

RESOLUTION

ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Andrew M Baker
INITIATED BY



3/29/2023
DATE DRAFTED

Recognizing Duane Collins for Service to Rock County

WHEREAS, Duane Collins began his career with Rock County Land Conservation Department as a Conservation Specialist in 2002; and,

WHEREAS, Duane gained experience working with Farm Service Agency and Natural Resources Conservation Service prior to his time with Rock County; and,

WHEREAS, Duane studied Soil Science at Rock Valley College following graduation from Hononegah High School in 1976; and,

WHEREAS, Duane was a successful dairy farmer along side his dad, as the Farm Manager for the Dry Run Ranch and operating his dairy from 1981 to 1988, which was consistently one of the best in Rock County for average herd milk production, including a top ten average of 18,989 pounds; and,

WHEREAS, Duane has long been a part of the agricultural community as a whole in the state-line area, from winning the Grand Champion Reserve Duroc Boar at the Wisconsin State sale in 1981 to becoming a Certified Crop Advisor (CCA) in 2006, allowing him to assist producers with their nutrient management plans as a staff person for the County; and,

WHEREAS, Duane looks forward to spending more time with his wife of 32 years, Betty, his daughters Tia and MacKenzie and his grandchildren Boone, Abe and Teagan; and,

WHEREAS, Duane Collins will retire from public service on March 31, 2023.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this 13th day of April, 2023, does hereby recognize Duane Collins for his over 20 years of faithful service and recommends that a sincere expression of appreciation be given to Duane along with best wishes for the future.

Committee Action

Land Conservation Committee

The Land Conservation Committee recommended this resolution for approval by a unanimous voice vote.

County Board Staff Committee

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