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**2016 RES-031**

**AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A LEASE OF AGRICULTURAL LAND  
AT THE DANE COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT**

The Dane County Regional Airport has negotiated a successor lease with Renk Seed Company involving four parcels of vacant land in the vicinity of the Dane County Regional Airport, totaling 203.81 acres. The lease covers five growing seasons, expiring December 31, 2020, and continues the requirement that soil erosion and nutrient runoff be minimized. Use of the leased parcels is limited to the cultivation of seed corn and soybean seed crops, with specified plowing practices to minimize attractants to wildlife that may be hazardous to airport operations. The annual rent is \$39,779.62, payable in semi-annual installments.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Executive and the Dane County Clerk are hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the County of Dane, an Agricultural Lease, Lease No. DCRA 2016-02, leasing agricultural land to Renk Seed Company, as set forth above.