

RESOLUTION 2022-40

**RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE DESTRUCTION OF ELECTION RECORDS IN THE COUNTY
AUDITOR'S OFFICE**

WHEREAS, Section 331.323(2)(d) of the Code of Iowa states the Board of Supervisors may authorize a county officer to destroy records that are not required to be kept as permanent records; and

WHEREAS, Iowa Code Section 50.13(1) states if at the expiration of length for retaining ballots has been met, and if there is not a pending contest, the commissioner, without opening the package in which the ballots are enclosed shall destroy the ballots, and

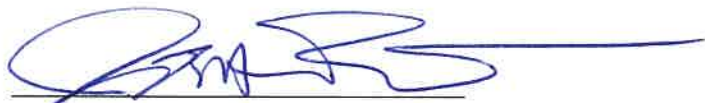
WHEREAS Iowa Code Section 50.13(2) states that if ballots are to be shredded, the package may be opened, but ballots shall not be examined before shredding. The commissioner shall also invite the chairperson of each of the political parties to designate a person to witness the destruction of the ballots, and

WHEREAS, the County Auditor's Office has identified records appropriately for destruction and has inventoried said records as follows:

- General Election 11-3-2020

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lyon County Board of Supervisors that the County Auditor be authorized to destroy said records in an appropriate and secure manner.

Passed and approved this 11th day of October, 2022.



Josh Feucht, Chairman

ATTEST:



Jen Smit, County Auditor &
Clerk to the Board of Supervisors