DANE COUNTY POLICY AND FISCAL NOTE

✓ Original Update Sponsor: Ripp	Substitute No
Vote Required:	Ordinance Amendment No
Majority ✓ Two-Thirds	

Title of	Resolution	or Ore	d. Amd.:

AUTHORIZING A PURCHASE OF LAND IN THE TOWN OF VIENNA FOR FLOODWATER STORAGE AREA

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Policy	Analysis	s Stateme	ent:

Brief Description of Proposal -

Dane County Land & Water Resources Department (LWRD) recommends the purchase of approximately 82 acres off County Highway V in the Town of Vienna from the Koch Family Farm, LLC for \$779,000. The property has a relatively shallow depth to ground water making it ideal for promoting and enhancing wetland functions including the environmental benefits of floodwater storage and groundwater protection.

Current Policy or Practice -

Land purchases require County Board approval.

Impact of Adopting Proposal -

The U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service supports the County's purchase of this parcel as it would significantly enhance the wetland habitat for waterfowl, create future upland to attract grasslands bird and provide additional lands for public recreation including hunting.

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Fiscal Effect (check all that apply) -	Budget Effect (check all that apply)
No Fiscal Effect	No Budget Effect
Results in Revenue Increase	Increases Rev. Budget
✓ Results in Expenditure Increase	Increases Exp. Budget
Results in Revenue Decrease	Decreases Rev. Budget
Results in Expenditure Decrease	Decreases Exp. Budget
	Increases Position Authority
	Decreases Position Authority
	Note: if any budget effect, 2/3 vote is required

Expenditure/Revenue	Changes:

	Current	Year	Annualized			Current Year		Annualized	
Expenditures -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Revenues -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Personal Services					County Taxes				
Operating Expenses					Federal				
Contractual Services					State				
Capital	\$779,000				Other				
Total	\$779,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Personnel Impact/FTE Changes:	
None.	

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