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**POLICY STATEMENT REGARDING PRIVATE ENTRANCES TO SECONDARY ROADS
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POLICY STATEMENT

Providing entrances from privately owned land to Tama County Secondary Roads shall be the responsibility of the landowner.

POLICY IMPLEMENTATION

Individuals desiring such entrances shall apply to the office of the County Engineer for authorization to construct the entrance and for the specifications for that construction. The authorization shall specify:

1. The required culvert type, diameter and length.
2. The maximum slopes to the entrance.
3. The minimum depth of rock cover.

An application may be denied for reasons of safety such as:

1. Insufficient sight distances along the secondary road.
2. Nearness to other entrances which may lead to traffic congestion.

The owner is responsible for providing all labor and materials necessary for the construction of the entrance. The Department shall assume the responsibility for maintaining the entrance after five (5) years from the time of construction.