DANE COUNTY						
POLICY AND FISCAL	NOTE					

x Original Sponsor:	Update	Substitute No Resolution No. 2014 RES-252
Vote Required:		Ordinance Amendment No
Majority	Two-ThirdsX_	

Title of Resolution or Ord. Amd.:

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT TO ACCEPT HIGHWAY SAFETY GRANT FUNDS FOR A COMMUNITY TRAFFIC SAFETY INITIATIVE, 2014 SUMMER EVENTS

#### **Policy Analysis Statement:**

### Brief Description of Proposal -

The Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Safety, State of Wisconsin, is providing funding for an Alcohol Enforcement Initiative to reduce the number of alcohol related crashes by persons leaving area festivals and community events. The grant provides funding for a Safe Rider Program and a media plan.

## Current Policy or Practice -

Acceptance of grant funding requires approval of the County Board.

## Impact of Adopting Proposal -

Changes in driver behavior is effective in reducing motor-vehicle crashes and injuries. Enactment and enforcement of traffic safety laws, reinforced by media and public education leads to safer behavior choices. Examples include enforcement of laws against driving while intoxicated, underage drinking, enforcement of seatbelt and child safety seats, motorcycle helmets, and Safe Rider Programs. Annual motor-vehicle crash-related fatalities has decreased and factors contributing to this decline included increased public awareness of the dangers of drinking and driving, new and tougher state laws, stricter law enforcement, and prevention programs that offer alternatives to driving such as safe rider programs (e.g., taxicabs, public transportation, and designated drivers, including responsible alcohol-serving practices).

### **Fiscal Estimate:**

Fiscal Effect (check all that apply) -	Budget Effect (check all that apply)		
No Fiscal Effect	No Budget Effect		
X Results in Revenue Increase	X Increases Rev. Budget		
X Results in Expenditure Increase	X Increases Exp. Budget		
Results in Revenue Decrease	Decreases Rev. Budget		
Results in Expenditure Decrease	Decreases Exp. Budget		
	Increases Position Authority		
	Decreases Position Authority		
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# Expenditure/Revenue Changes:

	Current	Year	Annua	lized		Current	Year	Annua	lized
Expenditures -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Revenues -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Personal Services					County Taxes				
Operating Expenses	\$5,900				Federal				
Contractual Services					State	\$5,900			
Capital					Other				
Total	\$5,900	\$0	\$0	\$0	Total	\$5,900	\$0	\$0	\$0

#### Personnel Impact/FTE Changes:

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