RESOLUTION NO. 12-1109

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF AGRICULTURAL LIME

WHEREAS, the Iowa County Board is authorized to acquire and own lime pits pursuant to § 59.52(6)(a), Wis. Stats.; and

WHEREAS, the County is further authorized to sell lime to farmers at cost pursuant to § 59.70(24), Wis. Stats.; and

WHEREAS, the Iowa County Highway Department holds an annual lime sale license issued by the Department of Agriculture in the name of the Iowa County Highway Commission pursuant to § 94.66(2), Wis. Stats.; and

WHEREAS, the County Board may direct the Clerk to sell any County property on terms that the Board approves; and

WHEREAS, the County Board has been informed that it has excess lime that is available for sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved in legal session assembled by the Iowa County Board that the Iowa County Highway Commissioner acting on behalf of the Iowa County Highway Commission, be granted the authority and discretion to dispose agricultural lime by sale to Iowa County farmers at cost.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Highway Commissioner shall be authorized to determine when there is an excess lime not likely to be utilized by Iowa County farmers and further that the Highway Commissioner shall present that information to the Iowa County Clerk who then shall be authorized to make sale of such excess agricultural lime to any third party including, but not limited to, farmers located beyond Iowa County or wholesalers of agricultural lime products. Such sales shall be for no less than the County’s cost and such sales shall be reported to the County Board on at least a quarterly basis and shall be accounted for in the Iowa County Clerk’s annual budget.

Respectfully submitted by the Iowa County Transportation Committee