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## Grants available for fishing and boating education programs in Hispanic communities

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources' *Fish Iowa!* angler education program has partnered with the Recreational Fishing and Boating Foundation's (RBFF) *Vamos A Pescar*<sup>™</sup> program to provide funding to local 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organizations to support local efforts to educate and engage families in high-density Hispanic communities through programs, classes and fishing activities. Minimum grant request is \$5,000 with a 1:1 cash match required.

The George H.W. Bush *Vamos A Pescar*<sup>™</sup> Education Fund and *Fish Iowa!* will provide funds for programming between Feb. 1 and Nov. 1, 2022. Applications must be submitted via email no later than Dec. 8, 2021. For grant guidelines and applications, contact Barb Gigar at [Barb.Gigar@dnr.iowa.gov](mailto:Barb.Gigar@dnr.iowa.gov).

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