

2024 RES-119

ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT TO SUPPORT CONSERVATION ACTION INTERPRETIVE
TRAINING AT HENRY VILAS ZOO

The Henry Vilas Zoo has secured a Conservation Education grant for a five month project in the amount of \$9,550 from Woodland Park Zoo to support the development of a Conservation Action Interpretation Training Program related to the Advancing Conservation through Empathy for Wildlife initiatives and Henry Vilas Zoo's Interpretive Master Plan.

These funds are being awarded by special invitation of the grantor following the success of the zoo's development and implementation of its Interpretive Master Plan. The funds would be used for an LTE Education Coordinator who would develop pre-and post-evaluation tools, training curricula and supporting reference materials, and a webinar to share with other conservation partners both locally and throughout the field.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Board of Supervisors and the Dane County Executive hereby accept the grant in the amount of \$9,550 from Woodland Park Zoo,

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that new revenue account ZOO NEW "Grant Conservation Action Training" be established for the amount of \$9,550 and accounts ZOO 10072 Limited Term Employees" be increased by \$8,871 and ZOO 10108 "Social Security" be increased by \$679. All Funds shall be carried forward until realized and expended.