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# HALL COUNTY DRIVEWAY STANDARDS

## DRIVEWAY SLOPE

All driveways must slope away from the county road at a minimum 2% grade for a minimum of ten (10) feet.

Driveways must be constructed to allow water to drain away from the county road and off the driveway to the side or sides with either a crown or flat slope.

## DRAINAGE

Culvert size will be determined by the Hall County Highway Department and no culverts less than fifteen (15) inches in diameter will be permitted.

Culverts must be a minimum of ten (10) feet away from the edge of the paving or traveled gravel surface to allow for a proper driveway radius.

Driveways that allow water to accumulate on or run across a county road will be ordered removed or corrected at the owner's expense

## SIDE SLOPES

The slope of the sides of the driveway must be at a minimum 3 to 1 slope. For every three feet horizontal the slope may not drop more than one foot.

## LINE OF SIGHT

Driveways will not be permitted in poor line of sight locations.

Owner may be directed to cut or trim trees or shrubs to make driveway entrance or exit safer.

## **LATERAL OBSTACLE CLEARANCE**

Retaining walls, mail boxes, or pillars on the sides of the driveway constructed of brick, steel, concrete, or any other non-break away material will not be permitted within the county road Right-of-Way and is a violation of State and Federal Law. Contact the Hall County Highway Department for guidance on acceptable break-away post materials allowed by law.

## **PERMITS**

Driveway permits are required by the Hall County Board of Supervisors by Resolution #08-031. The Hall County Highway Department has been directed by the Hall County Board of Supervisors to remove any driveway constructed without a permit or in violation of minimum standards at the owner's expense.

All materials used in the construction of the driveway are at the expense of the owner.

Final driveway approval after construction is complete will be given by the Hall County Highway Department. It will be the owner's responsibility to maintain the driveway at or above the minimum standards as long as the driveway is in existence.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2008

Hall County Highway Department

RESOLUTION 08-031

WHEREAS the County of Hall has, in the past, provided driveway construction at no cost to residents of said county; and,

WHEREAS the County of Hall has, in the past, had no permitting procedure for the construction and approval of said driveways; and,

WHEREAS the County of Hall has, in the past, provided driveway culverts; and,

WHEREAS the County of Hall wishes to redefine this practice;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of Supervisors that no driveway culverts be furnished by Hall County for any reason unless the culvert is deteriorated and/or re-grading of an existing driveway is undertaken by Hall County.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that before installation of any rural private driveway, a permit must be obtained from the Hall County Public Works Department.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that driveways not constructed in accordance with this resolution or the direction of the Hall County Public Works Department will be removed at the owners expense.

DATED THIS 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF APRIL, 2008.

COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF HALL COUNTY, NEBRASKA.