Farmers Market Pavilion in the City of Clinton

Proposed recipient:

City of Clinton 611 S. 3rd Street Clinton, Iowa 52732

Requested amount:

\$387,100

Explanation of request:

This project would construct a Farmers Market Pavilion at the Lyons Four Square City Park in the heart of the Lyons District in Clinton Iowa. This Farmers Market Pavilion structure will be unique and draw many Farmers to bring their goods to Clinton and allow for further success of the market that has been around for the last 40 years. Placing this unique lumber structure will pull the historical past to the present as seen at scenic Eagle Point Lodge and the Sawmill Museum while being built over the historical Roosevelt Street, which was recently was modified with Permeable Pavers, and will make it the place to go to get fresh, nutritious, and affordable food within the community. There will be electrical power to the Pavilion and lighting both inside and outside for the vendors and shoppers. This will provide a longer period for the pavilion to remain open and available to the public. The Farmers Market Pavilion will span the road open on each end, allowing Farmers vehicles to be under cover of the elements and make it quicker to set up to sell goods. The pavilion will have all the steel columns wrapped with decorative sawmill lumber and front/back truss will be full timbers for a design consistent with Sawmill Museum and Eagle Point Park and tying into the rich lumber history of the community.