



CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVY

FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010

DATE: January 12, 2009

TO: THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

SUBJECT: BRUCELLOSIS AND TUBERCULOSIS ERADICATION FUND

In compliance with Section 165.18, Code of Iowa, the Iowa Secretary of Agriculture is to notify the Board of Supervisors of each county of the amount to levy to pay the expenses estimated to be incurred in the brucellosis and tuberculosis eradication programs during fiscal year 2008-2009.

The amount to levy shall be .30 (30/100) cent per thousand dollars of assessed value of all taxable property in the county. This is a decrease of .05 (5/100) cent per thousand dollars of assessed value.

Pursuant to section 165.18, Code of Iowa, no later than June 15 or December 15 of the year in which the tax is collected, the County Treasurer is to transmit the amount of tax levied and collected to the Secretary of Agriculture who will credit it to the brucellosis and tuberculosis eradication fund for payment of all incurred obligations according to the Code of Iowa. Please use the attached report form for this purpose.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact this office at (515) 281-8601.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Schmitt". The signature is written in a cursive style.

David Schmitt, D.V.M.
Acting State Veterinarian
Bureau of Animal Industry

cc: County Treasurer