

Green County Livestock Facility Study Group

RECOMMENDATIONS BY DEPARTMENT

Green County Board

The Green County Board was identified as the lead organization for the following recommendations. Recommendation numbers correspond with the numbers within the Livestock Facility Study Group Report & Recommendations document.

COMMUNITY MAPPING & MONITORING (page 25)

TESTING (page 26)

7. Green County Board and Green County Land and Water Conservation Department request to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to consider for all e. coli positive samples an investigation using microbial source tracking testing if offsite livestock contamination seems plausible.

- Rationale: Initiate an investigation and allow trace-back to sources of contaminated wells using DNA technology.

- Note: The Green County Land and Water Conservation Department and the Green County Board were both identified as lead stakeholders for this recommendation.

UPDATE AS OF JUNE 2023

As per a Green County Land and Water Conservation Committee Meeting on August 2, 2018, minutes show “Item 7: NRCS already does this. Recommendation rejected.”

RULES & REGULATIONS (page 29)

LOCAL CONTROL (page 29)

1. County board officials need to engage the state legislature on water and air quality regulations and for more local control on these issues.

- Rationale: Local control has been removed and moved to state government.

UPDATE AS OF JUNE 2023

The Green County Clerk is not aware of updates on this item.