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**ACCEPTING COVID 19 VACCINE ACCESS FOR OLDER ADULTS GRANT FUNDS FROM
THE STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
DCDHS – ACS DIVISION**

The Wisconsin Department of Health Services has made federal funding available to expand access to COVID-19 vaccinations via the Aging Network. In Dane County, the Area Agency on Aging (AAA) is responsible for coordinating services to the population of older adults.

Earlier this year, the AAA collaborated with one of its focal points, NewBridge in Madison, and the department's transportation team to provide nearly 600 rides for older adults to and from vaccination appointments for older adults who had no other means of getting to those appointments. This is one of the efforts that has contributed to Dane County's high partial vaccination rate of residents who are 65 and older. This rate was 95.2% as of July 27, 2021, as reported by the Public Health Department of Madison and Dane County.

Other allowable activities under this funding must directly support opportunities to vaccinate eligible older adults, their caregivers, aging network staff and volunteers against COVID-19. The goal of this funding is to support vaccination of as many people as possible. These funds are available through September 30, 2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the following new revenue accounts be added to the Area Agency on Aging section in the Department of Human Services; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following revenue account be credited to the General Fund and transferred from the general fund to the following expenditure accounts in the Department of Human Services:

Revenue Account Number	Account Title	Amount
41000 85044 (NEW)	COVID19 Vaccine Access Revenue	\$59,579
Expenditure Account Number	Account Title	Amount
48000 38521	COVID Vaccine Transportation	\$ 8,658
41000 36044 (NEW)	COVID-19 Vaccine Access Expense	\$50,921

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that unspent funds from 2021 be carried forward for expenditure in 2022.