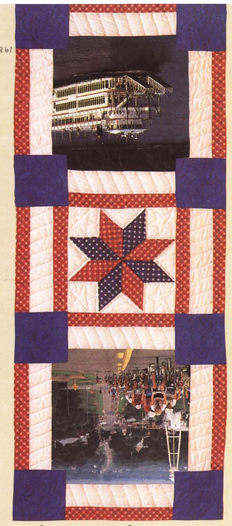

# Iowa Transportation Map

DISCOVER IOWA TREASURES.

Dear Traveler,

Welcome to Iowa — the beautiful land between two of America's Great Rivers.

As you travel our state you will feel the spirit of America. Iowa is blessed with diverse cultural and historic attractions; beautiful natural resources; exciting sporting and recreational events; and the friendliest people you could ever hope to meet.

You will see why we take pride in Iowa. Whether you stop for a day, visit a weekend or stay for a week or longer, I know your memories of Iowa will last a lifetime. Enjoy Iowa, the Heartland of America, where America's dream still works.

Terry E. Branstad
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IOWA QUALITY

Test your knowledge about Iowa!
Discover Iowa's quality.

**Tourist Attractions**

1. Where are the National Hot Air Balloon Championships held?
2. How many villages make up the Amana Colonies?
3. How many greyhound racetracks are there in Iowa?

**Famous Iowans**

4. What famous Iowan was born in Winterset?
5. Johnny Carson was born in this Iowa town?
6. Ronald Reagan was an announcer for which Des Moines radio station?

**Industry and Business**

7. Maytag, a national manufacturer of top quality home appliances, is located in?
8. How many Fortune 500 companies have plants in Iowa?
9. What Iowa community is considered a national insurance center?

**Quality of Life**

10. On what scholastic test do Iowa seniors rank highest in the nation?
11. How many symphony orchestras are supported in Iowa?
12. In Iowa, what is the per pupil expenditure in higher education?

**Geography**

13. What two major rivers form part of Iowa's borders?
14. What geographic formation is only found in western Iowa and China?

**Iowa History**

15. Near which Iowa town did Jesse James commit the first train robbery in history?
16. Who were the first explorers of Iowa's western border

**Other Iowa Facts**

17. What does the word "Iowa" mean?
18. What major league's Triple 'A' baseball team is in Iowa?

Answers:
1. Indianola
2. 31
3. 19
4. John Wayne
5. Johnny Carson
6. Ronald Reagan
7. Newton
8. 8,119
9. Des Moines
10. 10th
11. 15
12. $3,261
13. Mississippi & Missouri
14. Loess and Loess
15. Adair
16. Lewis and Clark
17. Beautiful Land
18. Chicago Cubs

# EASTERN IOWA

## FESTIVALS

| | |
|---|---|
| May | Dubuque Fest, Dubuque<br>Houby Days, Cedar Rapids |
| June | Burlington Steamboat Days<br>American Music Festival, Burlington<br>Grant Wood Festival, Stone City<br>Sturgis Falls Celebration, Cedar Falls |
| July | Bix Beiderbecke Memorial Jazz Festival, Davenport<br>Clinton Riverboat Days, Clinton<br>Nordic Fest, Decorah |
| August | Great River Days, Muscatine |
| September | Civil War Muster & Mercantile Exposition, Davenport<br>Fort Atkinson Rendevous, Fort Atkinson<br>Fort Madison Tri-State Rodeo/Festival, Fort Madison<br>Kalona Fall Festival, Kalona<br>Midwest Old Threshers Reunion, Mt. Pleasant<br>National Cattle Congress Fair, Waterloo |
| October | Forest Craft Festival, Lacey Keosauqua State Park |
| November | National Farm Toy Show, Dyersville |

## ETHNIC/CULTURAL TREASURES

**Amana Colonies**
The Amana's pictorial seven villages offer culinary delights in family-style restaurants and old world craftsmanship in their products.

**Cedar Rapids**
The Czech Village, near downtown Cedar Rapids, is full of charm and "old world" atmosphere. The Czech Museum features authentic antique costumes from Czechoslovakia.

**Decorah**
Stories of the Norwegian immigrant are replicated in the Vesterheim/Norwegian-American Museum. Displays include interiors of Norwegian homes and an 1850's log cabin.

**Kalona**
Kalona, known as the largest Amish-Mennonite community west of the Mississippi River, hosts tours of the Historical Village, the Wahl Museum and the Iowa Mennonite Museum and Archives.

**Saint Donatus**
Experience "a bit of Luxembourg in America" when you visit this quaint village. The Chapel on the Mount is modeled after Luxembourg's Chapel du Bilichen.

## ATTRACTIONS

Amana Colonies
Amana

Amana VIP Golf Tournament
Iowa City

Arsenal Island
Davenport

The Basilica of St. Francis Xavier
Dyersville

Billy Clock Museum
Spillville

Brucemore Inc.
Cedar Rapids

Buffalo Bill Cody Homestead
LeClaire

Cedar Rapids Museum of Art
Cedar Rapids

City of Clinton Showboat Museum
Clinton

Czech Village & Czech Museum
Cedar Rapids

Davenport Museum of Art and Putnam Museum
Davenport

Dubuque Greyhound Park
Dubuque

Fenelon Place Elevator
Dubuque

Grant Wood Art Colony
Stone City

Herbert Hoover Presidential Library & Museum
Herbert Hoover National Historic Site
West Branch

Ice House Museum
Cedar Falls

Kalona Historical Village
Kalona

Little Brown Church
Nashua

Montauk Historic Governor's Home
Clermont

National Farm Toy Museum
Dyersville

Old Capitol
Iowa City

Old Creamery Theatre
Garrison

Riverboat Museum
Dubuque

Roberts River Rides
Dubuque

Seven Ponds/The Farm
Burlington

Snake Alley Historic District
Burlington

Star Clipper Dinner Train
Waterloo

Villages of Van Buren County
(Includes the villages of Bentonsport, Keosauqua, Bonaparte and Farmington)

Vesterheim-Norwegian/ American Museum
Decorah

Village of East Davenport
Davenport

Walter Residence/Cedar Rock
Quasqueton

Waterloo Greyhound Park
Waterloo

## NATURAL RESOURCES

**Caves**
Crystal Lake Cave, Dubuque
Maquoketa Cave, Maquoketa
Spook Cave, McGregor

**Country Trails**
Cedar Valley Trail (52 miles): Cedar Rapids to Waterloo
Heritage Trail: Dubuque to Dyersville
Highway Bikeway: Pikes Peak State Park to Gutenburg
Riverside Trail: Cedar Falls - George Wyth State Park
Sac and Fox National Recreational Trail: Cedar Rapids

**Fish Hatcheries**
Big Springs
Fairport
Guttenburg
Manchester

**Indian Heritage**
Effigy Mounds National Monument, Marquette/ McGregor
Toolesboro Indian Mounds, Muscatine

**Lakes**
Coralville Lake

**Museums**
Grout Museum of History and Science, Waterloo
Museum of Natural History, Iowa City

**Prairies**
Hayden Prairie, Howard County

**Public Gardens**
Bever Park, Cedar Rapids
Crapo and Dankwardt Parks, Burlington
Dubuque Arboretum and Botanical Gardens, Dubuque
Japanese Gardens in Washington Park, Waterloo
Rand Park, Keokuk
Vander Veer Park, Davenport

**Rivers: Recreational Activities Available**
Des Moines River
Mississippi River
Turkey River
Upper Iowa River

**Ski Areas**
Nor-Ski Run, Decorah
Sundown, Dubuque

**State Forests**
Shimek
Yellow River

## INFORMATION SOURCES

**WELCOME CENTERS**

**Seasonal Interstate Centers** (Open mid May -- mid September)
**Davenport** On I-80 west of Middle Road Exit for westbound travelers.
**Victor** On I-80 east of Exit 205 west of Iowa City for eastbound travelers.
**Wilton** On I-80 west of Exit 271 between Davenport and Iowa City for westbound travelers.

**Year-Round Centers** (Open All Year)
Grant Wood Welcome Center
Anamosa
Clayton County Welcome Center (Opens — Winter '88)
Elkader
Burlington Welcome Center (Opens — Spring '88)
Burlington
Mississippi Valley Welcome Center (Opens — Fall '88)
LeClaire
Amana Visitor Orientation Center (Opens — Fall '88)
Amana

**CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAUS**

**Amana**
Amana Colonies Travel Council
P.O. Box 303
Amana, Iowa 52203
319/622-3828

**Bettendorf**
1708 Grant Street
Bettendorf, Iowa 52722
319/355-4753

**Burlington**
807 Jefferson Street
Burlington, IA 52601
319/752-6365

**Cedar Rapids**
424 1st Avenue N.E.
Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52407
319/364-2591

**Clinton**
333 Fourth Avenue South
Clinton, Iowa 52732
319/242-5702

**Davenport**
106 East 3rd Street
Davenport, Iowa 52801
319/322-5142

**Dubuque**
770 Town Clock Plaza
Dubuque, Iowa 52001
319/557-9200

**Iowa City-Coralville**
325 East Washington;
P.O. Box 2358
Iowa City, Iowa 52244
319/337-6592

**Keokuk**
401 Main
Keokuk, Iowa 53632
319/524-5055

**Muscatine**
Box 297
Muscatine, Iowa 52761
319/263-8895

**Waterloo**
215 East Fourth Street
Waterloo, Iowa 50704
319/233-8431

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# CENTRAL IOWA

## FESTIVALS

| | |
|---|---|
| April | Drake Relays and Festival, Des Moines |
| May | Tulip Time Festival, Pella |
| June | Iowa Pride Bell Tower Festival, Jefferson<br>North Iowa Bank Festival, Mason City<br>Scandinavian Days, Story City |
| July | Czech Folk Fest, Traer |
| July/ August | National Hobo Convention, Britt<br>U.S. National Hot Air Balloon Championships, Indianola |
| August | Iowa Games, Ames<br>Iowa State Fair, Des Moines<br>Mesquakie Annual Indian Pow-Wow, Tama<br>National Sprint Car Championships, Knoxville |
| September | Pufferbilly Days, Boone |
| October | Covered Bridge Festival, Winterset |

## ETHNIC/CULTURAL TREASURES

**Bloomfield**
Tour this Amish village to see willow furniture, buggy shop, general store, farms and unique quilts.

**Pella**
The architecture of this largely Dutch community transports the visitor to the atmosphere of an old-world village in Holland. Enjoy delightful Dutch pastries and meats in the spring, view thousands of colorful tulips as they bloom.

**Story City**
This Scandinavian village is the home of an antique carousel. A restored masterpiece, the hand-carved figures of Herschell-Sillman carousel include horses and other farm animals such as roosters, hogs and dogs. To add to the atmosphere, the Wurlitzer band organ provides calliope-type music for the rides.

**Tama**
The Mesquakie Indians, known for their artistry and craftsmanship, live on a settlement (not a reservation) along the Iowa River. Each year, the Mesquakies host an Indian Pow-Wow that pays homage to their ancestrial customs.

## ATTRACTIONS

Adventureland Park
Altoona

Amish Cottage Industries
Davis County

The Boone & Scenic Valley Railroad
Boone

Marmie Doud Eisenhower Birthplace
Boone

Floyd County Historical Society Museum
Charles City

Fort Smith
Ollie

Haverhill Blacksmith Shop
Haverhill

Liberty Hall Historic Center
Lamoni

Charles H. MacNider Museum
Mason City

Covered Bridge Country
Winterset

Nelson Pioneer Farm and Craft Museum
Oskaloosa

Prairie School Homes
Mason City

Salisbury House
Des Moines

Schotte House and Historical Village
Pella

State Capitol
Des Moines

State of Iowa Historical Building
Des Moines

Story City Antique Carousel
Story City

Terrace Hill
Des Moines

Timberland Museum
Forest City

Trainland U.S.A.
Colfax

Wapello County Historical Museum
Ottumwa

John Wayne Birthplace
Winterset

Wayne County Historical Museum
Corydon

## NATURAL RESOURCES

**Country Trails**
Big Creek State Park Trail: Polk City
Chichaqua Valley Trail: Bondurant to Mingo to Baxter
Cinder Path Trail: Chariton to Derby
Comet Trail: Conrad to Beaman
Prairie Rail Trail: Roland to McCallsburg to Zearing
Saylorville/Des Moines River Trail: Des Moines to Saylorville

**Fish Hatchery**
Lake Rathbun

**Historic Farm**
Living History Farms, Des Moines

**Indian Heritage**
Mesquakie Indian Settlement, Tama

**Lakes**
Clear Lake
Lake Rathbun
Lake Red Rock
Saylorville

**Museum**
Science Center of Iowa, Des Moines

**Public Gardens**
Arie Den Beor Arboretum in Water Works Park, Des Moines
Des Moines Botanical Center, Des Moines
Ewing Arboretum, Des Moines
The Rose Garden in Greenwood Park, Des Moines
Rose Garden, State Center

**Rivers: Recreational Activities Available**
Boone River
Des Moines River
Raccoon River

**Ski Areas**
Fun Valley, Montezuma
Ski Valley, Boone

**Zoo**
Blank Park Zoo, Des Moines

## INFORMATION SOURCES

**WELCOME CENTERS**

**Seasonal Interstate Centers**
(Open mid May through mid September)
Clear Lake
On I-35 south of Exit 197 just north of Clear Lake/Mason City for southbound travelers.
Des Moines
On I-80 west of Exit 121 just west of Des Moines for westbound travelers.
Davis City
On I-35 north of Exit 4 near the state line for northbound travelers.

**Year-Round Centers** (Open All Year)
Davis County Visitor Center
Bloomfield
Dows Depot Welcome Center (Opens — Fall '88)
Dows

**CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAUS**

**Ames**
Room 98, Scheman Building
Iowa State University
Ames, Iowa 50011
515/296-7000

**Des Moines**
309 Court Avenue, Suite 300
Des Moines, Iowa 50309
515/286-4960 or 287-4396

**Mason City**
15 First Street N.E.; P.O. Box 1128
Mason City, Iowa 50401
515/423-5724

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# WESTERN IOWA

## FESTIVALS

| | |
|---|---|
| January | Iowa Great Lakes Winter Games, Arnolds Park |
| March | St. Patrick's Celebration, Emmetsburg |
| May | Annual Tulip Festival, Orange City<br>"Tivoli Fest," Elk Horn |
| June | Frontier Days, Fort Dodge<br>Glenn Miller Festival, Clarinda<br>Junction Days, Red Oak |
| July | Black Hawk Summer Water Carnival, Lake View<br>Earl May Trail Gardens Open House, Shenandoah<br>Rivercade, Sioux City<br>Star Spangled Spectacular, Storm Lake |
| August | Aviation Expo, Ida Grove<br>Sidney Championship Rodeo, Sidney |
| September | Clay County Fair, Spencer<br>Old-Time Country Music Contest/Pioneer Festival, Avoca |

## ETHNIC/CULTURAL TREASURES

**Elk Horn-Kimballton**
These communities were settled by Danish immigrants during the late 19th century. In 1975, the residents of Elk Horn bought a tapered, shingled windmill from Norre Shede in the Danish province of Jutland and reconstructed it along Main Street. Visitors are welcomed to tour the mill and sample Danish delicacies in the shops around the square.

**Emmetsburg**
The "wearing of the green" dominates this northwest village during the Feast of Patron Saint Patrick. Authentic Irish stew. Irish tea and sometimes visitors from its Sister City — Dublin — create a St. Patrick's Celebration that is unforgettable.

**Orange City**
Founded by Dutch settlers from Pella, this community sparkles as thousands of colorful tulips burst open each spring, and residents celebrate the Dutch heritage during an annual Tulip Time Festival.

**Stanton**
To the Swedes who live in Stanton, the world's largest coffeepot (made from an old water tower) signifies hospitality.

## ATTRACTIONS

Iowa's Antique City
Walnut

Bertrand Museum
Missouri Valley

The Blanden Memorial Art Museum
Fort Dodge

Bluffs Run Greyhound Park
Council Bluffs

Buena Vista Historical Museum
Storm Lake

Clover Ridge Lake Panorama
National Golf Course and Tennis Courts
Lake Panorama

Danish Windmill
Elk Horn

Simon E. Dow House
Dow City

Fort Dodge Historical Museum
Fort Dodge

Gardner Log Cabin
Arnolds Park

General Dodge House
Council Bluffs

Grotto of the Redemption
West Bend

Harrison County Historical Village
Missouri Valley

Icarian Schoolhouse
Corning

K.D. Stockyard Station
Sioux City

Kossuth County Historical Museum
Le Mars

W. A. McHenry House
Denison

Plymouth County Historical Museum
Algona

Queen II
Arnolds Park

Sanford Museum and Planetarium
Cherokee

Squirrel Cage Jail
Council Bluffs

Stanton Coffee Pot
Stanton

Stempel Bird Collection
Council Bluffs

Todd House
Tabor

World's Largest Bull
Audubon

## NATURAL RESOURCES

**Apple Orchards**
Harrison County

**Country Trails**
Dickinson County Trails: Okoboji to Spirit Lake
Ruddle Jumper Trail: Orange City to Alton

**Fish Hatcheries**
Spirit Lake

**Hunting**
Large numbers of hunters stalk Iowa's fields, woodlands and marshes seeking a variety of game — pheasant, quail, wild turkey, duck, goose, grouse and white-tailed deer.

**Indian Heritage**
Blood Run Archeological Site, Lyon County
Chief War Eagle's Grave, Sioux City
Wittrock Indian Village Site, Sutherland

**Lakes**
Black Hawk Lake
East Okoboji Lake
Spirit Lake
Storm Lake
West Okoboji Lake

**Public Gardens**
Kokes Rock and Flower Garden, Orange City
Littlefield Wilderness, Exira
Seed and Nursery Center of the World, Shenandoah

**Prairie**
Ericson Prairie, Stanton
Kalsow Prairie, Pocahontas County
Loess Hills, Woodbury and Plymouth Counties

**Rivers: Recreational Activities Available**
Missouri River
Raccoon River

**Ski Areas**
Mt. Crescent Ski Area, Crescent
Riverside Hills, Estherville
Silver Creek, Humbolt
Sunset Ski Area, Cherokee

**Wildlife**
DeSoto Wildlife Refuge, Missouri Valley

## INFORMATION SOURCES

**WELCOME CENTERS**

**Seasonal Interstate Centers**
(Open mid May through mid September)
Sergeant Bluff
On I-29 south of Exit 141 south of Sioux City for southbound travelers.
Underwood
On I-80 north of Exit 17 northeast of Council Bluffs for eastbound travelers.

**Year-Round Centers** (Open All Year)
Emmetsburg Welcome Center (Opens — Winter '88)
Emmetsburg
Danish Windmill Welcome Center (Opens — Spring '88)
Elk Horn
Harrison County Welcome Center (Opens — Fall '88)
Missouri Valley
Sergeant Floyd Welcome Center (Opens — Fall '88)
Sioux City

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119 South Main, Suite 150
Council Bluffs, Iowa 51501
712/325-1000

**Sioux City**
Terra Centre 600 4th Street
Sioux City, Iowa 51101
712/255-7903

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Hwy 71
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## STATE PARKS AND RECREATION AREAS

| | Map Index | Camping (No. of Sites) | Cabins | Trailer Sewage Disposal | Electrical Hook ups | Fishing | Hiking Trails | Swimming | Fishing | Golf Course | Historic Interest | Snowmobiling |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ambrose A. Call | E-6 | 32 | | | | • | | • | | | | |
| Backbone | I-5 | 214 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Badger Creek | E-3 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Beeds Lake | F-6 | 144 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Bellevue | K-5 | 32 | • | | | • | | • | | | • | • |
| Big Creek | E-4 | | | | | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Black Hawk Lake | C-5 | 176 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Bob White | F-1 | 32 | | | | • | | • | | | | • |
| Brown Lake | A-3 | 40 | • | • | | • | | • | | | | • |
| Brushy Creek | E-5 | 100 | | | | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Coyote Prairie | C-7 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Clarks Ferry * | J-3 | 45 | • | | | • | | • | • | | | |
| Clear Lake | F-6 | 224 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Cold Springs | C-3 | 30 | | | | • | • | • | • | | | |
| Cordsville Lake * | I-4 | 154 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Crystal Lake | E-7 | 50 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| DeSoven Memorial | E-5 | 41 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | • | • |
| Elk Rock (Red Rock) | F-3 | 46 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Emerson Bay | C-7 | 17 | | | | • | | • | • | | | |
| Fairport | J-3 | 45 | | | | • | | • | • | | | |
| Fish Farm Mounds | H-7 | | | | | | • | | | | • | |
| Fort Atkinson | H-7 | 32 | | | | • | | • | • | | • | • |
| Fort Defiance | D-7 | | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Geode | C-7 | 200 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| George Wyth Memorial | G-5 | 64 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Green Valley | C-7 | 135 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Grove Point | D-7 | 12 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Hayden Prairie | G-7 | | | | | | | | | | • | |
| Heery Woods | G-4 | 30 | | | | • | | • | • | | | |
| Hobo Forest | C-4 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Honey Creek (Rathbun) | D-2 | 117 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Isthmus Access | C-7 | 48 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Kalsow Prairie | D-5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lacey-Keosauqua | H-1 | 160 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Ahquabi | F-3 | 176 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Anita | D-3 | 144 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Cornelia | E-6 | 30 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Darling | H-2 | 115 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Keomah | D-3 | 88 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Macbride | I-4 | 122 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Manawa | B-2 | 70 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake of Three Fires | D-1 | 160 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lake Wapello | D-2 | 128 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Ledges | E-4 | 82 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Lewis and Clark | A-4 | 58 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | • | • |
| McIntosh Woods | F-6 | 50 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Maquoketa Caves | I-4 | 32 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Marble Beach | C-7 | 224 | | | | | | | | | | • |
| Marge Frankel Woods | F-3 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mill Creek | B-6 | 50 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Minas of Spain | J-3 | | | | | • | | • | | | • | |
| Mini-Wakan | C-7 | | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Nine Eagles | E-1 | 128 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Oak Grove | A-6 | 70 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Oakland Mills | I-7 | 41 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Okamanpedan | D-7 | | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Palisades-Kepler | I-4 | 75 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Pammel | E-3 | 32 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Pikes Peak | I-6 | 80 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Pikes Point | C-7 | | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Pillsbury Point | C-7 | | | | | • | | • | | | | |
| Pilot Knob | F-7 | 80 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Pine Lake | C-5 | 128 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Pleasant Creek | I-4 | 72 | | | | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Prairie Rose | C-3 | 112 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Preparation Canyon | B-4 | | | | | • | | • | | | | |
| Rathbun Reservoir * | E-2 | 855 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Red Haw Lake | F-2 | 86 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Red Rock Reservoir * | F-3 | 422 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Rice Lake | F-7 | | | | | • | | • | • | | | |
| Rock Creek | C-4 | 432 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Saylorville Reservoir * | E-4 | 400 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Shady Creek * | J-1 | 79 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Sharon Bluffs | G-1 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Sheeder Prairie | D-3 | | | | | • | | | | | • | |
| Shimek Forest | I-1 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Spring Lake | E-4 | 50 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Springbrook | D-4 | 200 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Stephens Forest | F-5 | | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Stone | A-3 | 44 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Swan Lake | I-4 | 200 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Troopers Bay | C-7 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Turkey River Mounds | H-6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Union Grove | G-4 | 32 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Viking Lake | C-2 | 128 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Volga River | H-6 | 48 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Walnut Woods | E-3 | 28 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Wanata | E-6 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Wapsipinicon | I-4 | 30 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Waubonsie | B-1 | 128 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| White Pine Hollow | I-5 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Wildcat Den | J-3 | 32 | | | | • | | • | • | | | • |
| Wilson Island | B-3 | 150 | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | | | • |
| Woodman Hollow | E-5 | | | | | • | | | | | | |
| Yellow River Forest | I-7 | | | | | • | | | | | | |

Recreation areas operated by the Corps of Engineers are indicated by an asterisk. These facilities have highly developed camping sites and are accessible to the handicapped. For more information about these facilities contact the Natural Resource Management Branch, Rock Island District, Corps of Engineers, Clock Tower Building, P.O. Box 2004, Rock Island, Illinois 61204-2004. Phone: 309/788-6361, ext. 6332.

In addition to the parks and recreational areas listed above, Iowa has over 250 county parks providing a vast array of camping, boating, fishing, and hunting opportunities. For more information, contact the Iowa Department of Natural Resources, Wallace State Office Building, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. Phone: 515/281-5145.

**PARK USER PERMITS**

**All motorized vehicles parked in Iowa's state parks must display a park user permit. Annual permits may be purchased at the park office, county recorders offices, or the Department of Natural Resources office in Des Moines. Daily permits are available on a self-service basis at locations near the entrance of each park. An annual permit costs $5.50. A second annual permit may be purchased by a member of the same household for $2. Daily permits cost $2.**

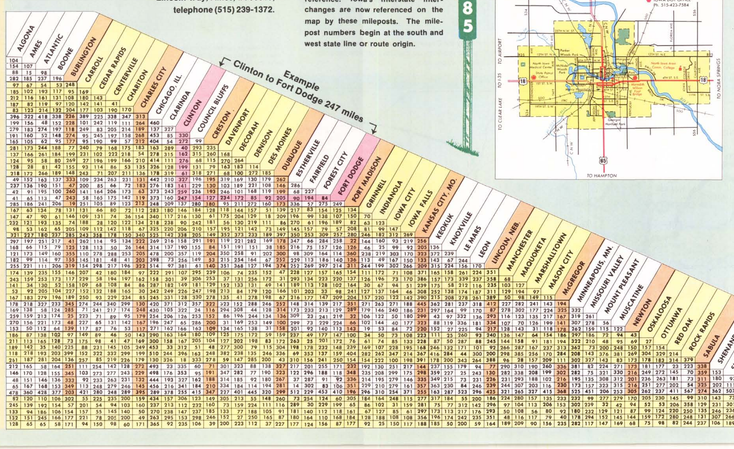
**HISTORIC HIGHWAY MAP TRANSPORTATION HISTORY BOOK**

**This map shows the present transportation system in Iowa. If you would like to know the history of this system, the Iowa Department of Transportation has additional material you may find interesting.**

**Many of today's highways follow the approximate routes used by the settlers of the state. In the early 1900s the main routes were given names rather than the numbers now used. The names of more than 60 of these early highways were registered with the Iowa State Highway Commission from 1914 through 1925. These pioneer roadways are shown on a colorful map, which uses the present-day transportation map as a background to show how the old highways formed the basis of today's highway system.**

**For a more detailed description, the Iowa Department of Transportation also will have available in 1988 a book, "Transportation in Iowa; A Historical Summary," Written by William H. Thompson, Iowa State University professor emeritus and an internationally recognized transportation authority, the book traces the development of transportation in Iowa from the territorial days to the mid-1980s. In the chronology, Thompson details the influence state and federal legislation had on transportation in Iowa. More than 140 illustrations bring the text to life in a fascinating book that will be a prize possession for anyone interested in the history of Iowa.**

**For further information about the book or map, or to obtain order forms, contact the Iowa Department of Transportation, Bureau of Policy and Information, 800 Lincoln Way, Ames, IA 50010, telephone (515) 239-1372.**

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**TRUCK PERMITS AND MOTOR VEHICLES - A 24-hour truck permit center is located at 5238 N.W. 2nd Ave., Des Moines, Ia., 50313, just north of Interstate 80. Instant service is available on reciprocity, trip, over dimension, overweight permits and fuel permit applications for Iowa and other states. Call 515-281-5827. For information on driver licenses, motor vehicle registration and inspection, call toll free 1-800-532-1121, in Iowa.**

## LOGO SIGNING

**Iowa has established a logo signing program to aid motorists in identifying services along the Interstate and Freeway Primary Systems. The greatest required travel distance for a particular service is displayed under the directional arrow on the logo panel on the exit ramp. No mileage is displayed if all participating business are within one mile of the signed route. As you travel look for this Logo Signing.**

## DETOUR MAP

**The highways shown on this Transportation Map allow you, the traveler, to get to your destination quickly and safely. However, repairs must be made to keep these routes safe and efficient. Therefore, you may encounter road maintenance or repair operations that could affect your travel.**

**To allow you to plan a route that would avoid areas where highways are being worked on, the Iowa Department of Transportation publishes the "Iowa Detour and Road Embargo Map." This map shows which roads are being worked on; where traffic is restricted; roads closed, and the approximate route of the detour or alternate route; and which roads are restricted to vehicles weighing less than the maximum allowable limits. The detour map is published twice from March through December.**

**For truck and bus operators, there is also an "Iowa Bridge Embargo Map" which shows the bridges restricted to weights less than the maximum limits.**

**For more information about these maps, or to obtain single copies or a year's subscription, contact the Office of Maintenance, Iowa Department of Transportation, 800 Lincoln Way, Ames, IA 50010, telephone (515) 239-1197.**

## IOWA STATE PATROL

| | Phone No. |
|---|---|
| State Hdqtrs, Des Moines | 515-281-5824 |
| District No. 1 Des Moines | 515-281-5114 |
| District No. 2 Osceola | 515-342-2108 |
| District No. 3 Atlantic | 712-243-4224 |
| District No. 4 Denison | 712-263-4621 |
| District No. 5 Cherokee | 712-225-5119 |
| District No. 6 Spencer | 712-262-1424 |
| District No. 7 Fort Dodge | 515-955-4646 |
| District No. 8 Mason City | 515-424-3625 |
| District No. 9 Cedar Falls | 319-266-2677 |
| District No. 10 Oelwein | 319-283-5521 |
| District No. 11 Cedar Rapids | 319-396-1944 |
| District No. 12 Davenport | 319-359-0388 |
| District No. 13 Mt. Pleasant | 319-385-8715 |
| District No. 14 Ottumwa | 515-682-4589 |

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**IOWA D.O.T. DIRECTORIES AVAILABLE: Information on BUS and TAXI service can be obtained in a directory TRANSIT ATLAS by writing the Air and Transit Division, International Airport, Des Moines, Iowa, 50321. Phone (515) 281-4265. An IOWA AIRPORT DIRECTORY and an AERONAUTICAL CHART are available by writing the Air and Transit Division, International Airport, Des Moines, Iowa, 50321. Phone (515) 281-4280.**

| | Phone: | Address: |
|---|---|---|
| Main Off. | 515-239-1101 | 800 Lincoln Way, Ames, 50010 |
| Dist. 1 | 515-239-1635 | 1020 S. 4th St., Ames, 50010 |
| Dist. 2 | 515-423-7584 | Box 741, Mason City, 50401 |
| Dist. 3 | 712-276-1451 | Box 987, Sioux City, 51102 |
| Dist. 4 | 712-243-3355 | Box 406, Atlantic, 50022 |
| Dist. 5 | 515-472-4171 | Box 587, Fairfield, 52556 |
| Dist. 6 | 319-364-0235 | 430, 16th Ave. S.W., Cedar Rapids, 52404 |

## TAKE A SECOND AND DEVELOP A LIFETIME HABIT

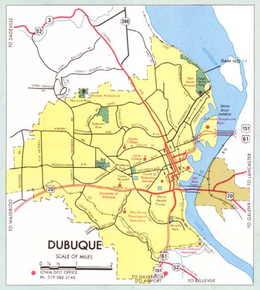
**We hope you are among the growing number of motorists who are complying with Iowa's Safety Belt and Child Safety Seat Laws. During the first year Iowa's Safety Belt Law was in effect 157 men, women and children survived life-threatening crashes because they were buckled up. Iowa's life-saving Safety Belt and Child Safety Seat Laws are working. Make them work for you.**

Buckle Up For Life
It's Our Law

**BICYCLISTS share Iowa's roadways with other vehicles. They have all the rights and duties applicable to drivers of motor vehicles. Head lamp and rear reflectors are required for night operation. Iowa's extensive paved county road system, local city street and special bicycle paths provide excellent route selection for the bicyclists. Bicycling the rolling Iowa countryside is fun and energy-efficient. Motorists, please have patience and share the roadway safely with your fellow taxpayer.**

## MILEPOSTS

**Mileposts, installed at one-mile intervals along Iowa's rural primary highways, aid motorists and traffic officers in accurately locating and reporting accidents or emergencies. The markers may also be used by motorists for trip reference. Iowa's Interstate interchanges are now referenced on the map by these mileposts. The milepost numbers begin at the south and west state line or route origin.**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