

SCOTT COUNTY ORDINANCE No.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 24, OF THE SCOTT COUNTY CODE RELATIVE TO
NONPUBLIC WATER SUPPLY WELLS

BE IT ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SCOTT COUNTY, IOWA:

SECTION 1.

Delete existing Sec. 24-4,C. and replace with new language Sec. 24-4,C.

- C. Permits shall expire twelve months from the date of receipt of permit fees.

Under Sec. 24-5, A. FEES, change items No. 1, 2, 4 and 5 to read:

1. \$230.00 for a Permit to construct a waterwell.
2. \$75.00 for driven (sandpoint) water well permit.
4. \$80.00 for reconstruction, rehabilitation, or installation of liner.
5. Investigation fee. Whenever any work for which a permit is required by this chapter has been commenced without first obtaining a permit, a special investigation shall be made before a permit may be issued for such work. An investigation fee of \$300.000, in additional to the permit fee, shall be collected whether the permit is then subsequently issued. The payment of an investigation fee shall not exempt any person from compliance with all other provisions of this chapter nor from any penalty prescribed by law.

Delete Sec. 24-5, C.

Delete existing Sec. 24-6, A and B. and add new language to Sec. 24-6.,A and B:

- A. Any person, firm, corporation, landowner, or landowner's agent desiring to conduct water well construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation activities, or well plugging shall be performed by a certified well contractor or the property owner as specified in 567-IAC Chapter 82.
- B. It shall be the responsibility of the certified well contractor to ensure that a well construction permit has been issued prior to initiation of well construction or reconstruction. It shall also be the responsibility of the certified well contractor to ensure that all well services are performed in accordance with the provisions of this chapter. The certified well contractor shall submit water well logs within ninety days of the completion of the well drilling.

SECTION 2.

The County Auditor is directed to keep and maintain a copy of the Ordinance in the County Auditor's office.

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any of the provisions of the Ordinance are for any reason illegal or void, then the lawful provisions of this Ordinance shall be and remain in full force and effect, the same as if the Ordinance contained no illegal or void provisions.

SECTION 4. REPEALER

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its final passage and publication as by law provided.

APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2009.

Jim Hancock, Chairman
Scott County Board of Supervisors

ATTESTED BY:

Roxanna Moritz
Scott County Auditor