

THE COUNTY AUDITOR'S SIGNATURE CERTIFIES THAT THIS RESOLUTION HAS BEEN FORMALLY APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ON _____ DATE _____
_____ SCOTT COUNTY AUDITOR

RESOLUTION
SCOTT COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
DECEMBER 18, 2025

APPROVAL OF THE ADOPTION OF A CONSTRUCTION EVALUATION RESOLUTION AS
PROVIDED BY IOWA CODE CHAPTER 459

BE IT RESOLVED by the Scott County Board of Supervisors as follows:

Section 1. Iowa Code section 459.304(3) sets out the procedure for a county board of supervisors to adopt a "construction evaluation resolution" relating to the construction of a confinement feeding operation structure.

Section 2. Only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution can submit to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) a recommendation to approve or disapprove a construction permit application for a confinement feeding operation structure.

Section 3. Only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution and submitted an adopted recommendation may contest the DNR's decision regarding a specific application.

Section 4. By adopting a construction evaluation resolution, the Board of Supervisors agrees to evaluate every construction permit application for a proposed confinement feeding operation structure received by the board of supervisors between February 1, 2026 and January 31, 2027 and submit an adopted recommendation regarding that application to the DNR.

Section 5. By adopting a construction evaluation resolution, the Board of Supervisors must conduct an evaluation of every construction permit application using the master matrix as provided in Iowa Code Section 459.305. However, the board's recommendation to the DNR may be based on the final score on the master matrix or on other reasons as determined by the Board of Supervisors.

Section 6. The Scott County Board of Supervisors hereby adopts this Construction Evaluation Resolution in accordance with Iowa Code section 459.304(3) and designates the Scott County Planning and Development Department to receive such applications on behalf of the Board of Supervisors.

Section 7. This resolution shall take effect immediately.