

ORDINANCE NO. 400.08

Whereas holding tanks are allowed as a method of waste collection if a conventional or alternate septic system cannot be installed and

Whereas the holding tank is an expensive and maintenance situation that may outweigh the benefits and

Whereas the administrative costs and requirements for the disposal of holding tank waste is an on-going problem and

Whereas additional State mandated controls on disposal are soon to be implemented and holding tanks users frequently experience an unexpected maintenance burden that was not realistically considered before installation and

Whereas counties have the option under Wisconsin Statutes to prohibit holding tanks for new construction which is hereby defined as the initial development of a lot, a dwelling or additional dwellings or a building requiring sanitary facilities on a developed lot or a use change for an existing developed lot but does not include the replacement of a destroyed building if replaced with the same or a smaller size building to be used for the same purpose

Now Therefore Be It Resolved that the Iowa County Board of Supervisors does hereby ordain that holding tanks for the collection of human waste are hereby prohibited if intended to serve new construction.

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