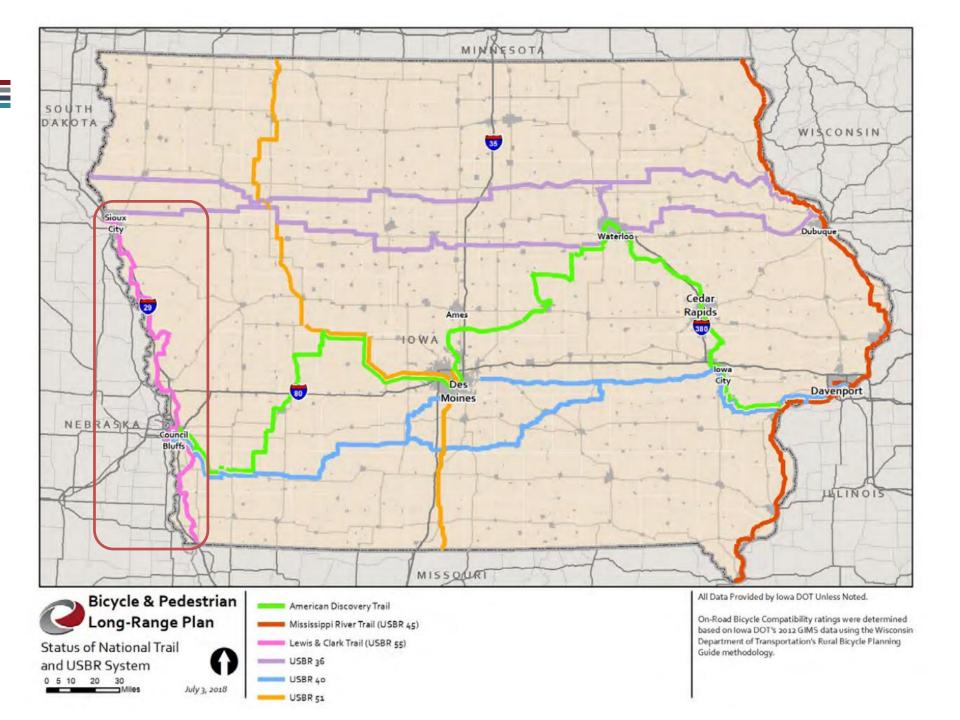
#### **BICYCLE COMPATIBILITY RATING**

- THE BICYCLE COMPATIBILITY RATING (BCR) WAS DESIGNED TO BE SENSITIVE TO THE CONDITIONS OF LOW AND MODERATE VOLUME RURAL ROADWAYS.
- THE BCR USES FACTORS INCLUDING AVERAGE DAILY TRAFFIC VOLUME,
   ROADWAY WIDTH, PERCENT SOLID YELLOW CENTER LINE (SIGHT DISTANCE), AND PERCENT TRUCK TRAFFIC.
- BASED ON THIS COMBINATION OF FACTORS, ROADWAY SEGMENTS ARE RATED "GOOD," "MODERATE," OR "POOR."

NEEDS TEST PASSED				
	3 or more	2 out of 5	1 out of 5	0 out of 5
Poor	20%	15%	10%	0%
Moderate	15%	10%	5%	0%
Good	10%	5%	3%	0%
	Moderate	Poor 20%  Moderate 15%	3 or more         2 out of 5           Poor         20%         15%           Moderate         15%         10%	3 or more         2 out of 5         1 out of 5           Poor         20%         15%         10%           Moderate         15%         10%         5%

Figure 5.6: The United States Bicycle Route System National Corridor Plan (June 2018)





#### **ROUNDTABLE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPDATES**



### **Open forum**

Share updates and information