FUNDING UPDATE



REAP Applications Due August 17th



The Iowa Department of Natural Resources will be accepting applications for its REAP City Parks and Open Spaces and County Conservation Grant Programs. Grants for up to 100% of project costs awarded to Cities and County Conservation Boards may be used for the acquisition, establishment and maintenance of natural parks, preserves and open spaces.

City REAP Grant Ceilings are based on population:

| <u>Population</u> | Grant Ceiling |
|-------------------|---------------|
| 0-1,000 | \$50,000 |
| 1,000 - 5,000 | \$75,000 |
| 5,001 - 10,000 | \$100,000 |
| 10,001 - 25,000 | \$125,000 |

Examples of projects include multipurpose trails, restroom facilities, shelter houses and picnic facilities, museums, parks, preserves, parkways, city forests, city wildlife areas as well as other open space-oriented acquisition and development projects.

For additional information contact the Local Assistance Department at the COG today at 712-792-9914.

