

**TOWN OF RIVER FALLS  
RESOLUTION 2016 – B**

**A Resolution to Adopt Chapter 17.06 and Corresponding Zoning Map as Certified  
by DATCP on February 19, 2016**

**WHEREAS:** The Town of River Falls desires to update and modify the Farmland Preservation Ordinance 17.06 and corresponding A-1 Zoning District Map to comply with Ch. 91. Wis. Stats. as repealed and recreated by 2009 Wis. Act 28 and,

**WHEREAS:** The Town of River Falls is a town in Pierce County, Wisconsin. The Town of River Falls is a political subdivision that is authorized to adopt a farmland preservation zoning ordinance under s. 91.30, Wis. Stats. and,

**WHEREAS:** Under s. 91.36, Wis. Stats. DATCP may certify a farmland preservation zoning ordinance or ordinance amendment for compliance with statutory standards. Certification allows farmers covered by the ordinance to claim farmland preservation tax credits under subch. IX of Ch. 71, Wis. Stats. and,

**WHEREAS:** The Town of River Falls has certified that the ordinance is consistent with Pierce County's certified farmland preservation plan and,

**WHEREAS:** DATCP has certified that the Town of River Falls farmland preservation ordinance meets the statutory standards under s. 91.38, Wis. Stats. and,

**WHEREAS:** DATCP has made its certification contingent upon the Town of River Falls adoption of the certified ordinance in the form certified.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** That the Town of River Falls adopts Chap. 17.06 as submitted to DATCP on Dec 29, 2015 and the corresponding Zoning Map dated Nov 20, 2015. This certification takes effect March 21, 2016 and expires at the end of the day December 31, 2026.

Adopted this 21 day of March, 2016.

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Diana Smith, Town Chair

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Ruth Stern, Town Clerk