

**IOWA DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS**  
**Additional Budget Requests Beyond Status Quo**

**September 15, 2008**

Additional Capitals Requests: FY 2010 (In Priority Order)

1. Restore previous-year's total \$3 million funding to Great Places project grants: \$1 million
  - a. Brings currently certified Great Places sites into greater parity with the resources that have been available for earlier Great Places projects
  - b. Comes closer to addressing needs clearly identified by eligible Great Places projects
  
2. Professional Space/Storage Capacity Study: \$100,000
  - a. Brings professional(s) in museum/archival storage to Iowa for urgently needed recommendations to manage overflow situations in State Archives, Records Center, and State Historical Museum collections storage areas
  - b. Storage issues currently severely limit the State Historical Society of Iowa in addressing its core function, as trustee of Iowa's historical legacy.