**Washington, DC -** Today, Rep. Bruce Braley (D-Iowa) announced the launch of a new feature on his official website where citizens can report government waste, fraud and abuse. The 'Waste Watchdog' feature allows constituents to help track government spending. Braley will follow up and investigate any constituent reports of misused tax dollars.

"The Waste Watchdog will allow citizens to report instances of waste, fraud or abuse of taxpayer dollars," Braley said. "American taxpayers shouldn't have to worry that their taxes aren't being spent wisely. With money from the Recovery Act already being released, it's especially important that all funding helps boost our economy, with no dollar wasted.

"I encourage constituents to help ensure their tax dollars are being well spent by reporting any waste, fraud, and abuse they see."

The Waste Watchdog feature is available on Braley's website at http://braley.house.gov/ . Click on the 'Waste Watchdog' link.