

AUTHORIZING AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF VERONA  
FOR RESTORATION OF BADGER MILL CREEK

Dane County Parks owns lands in the City of Verona known as the Ice Age Trail Junction Natural Resource Area. The lands provide recreational access for the Ice Age National Scenic Trail in addition to other trail and recreational opportunities. Land management is focused on creating natural habitat and the Badger Mill Creek runs through the property.

The City of Verona requests access through the property for construction of a replacement sanitary sewer interceptor. The City has agreed to include habitat restoration, including reestablishing the historic connection between the creek and its floodplain, to mitigate the impacts of the project on county parkland and the Ice Age National Scenic Trail. Additionally, the City will include additional instream habitat restoration work in the project scope that the County will fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Dane County Board of Supervisors and the Dane County Executive hereby authorize an agreement with the City of Verona for restoration of Badger Mill Creek at the Ice Age Trail Junction Natural Resource area, and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Executive is hereby authorized to execute the Agreement on behalf of Dane County.