

Guide and / or I.M. Revision Notice

To: Cities, Counties, and Consultants
From: Local Systems Bureau

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The Federal-aid Project Development Guide (Federal-aid Guide) and / or Instructional Memorandums to Local Public Agencies (I.M.s) have been revised as indicated below. This revision notice identifies all new or revised documents and includes a summary of the significant changes. The Iowa DOT does not provide paper copies of the Guide or I.M.s. Since these documents are updated frequently, we recommend using the on-line version of the [Guide and I.M.s](#) for reference.

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Document Title or I.M. Number	Summary of Significant Revision(s)
I.M. Table of Contents May 24, 2024	The I.M. Table of Contents has been revised to reflect new or revised I.M. numbers, as indicated below.
I.M. 1.180 Procedures for Developing and Administering Emergency Relief (ER) Projects May 24, 2024	This I.M. has been updated. Substantive changes from the previous version include the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added definition for Essential Traffic. • Added that BIL allows for bridges in the STIP that are damaged to be eligible for ER funding. • Added DDIR Revisions and FHWA Authorization information. • Added information about Debris Removal. • Added information on cost increases/decreases by 20%. • Changed 180 to 270 days for Emergency Repairs.