

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

March 21, 2019

Recognizing April 2, 2019 as Scott County Health Department Day

WHEREAS, public health is concerned with the health of entire populations; and

WHEREAS, public health departments provide primary and expert leadership in promoting, protecting, and preserving the health of people and the communities where they live, learn, work and play; and

WHEREAS, the Scott County Health Department has served as the local public health agency for the citizens of Scott County for 50 years, under delegation of authority by the Scott County Board of Health; and

WHEREAS, public health accreditation improves and protects the health of the public by advancing the quality and performance of the nation's public health departments; and fosters their commitment to quality improvement, performance management, and the capacity to deliver the Ten Essential Public Health Services; and

WHEREAS, the Public Health Accreditation Board is a nonprofit organization that was created to manage the national public health accreditation program, and sets standards toward which public health departments can continuously work to improve the quality of their services; and

WHEREAS, the Scott County Health Department was awarded accredited status by the Public Health Accreditation Board in November 2018; and

WHEREAS, April 1 - 7, 2019 is National Public Health Week, a time to recognize the contributions of public health and highlight issues that are important to improving our nation's health.

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

- Section 1. That the Board of Supervisors appreciate the contributions to our community by the Scott County Health Department in its 50 years of protecting, promoting, and preserving the health of the citizens of Scott County; and
- Section 2. That the Board of Supervisors extends their congratulations to the Scott County Health Department on its accreditation by the Public Health Accreditation Board;
- Section 3. That the Board of Supervisors recognizes National Public Health Week, and declares April 2, 2019, to be **Scott County Health Department Day** in Scott County, Iowa.
- Section 4. This resolution shall take place immediately.