

January 29, 2026

Jim Pillen, Governor
State Capitol, 2nd Floor
Lincoln, NE 68509

Brandon Metzler, Clerk of the Nebraska Legislature
State Capitol, Room 2018
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Governor Pillen and Mr. Metzler:

Please accept the Nebraska Department of Water, Energy, and Environment 2025 Attestation Report to fulfill the requirements of Neb. Rev. Stat. 4-113 (formerly the Departments of Natural Resources and Environment and Energy). This report provides information regarding attestation forms submitted from January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025.

In total, DWEE received 4664 attestation forms in 2025. The table below provides a breakdown by program, including: 1) the number of forms received by program, and 2) the number of applications rejected due to restrictions of the Act.

Program	Attestation forms received	Applications denied
Chemigation Applicator Certification Program	1208	0
Dollar and Energy Savings Loans	567	0
Wastewater Treatment Facility Operator Certification Program	146	0
On-Site (Septic, Private Lagoon) Wastewater Treatment Program	90	0
Environmental Safety Section (pools, mobile home parks and recreation camps)	1600	0
Livestock Waste Control Program	4	0
National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System	0	0
Nebraska Clean Diesel Program	0	0
ONE RED Irrigation Engine Rebate Program	92	1
Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program	59	0
Planning and Aid Waste & Litter Grants	1	0
Public Water Operator Licenses	387	0
Public Water System Permit to Operate	9	0
Nebraska Soils & Water Cash Fund	495	0
Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program	6	0

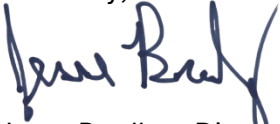
DWEE actions taken in compliance with Neb. Rev. Stat. 4-113 during this period:

- E Verify Program participant;
- U.S. Citizen Attestation forms attached to all relevant programs' applications, on the web and in mailings;

- Requirements are included in all contracts and sub-contracts with individuals;
- Compliance review process explained and assigned to DWEE staff;
- Personnel procedures updated for compliance with the statutory requirements.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me directly at (402) 471-2363 or Isabella Peterson at (402) 560-2017.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jesse Bradley", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Jesse Bradley, Director