

**DANE COUNTY  
POLICY AND FISCAL NOTE**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original	<input type="checkbox"/> Update	Substitute No. _____
Sponsor: Welsh		Resolution No. 2024 RES-245
Vote Required: Majority _____		Ordinance Amendment No. _____
Two-Thirds <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3/4 <input type="checkbox"/>	

Title of Resolution or Ord. Amd.:

**ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT EMPATHY EVALUATION AT HENRY VILAS ZOO**

**Policy Analysis Statement:**

Brief Description of Proposal -  
Acceptance of funds totaling \$8,000 for the Henry Vilas Zoo Education Department.

Current Policy or Practice -  
Use empathy best practices in signage and programs.

Impact of Adopting Proposal -  
The funds would be used for LTE Educators to conduct evaluation of the effectiveness of signage and programs. Funds will be transferred from the new expense line to LTE lines as needed during the service period.

**Fiscal Estimate:**

<u>Fiscal Effect (check all that apply) -</u>	<u>Budget Effect (check all that apply)</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> No Fiscal Effect	<input type="checkbox"/> No Budget Effect
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Results in Revenue Increase	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increases Rev. Budget
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Results in Expenditure Increase	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increases Exp. Budget
<input type="checkbox"/> Results in Revenue Decrease	<input type="checkbox"/> Decreases Rev. Budget
<input type="checkbox"/> Results in Expenditure Decrease	<input type="checkbox"/> Decreases Exp. Budget
	<input type="checkbox"/> Increases Position Authority
	<input type="checkbox"/> Decreases Position Authority
	Note: if any budget effect, 2/3 vote is required

**Narrative/Assumptions about long range fiscal effect:**

This funding is available through March 2027.

**Expenditure/Revenue Changes:**

	Current Year		Annualized			Current Year		Annualized	
	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease		Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Expenditures -					Revenues -				
Personal Services	\$8,000				County Taxes				
Operating Expenses					Federal				
Contractual Services					State				
Capital					Other	\$8,000			
<b>Total</b>	\$8,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>Total</b>	\$8,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

**Personnel Impact/FTE Changes:**

N/A

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