## Water Resource Restoration Sponsored Projects



## Goals of Presentation

- To provide background on lowa's SRF programs
- To provide details on the new Sponsored Projects effort
- To set the stage for Wayne's presentation


## SRF Background

## SRF programs authorized by Clean Water Act and Safe Drinking Water Act and administered by U.S. <br> Environmental <br> Protection Agency



## SRF Background

## Program frameworks and eligibility set by federal law, but each state can set its own priorities for use of funds




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## Growth in SRF Assistance



## SRF for Nonpoint


$\$ 190$ million since 2003

## SRF for Nonpoint

- Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship agreement
- Soil and Water

Conservation Districts

- Natural Resources Conservation Service




## Sponsored Projects

- Inspiration from Ohio
- Needed legislative change to lowa's municipal finance law
- "Locally directed"
- "Watershed based"
- Pilot project with the City of Dubuque




## Step-by-Step Approach

Watershed Approach - what are the problems and issues

Protecting Water Resources what waterbodies are important to the local area

What Can be Done - what practices can have an effect


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## Project Partnerships

Wastewater utilities must partner with conservation organizations such as Soil and Water Conservation Districts, Watershed Management Authorities, County Conservation Boards


Technical assistance, review, and oversight is provided to each applicant through the DNR project managers, lowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship, and lowa State University

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## Project Locations as of January 2015



| 1 | Albert City |
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| 2 | Ames |
| 3 | Blakesburg |
| 4 | Buffalo |
| 5 | Cedar Rapids |
| 6 | Clinton |
| 7 | Coggon |
| 8 | Davenport |
| 9 | Donnellson |
| 10 | Dubuque |
| 11 | Dubuque |
| 12 | Durant |
| 13 | Epworth |
| 14 | Fairbank |
| 15 | Fairfield |
| 16 | Fort Dodge |
| 17 | Fort Madison |
| 18 | Granger |
| 19 | Hampton |


| 20 | Kalona |
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| 21 | Keokuk |
| 22 | Keokuk |
| 23 | Kingsley |
| 24 | Kiron |
| 25 | Laurens |
| 26 | Lohrville |
| 27 | Monona |
| 28 | New London |
| 29 | Newhall |
| 30 | Ottumwa |
| 31 | Prairie City |
| 32 | Rockwell City |
| 33 | Seymour |
| 34 | Sioux City |
| 35 | Sioux City |
| 36 | State Parks (DNR) |
| 37 | Des Moines WRA |
| 38 | Des Moines WRA |

## Dollar Amounts Committed

| Pilot Project (FY 2013) | $\$ 9,400,000$ |
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| Round 1 (FY 2014) | $\$ 12,900,000$ |
| Round 2 (FY 2015) | $\$ 5,900,000$ |
| Round 3 (FY 2015) | $\$ 4,000,000$ |
| Round 4 (FY 2016) | $\$ 10,000,000$ |
| Total | $\$ 42,200,000$ |

## For More Information

 http://www.iowasrf.com/about_srf/sponsored-projects-home-page/

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