

ACCEPTANCE OF 2017 NCR SARE GRANT: TARPS IN COVER CROPS

The Dane County UW-Extension Department has applied for and been awarded a grant for \$29,998 from the North Central Region Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education (NCR-SARE) grant program, administered by the NCR SARE Administrative council. The NCR SARE GRANT FOR TARPS IN COVER CROPS research project will focus on the use of tarps to kill a high-residue winter-hardy mix of rye and vetch before organic vegetables. The research will explore options to improve weed control, soil fertility and productivity on organic vegetable farms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Dane County UW-Extension accept the grant funds and that \$29,998 be deposited in an Extension “NCR SARE GRANT FOR TARPS IN COVER CROPS” revenue account and credited to the General Fund.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that \$29,998 be transferred from the General Fund to an Extension “NCR SARE GRANT FOR TARPS IN COVER CROPS” expense account.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that Dane County UW-Extension Department administer the grant, and that grant funds received in excess of funds expended in the NCR SARE GRANT FOR TARPS IN COVER CROPS project budget line shall be carried forward from year to year in the NCR SARE GRANT FOR TARPS IN COVER CROPS expense line.