

## **\*MAHASKA COUNTY 2025 DUST CONTROL POLICY\***

The following dates are tentative and subject to change...

Applications and permits received by April 11<sup>th</sup> will be available for treatment on or after May 16<sup>th</sup>. If you miss the April 11<sup>th</sup> deadline, you WILL NOT be able to get your area treated until on or after June 6<sup>th</sup>. Second applications will be applied on or after July 25, 2025.

Contractor flags and dust control signs are available at the Mahaska County Engineer office located at 2074 Old Highway 163, Oskaloosa, or from the contractor.

**\*If you are using H&D Services...** *Please submit the dust control permit enclosed with a \$25.00 fee payment to Mahaska County Engineer, 2074 Old Hwy. 163, Oskaloosa, IA 52577.*

The product used is Lignin Sulfonate (tree sap) & Mag Chloride combination.

The office number is 641-623-2330 or cell number 641-990-2161.

Once the permit and fee are received, the Engineer office will forward a copy of the permit to H&D. The County will prepare the road as needed before the supplier applies the product.

*The customer is responsible for contacting H&D regarding their payment for service.*

**\*If you are using Binns & Stevens...** The product is Calcium Chloride. The office number is 641-672-2566.

Please refer to their website or contact them at the number above regarding ALL forms and fees, including Mahaska County's permit fee. Once all amounts are paid to Binns & Stevens, notification will be sent to Mahaska County Engineer. The County will prepare the road as needed before the supplier applies the product.

For questions or concerns, email Emily Hefner at [hefner@mahaskacountyia.gov](mailto:hefner@mahaskacountyia.gov) or call the Mahaska County Engineer office at (641) 672-2897.

If unavailable, please leave a voicemail.

**MAHASKA COUNTY 2025 DUST CONTROL PERMIT**

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Road Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Township: \_\_\_\_\_ Section: \_\_\_\_\_  
Explain where dust control is to be placed: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Length of application \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of applications desired \_\_\_\_\_

**MAHASKA COUNTY GUIDELINES**

1. Petroleum products and used oil are not allowed.
2. The width of the application must be at least 20 feet wide.
3. To prevent blading or rocking over the dust control product: applicant is responsible for placing and maintaining flags and "DUST CONTROL" signs at each end of the treated surface. Flags and signs must be visible and maintained for the entire season. The County is not responsible for broken, damaged, or missing signs.
4. The permit is valid until October 1, 2025. After that date, Mahaska County may blade or rock the road as needed for winter preparation.
5. Mahaska County has no obligation and will assume no responsibility for the dust control product or application. Complaints regarding the performance of the dust control product should be directed at the applicator.
6. The County reserves the right to maintain the road at any time and is not responsible for lost dust control.

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**Applicant Signature of Acknowledgement**

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**Date**