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MEMO

TO: Mahesh Sharma, County Administrator
FROM: Jon Burgstrum, P.E., County Engineer
SUBJ: Public Hearing and Approval of Reclassification of Class "B" road to Class "C"

We received the enclosed petition to reclassify a section of 260th Avenue between 250th St. and 257th St. I have talked with these landowners a couple of times to let them know the procedure. The landowners have decided to request the reclassification which will close the road to the public. For a Class "C" road, we install a gate with a lock and no trespassing signs. The landowners will have keys to the gate and we will only maintain to the road if they request it. The purpose of the Class "C" designation is to keep the road from being damaged by the public, keep the public out of the landowner's fields, and to reduce the maintenance of the road for us. All effected landowners and tenants have signed the petition. We have a little bit of work to do at either end of the road to prevent people from going around the gates.

There is a public hearing scheduled for 5:00 p.m. on July 27, 2017 to hear public comment.

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

DATE

SCOTT COUNTY AUDITOR

R E S O L U T I O N

SCOTT COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

July 27, 2017

APPROVAL OF RECLASSIFICATION OF CLASS "B" ROAD TO CLASS "C"

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

- Section 1. That Scott County desires to classify certain roads on the area service system in the County to provide for a minimal level of maintenance and access by means of a gate or barrier. After consultation with the County Engineer, the County has the authority to specify certain roads within the County as Area Service "C" roads pursuant to Iowa Code Section 309.57 (1995) as amended by House File 419 (1996).
- Section 2. Scott County established an Ordinance to set up the procedures and policies to re-classify said roads.
- Section 3. The County has received a petition, attached to this Resolution, signed by all landowners adjoining the road, requesting that a portion of 260th Ave between 250th Street and 257th Street (approximately .75 mile) be classified as an Area Service "C".
- Section 4. That Scott County does hereby establish the road described as an Area Service "C" road, with restricted access and a minimal level of maintenance.
- Section 5. This resolution shall take effect immediately.