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FROM: Office of Local Systems

SUBJECT: Spring 2009 Seeding Date Extension

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Extended forecasts call for normal precipitation and temperatures. The state has had sufficient moisture along with moderate temperatures, so the Spring seeding date for cool season grasses and legumes has been extended to Saturday, June 6. Any seeding done after June 6 shall be done at the Engineer's discretion depending on each project's situation.

As in the past, ditch and slope blankets can be installed throughout the summer as long as all four waterings are done. Rain events do NOT count as a watering when outside the normal seeding period.

If you have any questions, **please do not reply to this note**. Instead, you may contact Dean Herbst in the Office of Construction at phone number 515-239-1280 or e-mail at dean.herbst@dot.iowa.gov -or- Ole Skaar Jr. in the Office of Design at phone number 515-239-1425 or e-mail at ole.skaar@dot.iowa.gov.

Thank you,

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