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Ackley	August 28, 1869	Hardin
Ackworth	May 9, 1881	Warren
Adair	February 23, 1884	Adair
Adel	June 27, 1877	Dallas
Afton	November 30, 1868	Union
Agency	January 6, 1859	Wapello
Ainsworth	June 18, 1892	Washington
Akron	September 7, 1882	Plymouth
Albert City	December 10, 1900	Buena Vista
Albia	January 28, 1857	Monroe
Albion	March 8, 1870	Marshall
Alburnett	June 29, 1912	Linn
Alden	February 11, 1879	Hardin
Alexander	March 25, 1902	Franklin
Algona	January 31, 1872	Kossuth
Allerton	October 1, 1874	Wayne
Alleman	May 18, 1973	Polk
Allison	July 25, 1881	Butler
Alta	November 11, 1878	Buena Vista
Alta Vista	September 18, 1894	Chickasaw
Alton	March 8, 1883	Sioux
Altoona	March 11, 1876	Polk
Alvord	September 26, 1892	Lyon
Ames	December 20, 1869	Story
Anamosa	December 17, 1867	Jones
Andover	January 12, 1910	Clinton
Andrew	August 4, 1863	Jackson
Angus	June 6, 1883 -- No longer an incorp. city 6/2008	Boone
Anita	May 19, 1875	Cass
Ankeny	February 27, 1903	Polk
Anthon	July 25, 1890	Woodbury
Aplington	November 9, 1877	Butler
Arcadia	November 3, 1881	Carroll
Archer	May 5, 1902	O'Brien
Aredale	June 5, 1920	Butler
Arion	May 31, 1894	Crawford
Arispe	October 21, 1904	Union
Arlington	April 30, 1985	Fayette
Armstrong	March 30, 1895	Emmett
Arnolds Park	March 30, 1897	Dickinson
Arthur	April 21, 1897	Ida
Asbury	September 7, 1933	Dubuque
Ashton	March 28, 1885	Osceola
Aspinwall	November 10, 1914	Crawford
Atalissa	March 26, 1900	Muscatine
Athelstan	October 28, 1895 (Discontinued 10/2004)	Taylor
Atkins	May 15, 1917	Benton
Atlantic	November 26, 1869	Cass
Auburn	January 10, 1887	Sac
Audubon	December 2, 1880	Audubon
Aurelia	December 27, 1879	Cherokee
Aurora	August 26, 1899 (Filed 4/9/1975)	Buchanan
Avenarius	8/1/1912 -- No longer an incorp city 6/2008	Dubuque

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Avoca	December 2, 1874	Pottawattamie
Ayrshire	September 20, 1895	Palo Alto
Badger	December 28, 1899	Webster
Bagley	June 16, 1891	Guthrie
Bailey	July 1, 1891 -- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Mitchell
Baldwin	December 8, 1881	Jackson
Balltown	July 22, 1933	Dubuque
Bancroft	February 16, 1884	Kossuth
Bankston	September 8, 1933	Dubuque
Barnes City	April 20, 1899	Mahaska
Barnum	May 29, 1894	Webster
Bassett	November 7, 1896	Chickasaw
Batavia	January 6, 1868	Jefferson
Battle Creek	November 13, 1880	Ida
Baxter	December 13, 1894	Jasper
Bayard	June 14, 1883	Guthrie
Beacon	February 7, 1874	Mahaska
Beaconsfield	January 18, 1990	Ringgold
Beaman	April 26, 1884	Grundy
Beaver	October 5, 1912	Boone
Bedford	July 28, 1866	Taylor
Belle Plaine	May 26, 1868	Benton
Bellevue	February 5, 1851	Jackson
Belmond	October 21, 1881	Wright
Bennett	December 26, 1896	Cedar
Benton	July 3, 1900	Ringgold
Berkley	October 11, 1912	Boone
Berlin	September 10, 1913 (Name changed to Lincoln 6/12/1918)	Tama
Bernard	June 8, 1897	Dubuque
Bertram	January 17, 1914	Linn
Bettendorf	June 5, 1903	Scott
Bevington	February 1, 1916	Madison
Birmingham	May 20, 1856 (Filed 2/17/1978)	Van Buren
Blairsburg	December 21, 1900	Hamilton
Blairstown	October 15, 1868	Benton
Blakesburg	December 31, 1900	Wapello
Blanchard	June 11, 1880	Page
Blencoe	October 24, 1891	Monona
Blockton	March 28, 1890	Taylor
Bloomfield	January 13, 1855	Davis
Blue Grass	December 10, 1903	Scott
Bode	February 20, 1892	Humboldt
Bonaparte	January 31, 1899	Van Buren
Bondurant	December 23, 1897	Polk
Boone	October 24, 1876	Boone
Bouton	September 27, 1911	Dallas
Boxholm	September 29, 1913	Boone
Boyden	May 24, 1889	Sioux
Bradgate	June 20, 1893	Humboldt
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Brandon	April 14, 1905	Buchanan
Brayton	May 17, 1899 (Filed 7/27/1978)	Audubon
Breda	October 30, 1883	Carroll

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Bridgewater	April 1, 1905	Adair
Brighton	July 26, 1870	Washington
Bristow	December 15, 1881	Butler
Britt	June 23, 1881	Hancock
Bronson	June 8, 1967	Woodbury
Brooklyn	May 3, 1869	Poweshiek
Brunsville	July 18, 1911	Plymouth
Buckeye	Year 1901 (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/1979)	Hardin
Buck Grove	June 29, 1906	Crawford
Buffalo	July 15, 1875	Scott
Buffalo Center	February 17, 1894	Winnebago
Burlington	June 10, 1845	Des Moines
Burt	November 28, 1893	Kossuth
Bussey	April 9, 1895	Marion
Calamus	October 6, 1875	Clinton
Callender	November 17, 1893	Webster
Calmar	July 14, 1869	Winneshiek
Calumet	January 31, 1895	O'Brien
Camanche	January 28, 1857	Clinton
Cambridge	December 6, 1881	Story
Cantril	June 4, 1874	Van Buren
Carbon	July 18, 1903	Adams
Carlisle	May 10, 1870	Warren
Carpenter	April 20, 1880	Mitchell
Carroll	September 27, 1869	Carroll
Carson	March 28, 1881	Pottawattamie
Carter Lake	July 5, 1930	Pottawattamie
Cascade	December 14, 1880	Dubuque
Casey	June 29, 1880	Guthrie
Castalia	August 16, 1901	Winneshiek
Castana	March 3, 1891	Monona
Cedar Falls	February 24, 1858	Black Hawk
Cedar Rapids	January 15, 1849	Linn
Center Junction	March 26, 1885 -- Not an incorp city 1/2016	Jones
Center Point	February 6, 1875	Linn
Centerville	January 23, 1857	Appanoose
Central City	July 6, 1889	Linn
Centralia	June 3, 1933	Dubuque
Chariton	December 9, 1874	Lucas
Charles City	May 1, 1869	Floyd
Charlotte	December 5, 1904	Clinton
Charter Oak	February 6, 1891	Crawford
Chatsworth	December 31, 1900	Sioux
Chelsea	March 4, 1878	Tama
Cherokee	April 5, 1873	Cherokee
Chester	September 22, 1900	Howard
Chillicothe	December 22, 1881	Wapello
Churdan	March 25, 1884	Greene
Cincinnati	February 13, 1875	Appanoose
Clare	March 29, 1892	Webste
Clarence	February 26, 1866	Cedar
Clarinda	December 8, 1866	Page
Clarion	October 15, 1881	Wright

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Clarksville	May 11, 1874	Butler
Clayton	November 23, 1901	Clayton
Clearfield	December 16, 1882	Taylor
Clear Lake	May 26, 1871	Cerro Gordo
Cleghorn	January 25, 1901	Cherokee
Clemons	May 25, 1903	Marshall
Clermont	June 15, 1875	Fayette
Clinton	January 26, 1857	Clinton
Clio	February 20, 1882	Wayne
Clive	October 9, 1956	Polk
Clutier	January 16, 1901	Tama
Coggon	June 14, 1892	Linn
Coin	July 30, 1881	Page
Colesburg	February 21, 1893	Delaware
Colfax	August 10, 1875	Jasper
College Springs	January 19, 1875	Page
Collins	December 28, 1894	Story
Colo	April 26, 1876	Story
Columbus City	November 26, 1870	Louisa
Columbus Junction	May 25, 1874	Louisa
Colwell	September 27, 1921	Floyd
Commerce	November 15, 1886 -- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Polk
Conesville	March 21, 1874	Muscatine
Conrad	November 15, 1886	Grundy
Conway	December 27, 1878	Taylor
Coon Rapids	November 2, 1882	Carroll
Coppock	August 24, 1901	Henry
Coralville	November 22, 1873	Johnson
Corning	December 13, 1871	Adams
Correctionville	October 3, 1882	Woodbury
Corwith	June 1, 1886	Hancock
Corydon	April 27, 1867	Wayne
Cotter	April 1, 1912	Louisa
Coulter	April 24, 1909	Franklin
Council Bluffs	January 19, 1853	Pottawattamie
Craig	April 6, 1911	Plymouth
Crawfordsville	March 26, 1891	Washington
Crescent	October 16, 1959	Pottawattamie
Cresco	June 6, 1868	Howard
Creston	April 22, 1871	Union
Crestwood	1/6/1956 -- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Polk
Cromwell	November 24, 1893	Union
Crystal Lake	April 19, 1898	Hancock
Cumberland	May 2, 1893	Cass
Cumming	October 21, 1924 (Filed 11/17/1982)	Warren
Curlew	May 22, 1902 (Filed 7/27/1978)	Palo Alto
Cushing	November 21, 1892	Woodbury
Cylinder	April 5, 1900	Palo Alto
Dakota City	June 22, 1878	Humboldt
Dallas Center	March 22, 1880	Dallas
Dana	July 22, 1907	Greene
Danbury	October 1, 1881	Woodbury
Danville	September 27, 1902	Des Moines

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Davenport	February 5, 1881	Scott
Davis City	May 19, 1877	Decatur
Dawson	April 25, 1908	Dallas
Dayton	July 8, 1881	Webster
Decatur City	January 8, 1875	Decatur
Decorah	June 30, 1857	Winneshiek
Dedham	April 2, 1884 (Filed 8/9/1978)	Carroll
Deep River	June 15, 1887	Poweshiek
Defiance	December 4, 1882	Shelby
Delaware	July 22, 1815	Delaware
Delhi	April 26, 1909	Delaware
Delmar	June 10, 1876	Clinton
Deloit	May 19, 1900 (Filed 9/9/1977)	Crawford
Delphos	April 3, 1920	Ringgold
Delta	March 22, 1877	Keokuk
Denison	October 2, 1875	Crawford
Denver	June 30, 1896	Bremer
Derby	February 4, 1901	Lucas
Des Moines	October 18, 1851	Polk
De Soto	April 28, 1875	Dallas
De Witt	September 20, 1858	Clinton
Dexter	January 7, 1871	Dallas
Diagonal	March 6, 1896	Ringgold
Dickens	April 7, 1909	Clay
Dike	January 16, 1901	Grundy
Dixon	May 12, 1909	Scott
Dolliver	April 16, 1902	Emmet
Donahue	May 1, 1909	Scott
Donnellson	October 25, 1892	Lee
Doon	March 8, 1892	Lyon
Dougherty	December 29, 1900	Cerro Gordo
Dow City	February 22, 1884	Crawford
Dows	May 3, 1892	Wright
Drakesville	May 5, 1866	Davis
Dubuque	January 28, 1857	Dubuque
Dumont	January 24, 1896	Butler
Duncombe	January 25, 1893	Webster
Dundee	August 30, 1917 (Filed 7/28/1978)	Delaware
Dunkerton	March 18, 1899	Blackhawk
Dunlap	January, 1871	Harrison
Durango	June 5, 1933	Dubuque
Durant	July 1, 1867	Cedar
Dyersville	November 9, 1872	Dubuque
Dysart	May 30, 1881	Tama
Eagle Grove	October 16, 1882	Wright
Earlham	April 26, 1870	Madison
Earling	June 1, 1892	Shelby
Earlville	June 12, 1882	Delaware
Early	May 22, 1883	Sac
East Peru	March 31, 1897	Madison
Eddyville	February 22, 1900	Wapello
Edgewood	April 6, 1899	Delaware
Elberon	October 28, 1893	Tama

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Eldon	April 29, 1872	Wapello
Eldora	July 1, 1895	Hardin
Eldridge	May 1, 1900	Scott
Elgin	March 14, 1892	Fayette
Elkader	May 29, 1891	Clayton
Elkhart	July 27, 1904	Polk
Elk Horn	February 28, 1910	Shelby
Elkport	February 24, 1896	Clayton
Elk Run Heights	May 31, 1951	Black Hawk
Elliott	March 14, 1882	Montgomery
Ellston	December 20, 1895 (name changed from Wirt)	Ringgold
Ellsworth	October 12, 1893	Hamilton
Elma	July 11, 1891	Howard
Ely	August 12, 1903	Linn
Emerson	December 2, 1875	Mills
Emmetsburg	November 17, 1877	Palo Alto
Epworth	October 20, 1879	Dubuque
Essex	January 20, 1876	Page
Estherville	October 4, 1881	Emmet
Evansdale	November 13, 1947	Black Hawk
Everly	April 7, 1902	Clay
Exira	December 13, 1880	Audubon
Exline	June 20, 1904	Appanoose
Fairbank	May 12, 1891	Buchanan
Fairfax	August 11, 1930	Linn
Fairfield	May 14, 1875	Jefferson
Farley	March 1, 1879	Dubuque
Farmersburg	June 1, 1902	Clayton
Farmington	January 11, 1841	Van Buren
Farnhamville	April 1, 1893	Calhoun
Farragut	January 21, 1878	Fremont
Fayette	March 14, 1874	Fayette
Fenton	June 10, 1903	Kossuth
Ferguson	December 4, 1906 (Filed 6/13/1978)	Marshall
Fertile	April 10, 1908	Worth
Floris	May 12, 1913	Davis
Floyd	February 26, 1899	Floyd
Fonda	March 21, 1884 (Legislative Act, 20th General Assembly)	Pocahontas
Fontanelle	August 23, 1871	Adair
Forest City	June 14, 1878	Winnebago
Fort Atkinson	June 5, 1895	Winneshiek
Fort Des Moines	January 18, 1853 -- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Polk
Fort Dodge	October 26, 1869	Webster
Fort Madison	February 5, 1895	Lee
Foster	January 7, 1890-- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Monroe
Fostoria	January 30, 1912	Clay
Franklin	November 14, 1874 (Filed 1/28/1979)	Lee
Fraser	February 8, 1904	Boone
Fredericksburg	December 18, 1894	Chickasaw
Frederika	March 28, 1896	Bremer
Fredonia	May 30, 1874	Louisa
Fremont	March 14, 1883	Mahaska
Fruitland	August 24, 1972	Muscatine

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Galt	January 2, 1913	Wright
Galva	September 26, 1889	Ida
Garber	November 18, 1907	Clayton
Garden Grove	November 14, 1879	Decatur
Garnavillo	November 21, 1907	Clayton
Garner	November 19, 1881	Hancock
Garrison	June 9, 1883	Benton
Garwin	June 5, 1890	Tama
Geneva	April 7, 1903	Franklin
George	March 27, 1890	Lyon
Gibson	December 14, 1954	Keokuk
Gilbert	July 15, 1882	Story
Gilbertville	April 9, 1917	Black Hawk
Gillett Grove	August 29, 1974	Clay
Gilman	April 24, 1876	Marshall
Gilmore City	April 16, 1887	Humboldt
Gladbrook	December 20, 1880	Tama
Glenwood	January 17, 1857	Mills
Glidden	August 22, 1873	Carroll
Goldfield	March 19, 1885	Wright
Goodell	February 3, 1893 (Filed 9/28/1978)	Hancock
Goose Lake	December 26, 1908	Clinton
Gowrie	March 18, 1881	Webster
Graettinger	September 30, 1893	Palo Alto
Graf	August 30, 1933	Dubuque
Grafton	April 10, 1896	Worth
Grand Junction	May 6, 1872	Greene
Grand Mound	February 11, 1884	Clinton
Grand River	December 21, 1899	Decatur
Grandview	February 18, 1901	Louisa
Granger	September 6, 1905	Dallas
Grant	February 27, 1912	Montgomery
Granville	January 22, 1891	Sioux
Gravity	May 26, 1882	Taylor
Gray	November 10, 1894	Audubon
Greeley	July 8, 1892	Delaware
Greene	July 15, 1879	Butler
Greenfield	May 22, 1876	Adair
Greenville	December 30, 1916	Clay
Grimes	May 7, 1894	Polk
Grinnell	April 28, 1865	Poweshiek
Griswold	December 13, 1885	Cass
Grundy Center	April 17, 1877	Grundy
Gruver	February 4, 1913	Emmet
Guernsey	September 4, 1906 (Filed 10/2/1978)	Poweshiek
Guthrie Center	June 25, 1880	Guthrie
Guttenberg	January 27, 1857	Clayton
Halbur	April 22, 1902	Carroll
Hamburg	April 1, 1867	Fremont
Hamilton	April 11, 1900	Marion
Hampton	November 19, 1870	Franklin
Hancock	May 16, 1891	Pottawattamie
Hanlontown	January 18, 1902	Worth

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Hansell	May 7, 1918	Franklin
Harcourt	February 11, 1896	Webster
Hardy	April 13, 1915	Humboldt
Harlan	April 25, 1879	Shelby
Harper	November 17, 1879	Keokuk
Harpers Ferry	December 24, 1901	Allamakee
Harris	Year 1903 (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/1979)	Osceola
Hartford	June 29, 1913 (9/13/1978)	Warren
Hartley	July 24, 1888	O'Brien
Hartwick	Year 1912 (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/1979)	Poweshiek
Harvey	December 12, 1903	Marion
Hastings	May 26, 1879	Mills
Havelock	February 16, 1892	Pocahontas
Haverhill	July 12, 1968	Marshall
Hawarden	March 18, 1887	Sioux
Hawkeye	April 9, 1895	Fayette
Hayesville	October 13, 1916 (Filed 4/19/1995)	Keokuk
Hazleton	June 22, 1892	Buchanan
Hedrick	April 23, 1883	Keokuk
Henderson	May 18, 1893	Mills
Hepburn	January 13, 1883	Page
Hiawatha	June 12, 1950	Linn
Hills	1906 (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/1979)	Johnson
Hillsboro	July 19, 1916	Henry
Hinton	June 6, 1908	Plymouth
Holland	June 29, 1897	Grundy
Holstein	April 25, 1883	Ida
Holy Cross	August 20, 1898	Dubuque
Hopeville	April 7, 1896-- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Clarke
Hopkinton	March 3, 1874	Delaware
Hornick	June 23, 1896	Woodbury
Hospers	December 6, 1890	Sioux
Houghton	February 19, 1962	Lee
Hubbard	November 1, 1881	Hardin
Hudson	July 1, 1893	Black Hawk
Hull	May 15, 1886	Sioux
Humboldt	March 22, 1874 (Filed 10/3/1978)	Humboldt
Humeston	March 4, 1881	Wayne
Huxley	August 27, 1902	Story
Ida Grove	May 31, 1878	Ida
Imogene	February 18, 1881	Fremont
Independence	October 15, 1864	Buchanan
Indianola	October 5, 1863	Warren
Inwood	April 25, 1893	Lyon
Ionia	April 23, 1891	Chickasaw
Iowa City	January 24, 1853	Johnson
Iowa Falls	May 4, 1869	Hardin
Ireton	October 13, 1890	Sioux
Irwin	May 20, 1892	Shelby
Jackson Junction	January 9, 1897	Winneshiek
Jamaica	January 4, 1901	Guthrie
Janesville	October 29, 1895	Bremer
Jefferson	November 20, 1871	Greene

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Jesup	December 21, 1875	Buchanan
Jewell Junction	October 22, 1880	Hamilton
Johnston	September 19, 1969	Polk
Joice	June 4, 1913	Worth
Jolley	November 16, 1895	Calhoun
Kalona	May 22, 1890	Washington
Kamrar	June 6, 1896	Hamilton
Kanawha	April 18, 1902	Hancock
Kellerton	December 3, 1881	Ringgold
Kelley	January 31, 1900	Story
Kellogg	February 6, 1874	Jasper
Kensett	February 10, 1894	Worth
Kent	August 15, 1903 (Discontinued August 13, 2003)	Union
Keokuk	December 13, 1848	Lee
Keomah	August 3, 1973 (Name changed to Keomah Village 12/7/1981)	Mahaska
Keomah Village	August 3, 1973 (Name changed from Keomah 12/7/1981)	Mahaska
Keosauqua	February 5, 1851	Van Buren
Keota	December 18, 1873	Keokuk
Keswick	July 5, 1912 (Filed 12/3/1978)	Keokuk
Keystone	December 15, 1893	Benton
Kimballton	June 5, 1980	Audubon
Kingsley	January 15, 1884	Plymouth
Kinross	September 10, 1898	Keokuk
Kirkman	July 6, 1892	Shelby
Kirkville	December 2, 1883	Wapello
Kiron	June 22, 1900 (Filed 10/9/1978)	Crawford
Klemme	February 9, 1899	Hancock
Knierim	June 13, 1901	Calhoun
Knoxville	January 24, 1855	Marion
Lacona	November 25, 1881	Warren
Ladora	December 27, 1879	Iowa
Lake City	March 14, 1887	Calhoun
Lake Mills	June 7, 1880	Winnebago
Lake Park	July 1, 1892	Dickinson
Lakeside	July 15, 1933	Buena Vista
Lake View	October 29, 1887	Sac
Lakota	October 1, 1918	Kossuth
Lambs Grove	December 29, 1952 (Filed 9/6/1978)	Jasper
Lamoni	October 15, 1885	Decatur
Lamont	December 10, 1892	Buchanan
La Motte	May 24, 1879	Jackson
Lanesboro	April 30, 1903	Carroll
Lansing	July 1, 1867	Allamakee
La Porte City	January 31, 1871	Black Hawk
Larchwood	January 6, 1892	Lyon
Larrabee	July 25, 1896	Cherokee
Latimer	April 17, 1901	Franklin
Lattners	4/27/1912-- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Dubuque
Laurel	April 23, 1903	Marshall
Laurens	April 30, 1890	Pocahontas
Lawler	April 28, 1873	Chickasaw
Lawton	Year 1906 (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/1979)	Woodbury
Le Claire	January 13, 1855	Scott

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Ledyard	April 16, 1895	Kossuth
Le Grand	May 9, 1891	Marshall
Lehigh	February 10, 1883	Webster
Leighton	September 21, 1909	Mahaska
Leland	February 28, 1895	Winnebago
Le Mars	May 25, 1881	Plymouth
Lenox	July 2, 1875	Taylor
Leon	May 2, 1867	Decatur
Le Roy	May 6, 1904	Decatur
Lester	December 26, 1892 (Filed 9/11/1978)	Lyon
Letts	July 28, 1877	Louisa
Lewis	May 14, 1874	Cass
Libertyville	April 15, 1916 (Filed 3/18/1974)	Jefferson
Lidderdale	November 27, 1905	Carroll
Lime Springs	April 17, 1876	Howard
Lincoln	September 10, 1913 (Name changed from Berlin 6/12/1978)	Tama
Linden	January 12, 1893	Dallas
Lineville	November 6, 1871	Wayne
Linn Grove	March 4, 1912	Buena Vista
Lisbon	February 10, 1875	Linn
Liscomb	March 23, 1874	Marshall
Littleport	November 21, 1907 (Discontinued 04/2005)	Clayton
Little Rock	November 26, 1894	Lyon
Little Sioux	November 26, 1883	Harrison
Livermore	March 11, 1882	Humboldt
Lockridge	June 17, 1913	Jefferson
Logan	April 22, 1876	Harrison
Lohrville	December 14, 1882	Calhoun
Lone Rock	August 5, 1915	Kossuth
Lone Tree	May 20, 1890	Johnson
Long Grove	August 1, 1912	Scott
Lorimor	December 16, 1892	Union
Lost Nation	June 9, 1903	Clinton
Lovilia	April 21, 1933	Monroe
Lowden	March 12, 1869	Cedar
Low Moor	February 10, 1897	Clinton
Luana	May 29, 1911	Clayton
Lucas	March 18, 1887	Lucas
Luther	December 29, 1903	Boone
LuVerne	July 6, 1887	Kossuth
Luxemburg	January 2, 1912	Dubuque
Luzerne	October 24, 1895	Benton
Lynnvile	August 9, 1875	Jasper
Lytton	July 21, 1911	Sac
McCallsburg	February 25, 1901	Story
McCausland	May 28, 1909	Scott
McClelland	December 14, 1904 (Filed 9/15/1978)	Pottawattamie
McGregor	March 7, 1859	Clayton
McIntire	July 9, 1894	Mitchell
Macedonia	June 21, 1892	Pottawattamie
Macksburg	December 24, 1876	Madison
Madrid	June 9, 1883	Boone
Magnolia	November 30, 1909	Harrison

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Maharishi Vedic City	November 13, 2001 (Name changed from Vedic City)	Jefferson
Malcom	April 23, 1872	Poweshiek
Mallard	June 25, 1895	Palo Alto
Maloy	June 18, 1801	Ringgold
Malvern	February 24, 1872	Mills
Manchester	March 19, 1864	Delaware
Manilla	October 3, 1887	Crawford
Manly	November 19, 1898	Worth
Manning	February 17, 1882	Carroll
Manson	May 5, 1877	Calhoun
Mapleton	May 10, 1870	Monona
Maquoketa	January 27, 1857	Jackson
Marathon	October 31, 1892	Buena Vista
Marble Rock	February 8, 1881	Floyd
Marcus	May 15, 1882	Cherokee
Marengo	July 4, 1859	Iowa
Marion	August 10, 1865	Linn
Marne	May 10, 1892	Cass
Marquette	June 2, 1874 (Filed 9/12/1977)	Clayton
Marshalltown	March 5, 1923	Marshall
Martelle	April 28, 1899	Jones
Martensdale	October 29, 1920	Warren
Martinsburg	December 30, 1887	Keokuk
Marysville	July 31, 1875	Marion
Mason City	December 21, 1869	Cerro Gordo
Masonville	June 28, 1901	Delaware
Massena	January 18, 1887	Cass
Matlock	July 5, 1897	Sioux
Maurice	May 23, 1891	Sioux
Maxwell	December 17, 1883	Story
Maynard	June 9, 1887	Fayette
Maysville	June 21, 1909	Scott
Mechanicsville	November 25, 1867	Cedar
Mediapolis	June 14, 1875	Des Moines
Melbourne	October 29, 1895	Marshall
Melcher-Dallas	June 26, 1986 (Consolidated Towns)	Marion
Melrose	March 20, 1882	Monroe
Melvin	Year 1901 (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/1979)	Osceola
Menlo	February 2, 1881	Guthrie
Meriden	December 24, 1881	Cherokee
Merrill	April 24, 1894	Plymouth
Meservey	August 24, 1893	Cerro Gordo
Middletown	May 11, 1914 (Filed 7/25/1978)	Des Moines
Miles	May 4, 1893	Jackson
Milford	January 12, 1892	Dickinson
Millersburg	January 12, 1911	Iowa
Millerton	April 26, 1915	Wayne
Milo	November 4, 1880	Warren
Milton	May 20, 1878	Van Buren
Minburn	May 24, 1892 (Filed 5/27/1892)	Dallas
Minden	October 6, 1880	Pottawattamie
Mingo	February 13, 1903	Jasper
Missouri Valley	October 30, 1871	Harrison

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Mitchell	May 27, 1879	Mitchell
Mitchellville	September 30, 1875	Polk
Modale	April 22, 1882	Harrison
Mondamin	December 23, 1881	Harrison
Moneta	February 16, 1903 (Discontinued 1996)	O'Brien
Monmouth	July 12, 1894	Jackson
Monona	May 11, 1897	Clayton
Monroe	May 1, 1897	Jasper
Montezuma	February 21, 1868	Poweshiek
Monticello	September 24, 1889	Jones
Montour	May 4, 1883 (Legislative Act, 19th General Assembly)	Tama
Montrose	Year 1875 (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/1879)	Lee
Moorhead	April 9, 1900	Monona
Moorland	October 6, 1902	Webster
Moravia	September 26, 1881	Appanoose
Morley	January 26, 1925 (Filed 9/29/1978)	Jones
Morning Sun	June 3, 1867	Louisa
Morrison	April 24, 1884	Grundy
Moulton	February 24, 1869	Appanoose
Mount Auburn	November 19, 1906 (Filed 2/5/1979)	Benton
Mount Ayr	June 8, 1875	Ringgold
Mount Pleasant	July 15, 1856	Henry
Mount Sterling	October 29, 1907 – Not an incorp city 11/11/2012	Van Buren
Mount Union	August 20, 1904	Henry
Mount Vernon	July 7, 1869	Linn
Moville	August 13, 1889	Woodbury
Murray	October 21, 1880	Clarke
Muscatine	February 1, 1851	Muscatine
Mystic	October 29, 1889	Appanoose
Nashua	January 29, 1857	Chickasaw
Nashville	January 15, 1841-- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Jackson
Nemaha	January 27, 1915 (Filed 8/2/1978)	Sac
Neola	March 7, 1882	Pottawattamie
Nevada	October 4, 1869	Story
New Albin	May 20, 1895	Allamakee
Newell	September 30, 1876	Buena Vista
Newhall	June 3, 1912	Benton
New Hampton	April 26, 1873	Chickasaw
New Hartford	December 7, 1883	Butler
New Liberty	June 26, 1909	Scott
New London	October 22, 1860	Henry
New Market	December 9, 1882	Taylor
New Providence	January 30, 1893	Hardin
New Rippey	April 14, 1896 (Name changed to Rippey 11/5/1957)(Filed 8/29/1978)	Greene
New Sharon	Year 1871 (Legislative Act, Eff 7/1/1879)	Mahaska
Newton	January 26, 1857	Jasper
New Vienna	July 17, 1895	Dubuque
New Virginia	April 27, 1901	Warren
Nichols	March 15, 1884	Muscatine
Nodaway	May 28, 1900	Adams
Nora Springs	September 17, 1874	Floyd
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North Buena Vista	October 25, 1907	Clayton

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North English	March 13, 1891	Iowa
North Liberty	November 10, 1913	Johnson
North Washington	April 16, 1904	Chickasaw
Northwood	June 7, 1875	Worth
Norwalk	June 15, 1901	Warren
Norway	December 20, 1894	Benton
Numa	November 9, 1909	Appanoose
Oakland	March 14, 1882	Pottawattamie
Oakland Acres	January 22, 1875 (Filed 3/3/1975)	Jasper
Oakville	October 27, 1902	Louisa
Ocheyedan	February 20, 1892	Osceola
Odebolt	June 17, 1878	Sac
Oelwein	November 29, 1887	Fayette
Ogden	April 29, 1878	Boone
Okoboji	July 28, 1922	Dickinson
Olds	December 12, 1900	Henry
Olin	November 14, 1879	Jones
Ollie	March 1, 1892	Keokuk
Onawa	March 22, 1859	Monona
Oneida	May 29, 1912 (Discontinued 11/1994)	Delaware
Onslow	June 20, 1888	Jones
Orange City	February 29, 1884	Sioux
Orchard	July 10, 1913	Mitchell
Orient	March 21, 1882	Adair
Orleans	July 3, 1895	Dickinson
Osage	April 14, 1871	Mitchell
Osceola	December 24, 1866	Clarke
Oskaloosa	February 4, 1875	Mahaska
Ossian	February 10, 1876	Winneshiek
Osterdock	April 16, 1904	Clayton
Otho	June 3, 1954	Webster
Oto	July 10, 1888	Woodbury
Ottosen	July 16, 1909	Humboldt
Ottumwa	February 2, 1888	Wapello
Owasa	March 18, 1920	Hardin
Oxford	April 8, 1881	Johnson
Oxford Junction	January 15, 1884	Jones
Oyens	January 29, 1909 (Filed 10/20/1978)	Plymouth
Pacific Junction	January 11, 1882	Mills
Packwood	May 7, 1894	Jeffers
Palmer	May 21, 1901	Pocahontas
Palo	April 25, 1905 (Filed 2/7/1979)	Linn
Panama	May 17, 1886	Shelby
Panora	July 6, 1872	Guthrie
Panorama Park	July 7, 1953	Scott
Parkersburg	December 7, 1874	Butler
Parnell	March 24, 1891	Iowa
Paton	February 20, 1884	Greene
Patterson	December 7, 1877	Madison
Paullina	October 30, 1883	O'Brien
Pella	April 10, 1868	Marion
Peosta	June 16, 1933	Dubuque
Perry	May 18, 1875	Dallas

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Persia	April 30, 1891	Harrison
Peterson	November 12, 1886	Clay
Pierson	November 27, 1891	Woodbury
Pilot Mound	June 23, 1897	Boone
Pioneer	February 8, 1910	Humboldt
Pisgah	July 2, 1904	Harrison
Plainfield	October 17, 1895	Bremer
Plano	October 5, 1916	Appanoose
Pleasant Hill	May 12, 1956	Polk
Pleasanton	February 21, 1884	Decatur
Pleasant Plain	April 12, 1900	Jefferson
Pleasantville	June 11, 1872	Marion
Plover	October 13, 1916	Pocahontas
Plymouth	October 18, 1900	Cerro Gordo
Pocahontas	May 16, 1892	Pocahontas
Polk City	March 13, 1875	Polk
Pomeroy	April 22, 1880	Calhoun
Popejoy	July 24, 1908	Franklin
Portsmouth	Year 1883 (Legislative, Act, Eff.7/1/1979)	Shelby
Postville	March 17, 1873	Allamakee
Prairieburg	March 30, 1905	Linn
Prairie City	August 7, 1874	Jasper
Prescott	November 26, 1890	Adams
Preston	November 11, 1890	Jackson
Primghar	February 15, 1888	O'Brien
Princeton	January 29, 1857	Scott
Promise City	August 23, 1901	Wayne
Protivin	August 1, 1894	Howard
Pulaski	May 3, 1893	Davis
Quasqueton	July 1, 1902	Buchanan
Quimby	June 7, 1906	Cherokee
Radcliffe	July 8, 1891	Hardin
Rake	January 20, 1908	Winnebago
Ralston	October 31, 1903	Carroll
Randalia	April 30, 1896	Fayette
Randall	July 15, 1940 (Filed 8/14/1978)	Hamilton
Randolph	July 6, 1881	Fremont
Rathbun	March 1, 1894	Appanoose
Raymond	May 31, 1956	Black Hawk
Readlyn	February 1, 1905	Bremer
Reasnor	June 15, 1912 (Filed 1/6/2006)	Jasper
Redding	April 10, 1882	Ringgold
Redfield	March 21, 1881	Dallas
Red Oak	June 28, 1869	Montgomery
Reinbeck	May 13, 1878	Grundy
Rembrandt	August 12, 1901	Buena Vista
Remsen	Year 1889 (Leg. Act, Eff. 7/1/1979)	Plymouth
Renwick	October 17, 1891	Humboldt
Rhodes	May 12, 1882	Marshall
Riceville	November 17, 1964	Mitchell
Richland	December 31, 1868	Keokuk
Rickardsville	November 17, 1964	Dubuque
Ricketts	March 19, 1902 (Filed 2/12/1979)	Crawford

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Ridgeway	March 15, 1894	Winneshiek
Rinard	December 29, 1914	Calhoun
Ringsted	March 29, 1900	Emmet
Rippey	April 14, 1896 (Name changed from New Rippey 11/5/57) (Filed 8/29/1978)	Greene
Riverdale	December 27, 1950	Scott
Riverside	March 22, 1882	Washington
Riverton	June 22, 1876	Fremont
Robins	May 3, 1910 (Filed 2/7/1979)	Linn
Rock Falls	July 17, 1882	Cerro Gordo
Rockford	March 19, 1878	Floyd
Rock Rapids	April 8, 1885	Lyon
Rock Valley	November 26, 1886	Sioux
Rockwell	July 9, 1881	Cerro Gordo
Rockwell City	May 2, 1882	Calhoun
Rodman	June 17, 1899 (Filed 11/28/1978)	Palo Alto
Rodney	February 2, 1892	Monona
Roland	December 29, 1891	Story
Rolfe	January 4, 1884 (Filed 9/19/1978)	Pocahontas
Rome	January 1, 1869	Henry
Rose Hill	August 22, 1876	Mahaska
Rossie	August 30, 1922	Clay
Rowan	December 21, 1901	Wright
Rowley	April 20, 1920	Buchanan
Royal	August 30, 1910	Clay
Rudd	February 7, 1900	Floyd
Runnells	May 21, 1903 (Filed February 27, 1971)	Polk
Russell	April 25, 1887	Lucas
Ruthven	March 12, 1885	Palo Alto
Rutland	July 6, 1907	Humboldt
Ryan	May 6, 1901	Delaware
Sabula	September 1864	Jackson
Sac City	December 22, 1874	Sac
Sageville	June 2, 1933	Dubuque
St. Ansgar	February 9, 1876	Mitchell
St. Anthony	November 6, 1897	Marshall
St. Charles	March 15, 1876	Madison
St. Donatus	June 8, 1964	Jackson
St. Lucas	March 6, 1900	Fayette
St. Marys	April 5, 1923	Warren
St. Olaf	May 31, 1900	Clayton
St. Paul	April 1, 1895	Lee
Salem	January 24, 1855	Henry
Salix	April 19, 1893	Woodbury
Sanborn	March 15, 1880	O'Brien
Sandyville	January 30, 1869	Warren
Scarville	April 11, 1904	Winnebago
Schaller	May 25, 1883	Sac
Schleswig	February 15, 1900	Crawford
Scranton	May 18, 1880	Greene
Searsboro	August 3, 1876	Poweshiek
Sergeant Bluff	May 2, 1904	Woodbury
Seymour	February 28, 1874	Wayne
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Shannon City	December 26, 1892	Union
Sharpsburg	April 25, 1905	Taylor
Sheffield	April 8, 1876	Franklin
Shelby	November 24, 1877	Shelby
Sheldahl	January 18, 1882	Polk
Sheldon	April 24, 1876	O'Brien
Shell Rock	June 1, 1875	Butler
Shellsburg	February 19, 1874	Benton
Shenandoah	June 20, 1871	Page
Sherrill	June 29, 1933	Dubuque
Shueyville	March 8, 1968	Johnson
Sibley	April 5, 1876	Osceola
Sidney	May 7, 1870	Fremont
Sigourney	October 4, 1858	Keokuk
Silver City	June 23, 1883	Mills
Sioux Center	October 1, 1891	Sioux
Sioux City	January 16, 1857	Woodbury
Sioux Rapids	April 6, 1882	Buena Vista
Slater	May 5, 1890	Story
Sloan	October 16, 1883	Woodbury
Smithland	May 6, 1889	Woodbury
Soldier	April 1, 1901	Monona
Solon	April 28, 1877	Johnson
Somers	April 26, 1902	Calhoun
South English	July 13, 1892	Keokuk
Spencer	July 13, 1892	Clay
Spillville	December 5, 1894	Winneshiek
Spirit Lake	October 14, 1878	Dickinson
Spragueville	May 18, 1912	Jackson
Springbrook	March 2, 1897	Jackson
Spring Hill	November 22, 1881	Warren
Spring Vale	July 14, 1869 (Filed 9/15/1978)-- Not an incorp city 6/2008	Humboldt
Springville	January 27, 1882	Linn
Stacyville	March 30, 1900	Mitchell
Stanhope	December 14, 1897	Hamilton
Stanley	March 23, 1914	Buchanan
Stanton	March 12, 1883	Montgomery
Stanwood	March 29, 1887 (Filed 7/24/1978)	Cedar
State Center	August 26, 1867	Marshall
Steamboat Rock	October 7, 1875	Hardin
Stockport	January 9, 1903	Van Buren
Stockton	February 11, 1902	Muscatine
Storm Lake	February 28, 1873	Buena Vista
Story City	December 12, 1881	Story
Stout	June 25, 1909	Grundy
Stratford	September 27, 1883	Hamilton
Strawberry Point	December 19, 1887	Clayton
Struble	August 17, 1895	Plymouth
Stuart	February 6, 1887	Guthrie
Sully	February 23, 1901	Jasper
Sumner	June 1, 1894	Bremer
Superior	December 11, 1895	Dickinson
Sutherland	October 29, 1883	O'Brien

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Swaledale	March 31, 1892	Cerro Gordo
Swan	June 26, 1884	Marion
Swea City	May 7, 1895	Kossuth
Swisher	July 25, 1933	Johnson
Tabor	October 5, 1868	Fremont
Tama	March 16, 1887	Tama
Templeton	September 28, 1883	Carroll
Tennant	April 23, 1915 (Filed 10/3/1978)	Shelby
Terril	December 30, 1899	Dickinson
Thayer	May 11, 1894	Union
Thompson	February 24, 1894	Winnebago
Thor	April 23, 1900	Humboldt
Thornburg	September 25, 1883	Keokuk
Thornton	August 22, 1892	Cerro Gordo
Thurman	February 10, 1879	Fremont
Tiffin	December 27, 1906 (Filed 8/1/1978)	Johnson
Tingley	June 17, 1884	Ringgold
Tipton	January 27, 1857	Cedar
Titonka	February 1, 1900	Kossuth
Toledo	January 1, 1866	Tama
Toronto	July 26, 1909	Clinton
Traer	January 18, 1875	Tama
Treynor	August 24, 1904 (Filed 8/24/1978)	Pottawattamie
Tripoli	October 16, 1894	Bremer
Truesdale	May 15, 1917	Buena Vista
Truro	February 24, 1902	Madison
Turin	April 6, 1900	Monona
Udell	April 9, 1903	Appanoose
Underwood	January 28, 1902	Pottawattamie
Union	October 26, 1874	Hardin
Unionville	July 1, 1922	Appanoose
University Heights	August 13, 1935	Johnson
University Park	April 13, 1909	Mahaska
Urbana	November 4, 1892	Benton
Urbandale	April 16, 1917	Polk
Ute	November 4, 1892	Monona
Valeria	December 9, 1912	Jasper
Vail	October 1, 1875	Crawford
Van Horne	June 13, 1883	Benton
Van Meter	December 29, 1877	Dallas
Van Wert	March 4, 1891	Decatur
Varina	March 29, 1901	Pocahontas
Vedic City	July 25, 2001 (Name changed to Maharishi Vedic City 11/13/2001)	Jefferson
Ventura	May 28, 1960	Cerro Gordo
Victor	November 30, 1868	Iowa
Villisca	September 3, 1869	Montgomery
Vincent	May 27, 1898	Webster
Vining	May 26, 1913	Tama
Vinton	July 17, 1869	Benton
Volga	October 16, 1895	Clayton
Wadena	July 11, 1895	Fayette
Wahpeton	June 24, 1933	Dickinson
Walcott	July 10, 1894	Scott

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Walford	April 15, 1954	Benton
Walker	June 13, 1891	Linn
Wallingford	November 4, 1913	Emmet
Wall Lake	December 7, 1880	Sac
Walnut	October 2, 1877	Pottawattamie
Wapello	July 15, 1856	Louisa
Washington	June 6, 1864	Washington
Washta	June 6, 1890	Cherokee
Waterloo	July 1, 1868	Black Hawk
Waterville	June 18, 1912	Allamakee
Waucoma	June 5, 1883	Fayette
Waukee	December 23, 1878	Dallas
Waukon	April 4, 1883	Allamakee
Waverly	March 2, 1859	Bremer
Wayland	February 5, 1890	Henry
Webb	April 9, 1901	Clay
Webster	April 13, 1909	Keokuk
Webster City	September 16, 1874	Hamilton
Weldon	October 20, 1902	Decatur
Wellman	October 28, 1885	Washington
Wellsburg	March 28, 1896	Grundy
Welton	April 25, 1908	Clinton
Wesley	April 13, 1892	Kossuth
West Bend	February 27, 1884	Palo Alto
West Branch	April 12, 1875	Cedar
West Burlington	December 15, 1883	Des Moines
West Chester	April 17, 1899	Washington
West Des Moines	November 16, 1893	Polk
Westfield	May 27, 1903	Plymouth
Westgate	July 6, 1896	Fayette
West Liberty	July 1, 1867	Muscatine
West Okoboji	December 17, 1924	Dickinson
Westphalia	November 7, 1919	Shelby
West Point	March 25, 1858 (Filed 9/29/1978)	Lee
Westside	Year 1871, (Legislative Act, Eff. 7/1/79)	Crawford
West Union	December 9, 1879	Fayette
Westwood	January 14, 1982	Henry
What Cheer	February 27, 1880	Keokuk
Wheatland	July 13, 1869	Clinton
Whitten	March 13, 1896 (Legislative Act, Chpt.120,Filed 2/3/1977)	Hardin
Whiting	May 15, 1883	Monona
Whittemore	November 19, 1891	Kossuth
Willey	February 29, 1912	Carroll
Williams	September 13, 1883	Hamilton
Williamsburg	December 3, 1884	Iowa
Williamson	June 14, 1922	Lucas
Wilton	February 12, 1878	Muscatine
Windsor Heights	July 19, 1941	Polk
Winfield	March 27, 1882	Henry
Winterset	January 16, 1857	Madison
Winthrop	June 7, 1886	Buchanan
Wiota	January 16, 1884 (Filed 4/22/85)	Cass
Woden	January 7, 1904	Hancock

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Woodbine	November 9, 1877	Harrison
Woodburn	February 12, 1878	Clarke
Woodward	October 13, 1883	Dallas
Woolstock	April 19, 1895	Wright
Worthington	January 10, 1893	Dubuque
Wyoming	October 21, 1873	Jones
Yale	November 27, 1901 (SF 1291;66th GA 1976 Filed 10/1/76)	Guthrie
Yetter	January 11, 1904	Calhoun
Yorktown	March 25, 1899	Page
Zearing	February 6, 1883	Story
Zwingle	December 17, 1900	Dubuque

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