



Instructional Memorandums to Local Public Agencies

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The Iowa DOT is required by [Iowa Code 307.24](#) to provide assistance for urban systems and secondary roads, and to provide other categories of assistance as necessary. One of the ways in which we carry out that requirement is to develop and maintain Instructional Memorandums (I.M.s). Some I.M.s are written either to counties or cities; others are written to both counties and cities. The intended audience is indicated in the "To:" field of the I.M. as well as the Table of Contents below. Many of the I.M.s are referenced by the Federal-aid Project Development Guide (Federal-aid Guide). These I.M.s are marked with an asterisk (*). For more information about the relationship between the [Federal-aid Guide](#), the [Non-Federal-aid Guide](#), and I.M.s, refer to the [Guide and I.M.s web page](#). The funding type is listed in the Table of Contents below, and will be labeled for Federal-aid (F.A.), Federal-aid Swap (Swap), State-aid (State), Farm-to-Market (F.M.) or Local; if the I.M. applies to all types of funding, "All" will be used as the Funding type.

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