

Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program Application

The Iowa Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program is designed to assist retail operators of motor fuel dispensing sites or fueling stations in the conversion of their equipment to allow the expanded use of renewable fuels in Iowa. The program utilizes grant incentives to encourage these upgrades.

Reimbursement can be for 50% of the costs for specific components of a project with a three-year commitment required to sell certain renewable fuels. A five year commitment to store and sell renewable fuels and install certain equipment can result in up to 70% reimbursement for specific equipment or installation costs. Heated biodiesel terminal equipment and/or infrastructure can receive funding for up to \$100,000 per project.

The grant program is managed by Paul Ovrom, Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship (IDALS), PH: 515-242-6239, paul.ovrom@iowaagriculture.gov

Applications may be submitted for review by the RFIP Board up to 15 days prior to a scheduled quarterly meeting.

Quarterly meetings and application deadlines are posted online at <http://www.iowaagriculture.gov/agMarketing/IRFIP.asp>

Once complete, the (1) application and (2) equipment list are to be sent to:

<p>Mail: Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Board Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship ATTN: Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program 502 East 9th Street Des Moines, Iowa 50319</p>	<p>Fax: (515) 281-8025 E-mail: renewablefuelgrants@iowaagriculture.gov</p>
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This application is subject to change and revision at anytime, please check the Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program website at <http://www.iowaagriculture.gov/agMarketing/IRFIP.asp> for the most recent revision. All applications are subject to the latest revisions.

Notice to Applicants – Open Records Information and the Renewable Fuels Promotions Information Sheet

Upon submitting this application to the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship, it becomes an open record available for public inspection. Accompanying this application is the Notice to Applicants – Open Records section, please review the application and supporting materials and mark one of the following:

- No request. I have reviewed the Notice to Applicants – Open Records section included with the application. I understand that upon filing this application it becomes an open record available for public inspection.
- Yes, there is information in this application for which the applicant requests confidential treatment. Please refer to the accompanying instructions and Example and Request for Confidential Treatment Form. Complete the Request for Confidential Treatment Form and submit with application. If submitting more than one application, then a completed Request for Confidential Treatment Form must be submitted with each application.

I hereby certify that all representations, warranties, or statements made or furnished to the Department in connection with this application are true and correct in all material respect. I also certify that the renewable fuel infrastructure presented in this application will not be used to store or dispense motor fuel other than E85 gasoline, biodiesel, or biodiesel blended fuel, unless granted a waiver by the Infrastructure Board.

Name and Title (typed or printed) _____
Date

Signature

To be completed by Department Staff Only

Has the applicant received grant funds for this project location previously? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Contract No.		What	
Date		Award Amount	

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Name			
Location		Reference #	
Amount Funded		Total Project Cost	
<input type="checkbox"/> Completed <input type="checkbox"/> Under Construction <input type="checkbox"/> Proposed			

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Business Name			
Contact Name and Title*			
* Is the contact person above authorized to obligate the business? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (If no, please provide the name and title of a company officer authorized to obligate the Business)			
Today's Date	Federal Identification Number (FEIN)		
Street Address			
City, State, Zip			
Phone Number	Fax Number		
Email			
Facility Name**			
** If different from the Business Name		Federal Identification Number (FEIN)	
Contact Person and Title*			
Street Address			
City, State, Zip			
Phone Number	Fax Number		
Email			
Project Description <i>(Please describe the proposed project. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet.)</i>			
This application applies to:	Completed project	Under construction	Proposed (check one)
(choose one)	New Construction	Update to Existing Site	
If this is a completed project:	Enter project total cost: _____ Date first used to dispense fuel _____		
Will you be requesting a supplemental grant?	Yes	No	Name Initial Site
Project Description: * Required			
How did you learn about the Renewable Fuels Infrastructure Program?			
Grant Information <i>(With Regards to Previous Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program Funds.)</i>			
Has the applicant received grant funds for this <i>Project Location</i> previously? No Yes <i>(If yes, complete the rows below.)</i>			
Location	Project		
Date Awarded	Award Amount		
Communication Information <i>(We will use this information to send all communication and payments.)</i>			
Contact Name			
Street Address			
City, State, Zip			
Phone Number			
Email			

Dispenser Information

(Please check and fill out information related to the dispenser.)

Costs of equipment directly associated with marketing and dispensing Renewable Fuels must be identified/itemized, including E85 or registered E15 & biodiesel dispenser applications for the same site. If applicant is installing dual (E85 or registered E15 and biodiesel) dispensers, an application for the E85 or registered E15 dispenser and biodiesel dispenser must be submitted separately. All costs must be itemized on each application. Also, to be eligible, an E85 dispenser with a blender dispenser must be, at least, in the process of being tested by an independent laboratory. NOTE: Applicants may apply for only one ethanol dispenser grant – either E85 or registered 15, unless the combined grant request for registered E15 and E85 dispensers does not exceed the maximum grant award.

Three year contract:

- \$ _____ for Retail E85 (50% cost share, Max. award per site \$30,000)
- \$ _____ for Retail Registered E15 (50% cost share, Max. award per site \$30,000)
- \$ _____ for Retail Biodiesel (50% cost share, Max. award per site \$30,000)

Five year contract:

- \$ _____ for Retail E85 (70% cost share, Max. award per site \$50,000)
- \$ _____ for Retail Registered E15 (70% cost share, Max. award per site \$50,000)
- \$ _____ for Retail Biodiesel (70% cost share, Max. award per site \$50,000)
- \$ _____ for B2-B98 Biodiesel Terminal (50% cost share, Max. award per site \$50,000)_
- \$ _____ for B99/B100 Biodiesel Terminal (50% cost share, Max. award per site \$100,000)

Site Information:

_____ Estimated Annual Usage of Renewable Fuel (in gallons)

If requesting a registered E15 grant, specify how E15 will be dispensed: _____ dedicated hose or _____ single hose/nozzle with E10 and/or E0*

*A copy of the letter submitted to EPA requesting authorization to sell E15 as a registered fuel must accompany the application.

Above Ground Tank Below Ground Tank

Is it a blender pump? Yes No

Funding Information:

Source of Funds	Amount	Use of Funds	Cost
Infrastructure Program	\$	Site Preparation	\$
Federal Incentives	\$	Tank (below ground)	\$
Local Government	\$	Tank (above ground)	\$
Applicant Investment	\$	Piping	\$
	\$	New Dispenser	\$
	\$	New Dispenser Upgrades	\$
Other (if necessary use separate sheet and enter total here)	\$	Other (if necessary use separate sheet and enter total here)	\$
TOTAL (must equal the total to the right)	\$	TOTAL (must equal the total to the left)	\$

Installer Information:

(Contact Information of Licensed Installer)

<input type="checkbox"/> Qualified AST Installer	Name	Phone Number
<input type="checkbox"/> UST Iowa Licensed Installer	Name	Phone Number

(A list of qualified installers can be found at IDNR website, www.iowadnr.gov)

Dispenser Information

Component	Model/Brand	Manufacturer	UL Listed	Manufacturer Approved
Tank* (capacity)			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Auto Shutoff			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Sub Pump, O-rings, Gaskets			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Tank Sump			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
ATG Probe, float/sensor			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Ball Float			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Sump Sensor			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Pipe			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Thread Sealant**			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Adhesive**			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Flex Connectors			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
LLD			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

*Internally lined tanks are not suitable for conversion to storage of E-blend fuels. ** If compatibility is undetermined, analysis may be used to determine compatibility.

Component	Model/Brand	Manufacturer	UL Listed	Manufacturer Approved
Dispenser			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Pipe sealant*			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Seals/Gaskets			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Suction Pump			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Hoses			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Nozzle/Swivel			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Break-away			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Filter			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Meter			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Dispenser/Sump			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Pipe			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Pipe Sealant*			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Flex Connector			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Sump			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Emergency Valve**			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Sensor			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Check valve			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

* If compatibility is undetermined, analysis may be used to determine compatibility. **Emergency/Shear Valve must be compatible with E-blend fuels.

Flex Fuel and Biodiesel Recap and Summary					
Equipment & Installation	E-85	Registered E15	Biodiesel	Standard Fuels	Totals
Dispensers					
Point of Sales					
Dispensing Accessories					
Dispenser Sumps					
Island Forms					
Tanks					
Tank Sumps					
Submersible Pumps					
Fills and Vents					
Observation Wells					
Electronic Tank Monitor					
Piping Materials					
Canopy					
Lighting					
Installation and Contractors					
Other _____					
Totals					