## **RESOLUTION #854-01-11-2022**

## CONSTRUCTION EVALUATION RESOLUTION FOR JACKSON COUNTY

WHEREAS, Iowa Code section 459.304(3) sets out the procedure if a County Board of Supervisors wishes to adopt a "construction evaluation resolution" relating to the construction of a confinement feeding operation structure; and

WHEREAS, only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution between January 1, 2022 and January 31, 2022, can submit to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) an adopted recommendation to approve or disapprove a construction permit application regarding a proposed confinement feeding operation structure; and

WHEREAS, only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution and submitted an adopted recommendation may contest the DNR's decision regarding a specific application; and

WHEREAS, by adopting a construction evaluation resolution the County 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, 2022 and January 31, 2023 and submit an adopted recommendation regarding that application to the DNR; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Supervisors must conduct an evaluation of every construction permit application using the master matrix created in Iowa Code section 459.305, but the Board's recommendation to the DNR may be based on the final score on the master matrix or may be based on reasons other than the final score on the master matrix;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF JACKSON COUNTY that the Board of Supervisors hereby adopts this construction evaluation resolution pursuant to Iowa Code section 459.304(3).

PASSED THIS 11<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JANUARY, 2022.

John J. Willeh

Chair, Jackson County Board of Supervisors

Larpy McDevitt, Member

Jackson County Board of Supervisors

Mike Steines, Member

**Jackson County Board of Supervisors** 

ATTEST:

Alisa Smith

**Jackson County Auditor**