IOWA DOT
Title VI Program Notice to the Public

The Iowa DOT hereby gives public notice that it is the policy of the Iowa DOT to assure full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, related Nondiscrimination authorities provide that no person shall on the ground of race, color, national origin, gender, age, disability, low income and limited English proficiency be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance. The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 amended Title VI to specify that entire institutions receiving federal funds, whether schools, colleges, government entities, or private employers, must comply with Federal civil rights laws, rather than just the programs or activities that receive federal funds.

We are also concerned about the impacts of our programs, projects and activities on low income and minority populations (“Environmental Justice”) under Title VI. Any person who believes that they are being denied participation in a project, being denied benefits of a program, or otherwise being discriminated against because of race, color, national origin, gender, age, or disability, low income and limited English proficiency, may contact:

Tonnette R. Harris, J.D.  Title VI Coordinator, Civil Rights Bureau Director
Name of Agency  Iowa DOT
Agency Phone Number  515-233-7970

YOU SHOULD CONTACT THE ABOVE INDIVIDUAL OR IOWA DOT OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BUT NO LATER THAN 180 DAYS AFTER THE ALLEGED DISCRIMINATION OCCURRED, OR IF THERE HAS BEEN A CONTINUING COURSE OF CONDUCT, NO LATER THAN 180 DAYS AFTER THE ALLEGED DISCRIMINATION WAS DISCONTINUED. CONTACT THE CIVIL RIGHTS COORDINATOR TO GET MORE INFORMATION ON THE IOWA DOT’S TITLE VI PROGRAM.