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I-35 Hot Listings

Material ID	Material Type	Material Name	Amount Available (lbs)
2945	Mixed Plastics	PVC, PVB, EVA, Vinyl	3600000
3132	Packaging Material	Plastic and metallic	72000
6099	Minerals	Mineral core	250000
11791	Organics	Glycerin Distillation Residue	2800000
11952	Industrial Sludges	Carbide Lime Slurry	22880000
12810	Organics	Diatomaceous Earth	1440000
12745-12753	Inks and Solvents	Various Colors	2170
12811	Filter Paper	Biodiesel Filter Bags	158400
12813	Pallets	Fiberboard Pallets	638750

To view statewide hot listings visit: <http://www.iowadnr.com/waste/iwe/index.html>

Success Story

Streamlining Reels in Results

In an effort to streamline and improve customer access to all Iowa Department of Natural Resources Energy and Waste Management Bureau's, non-regulatory Financial and Business Assistance (FABA) services, IDNR resumed administration of the Iowa Waste Exchange (IWE) in September 2006. Shortly after, in November 2006, Shelly Codner, Area Resource Specialist was contacted by Susan Johnson, Environmental Specialist with IDNR's, Energy and Waste Management Bureau, regarding a request for issuance of a special waste authorization for 500 lbs of fish oil being stored at Hawkeye Commodities production facility in Grimes, Iowa.

Johnson quickly recognized that there might be a value associated with this material and she and Codner discussed possible alternatives to landfilling. Within minutes of this conversation they landed a keeper. Codner contacted Doc's Catfish Bait Company located in Parkersburg, Iowa. Doc's Catfish Bait Company has been manufacturing quality catfish baits since 1927 (visit their website at www.docscatfish.com) and use fish oil along with other secret ingredients in some of their contest winning baits.

With the assistance of Glenn Stoles of Hawkeye Commodities, the material was loaded and transported to Doc's. "This is a much better way to go," stated Stoles, "This reduces our transportation costs and saves room in the landfill."

"The IWE is a great resource, stated Johnson, "Area specialists are highly knowledgeable regarding alternatives to landfilling and know exactly who to call. I will be consulting with the Area Specialists often."

"It's fantastic having Susan in the loop," stated Codner, "This ensures that if we miss a material on the front end, we can assist companies - like Hawkeye Commodities and Doc's - in saving money on the back end. I appreciate her innovation regarding the special waste authorization process." For more information on the Iowa Waste Exchange, visit www.iowadnr.com/waste/iwe/index.html.

From the Bookshelf - Recommended Reading

Green Profits: The Manager's Handbook for ISO 14001 and Pollution Prevention
By Nicholas P. Cheremisinoff, Avrom Bendavid-Val

Green Profits covers two tightly connected topics, environmental management systems (EMS) and pollution prevention (P2), in a single volume. Authored by an environmental engineer and an economist/planner, Green Profits shows how to implement an EMS, especially ISO 14001, so that it leads to profitable pollution prevention innovations.

Preview and additional information available at <http://astore.amazon.com/corridorconnection-20>.

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Wanted Materials

Bottom Ash
Fly Ash
Mill scale
Pallets—Ames Area
Plastics—Iowa Falls Area
Sand
Wood Scrap

Please contact
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information on any the
above materials.
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Upcoming Events/Activities

Solid Waste Alternatives Financial Assistance Application Deadline—April 2, 2007

visit <http://www.iowadnr.com/waste/financial/financialswap.html>.

The **Eastern Iowa Science and Engineering Fair** is seeking volunteers to judge exhibits Saturday, March 17, 2007. Judges are asked to evaluate the projects based on predetermined guidelines and provide encouragement and constructive recommendations. Anyone with a good understanding of the design and evaluation of research is encouraged to volunteer. For more information, or to volunteer to be a judge, visit www.eisef.org, or contact Pam Kraus, (319) 895-0140, (319) 360-7602, judging@eisef.org.

Switching Gears—Employment Opportunities

Jobs from Iowa companies to lowans. lowacareer.net helps potential employees find Iowa careers that match their skills and gives employers access to qualified employees for their companies. Over 700 employers looking for qualified employees visit www.iowacareer.net. **For more information on career opportunities visit <http://astore.amazon.com/corridorconnection-20>.**

Highway Hot Spots



Boone County Historical Center, 602 Story Street, Boone, IA , (515) 432-1907. Experience the drama of the Kate Shelley story. View a model railroad diorama of the dramatic story. Also see her gold metals and the lantern she carried on that stormy night. Explore a slope coal mine replica, extensive military collection, mounted wildlife connection and genealogical records.

For more information on this Highway Hot Spot visit <http://homepages.opencominc.com/bchs/BCHSHistoricalCenter.htm>.

For other Highway Hot Spots visit <http://astore.amazon.com/corridorconnection-20>.

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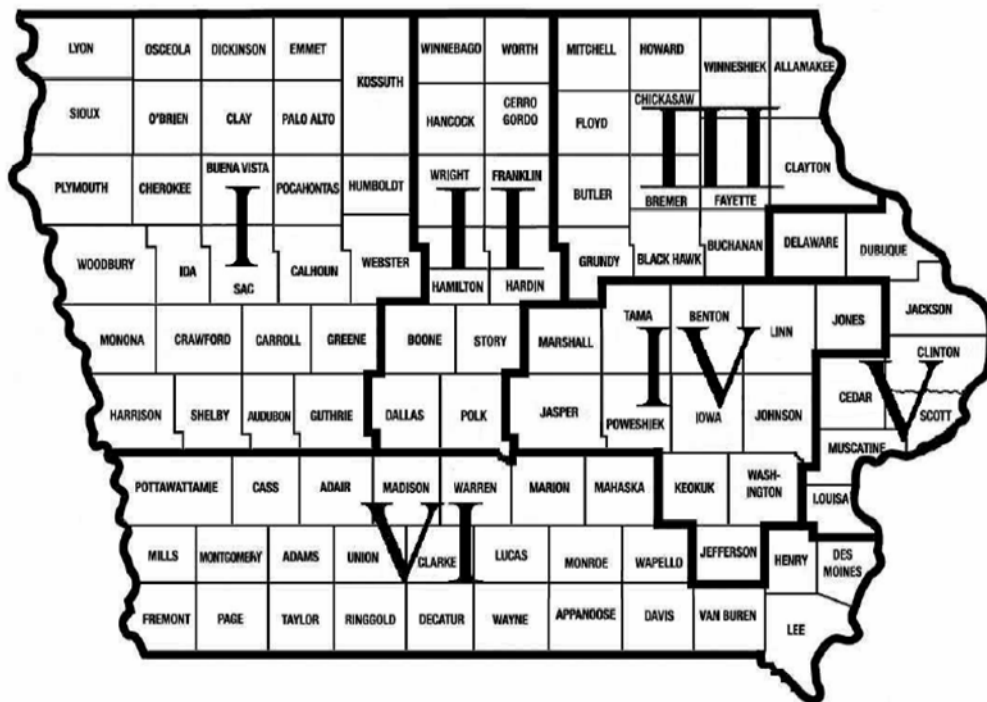
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