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ACCEPTING ADDITIONAL OLDER AMERICANS ACT FUNDS FROM THE STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES DCDHS - ACS DIVISION

The Wisconsin Department of Health Services is making a modification to its Older Americans Act funding to Dane County. This modification is coming in response to the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Support Act (CARES) and provides emergency funding for nutrition and supportive services for older adults. There is no match required for this funding.

The Dane County Department of Human Services (DCDHS) uses a portion of Older Americans Act funding to support congregate and home-delivered meals provided by the twelve Senior Focal Points throughout Dane County. This is done in collaboration with municipalities throughout the county and with the support of donations. During the current public health emergency, congregate meal sites for older adults have been closed while the distribution of home-delivered meals has significantly increased. Senior Focal Points, some working with local restaurants, have also developed drive-up meals that are available for older adults. Over the same period in 2019, the demand for all meals has increased by approximately 42.4% and 61.3% in April and May 2020, respectively. This increase is expected to continue for the next several months as congregate meal sites remain closed for older adults. The funds from this modification will defray the expenses associated with this increased demand. Supportive Service funding will be used to offset transportation expenses associated with the increase in number of meals being delivered to older adults.

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:

33	Revenue Account Number		Account Title	Amount
34	41000	85260	AAA CARES Meals	\$760,384
35	41000	85299	AAA CARES Admin	\$102,655
36	48000	85240	AAA CARES 3B Supportive Services	\$20,000
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