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STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
TRADE & CONSUMER PROTECTION

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) ss. Clearinghouse Rule
) No. 93-204
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CERTIFICATION:

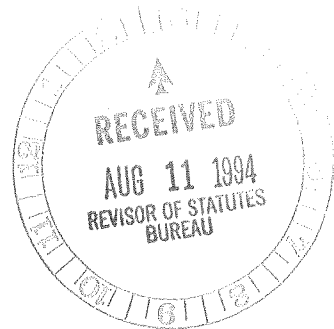
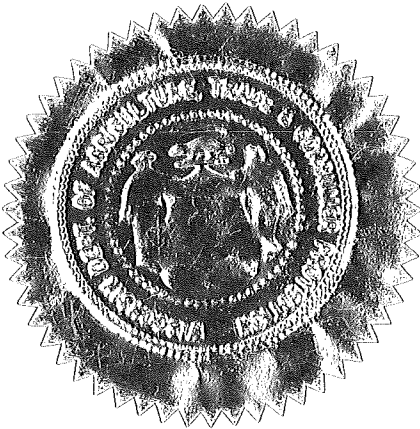
I, Alan T. Tracy, Secretary of the State of Wisconsin, Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, and custodian of the department's official records, hereby certify that the attached rulemaking order relating to the maximum grants for animal waste storage systems was signed and adopted by the Department on August 8th, 1994.

I further certify that I have compared the attached copy to the original on file in the department, and that the attached copy is a complete and accurate copy of the original.

Signed and sealed this 8th day of August, 1994.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
TRADE, AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

By Alan T. Tracy
Alan T. Tracy, Secretary



10-1-94

**ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, TRADE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION
AMENDING RULES**

1 The state of Wisconsin department of agriculture, trade and
2 consumer protection hereby adopts the following order to repeal
3 and recreate ATCP 50.80(2)(a)1 and to amend ATCP 50.80(2)(d)
4 relating to cost share grants for animal waste storage systems.

Analysis Prepared by the Department of Agriculture,
Trade and Consumer Protection

Statutory authority: ss. 92.05(3)(e) and 92.14(8), Stats.

Statutes interpreted: s. 92.14(6)(h) 1.d, Stats.

The department currently administers a cost-share grant program for animal waste storage systems under s. 92.14, Stats. The program helps to prevent pollution resulting from inadequate storage of animal waste.

This rule authorizes the department to provide increased grants for animal waste storage systems. Under this rule, the department may provide a cost-share grant of 70 percent of the first \$20,000 of eligible project costs, and 50 percent of the remaining eligible costs, up to the maximum of \$35,000. This rule is based on a study mandated by 1993 Wis. Act 16.

Under current rules, the cost-share rate for animal waste storage systems is 70%, but the maximum grant is limited to \$10,000. By emergency rule, the department temporarily increased the maximum grant to \$20,000; but that emergency rule expired on June 10, 1994. If the department does not adopt this rule, the maximum grant level will remain at \$10,000 now that the emergency rule has expired.

1 **SECTION 1.** ATCP 50.80(2)(a)1 is repealed and recreated to
2 read:

3 ATCP 50.80(2)(a)1.

4 Animal waste storage systems; first \$20,000 70%

5 Animal waste storage systems; amount over \$20,000 50%

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Section 2. ATCP 50.80(2)(d) is amended to read:

ATCP 50.80(2)(d) The maximum combined grant from all governmental sources for the construction of animal waste storage facilities systems may not exceed ~~\$10,000~~ \$35,000. This ~~\$10,000~~ \$35,000 limitation does not apply to any structure, facility or practice, the principal purpose of which is to control or prevent barnyard runoff.

Section 3. The rules contained in this order shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register, as provided under s. 227.22(2), Stats.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1994.

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