# DANE COUNTY POLICY AND FISCAL NOTE

| ✓ Original Sponsor: Dave Ripp | Update         | Substitute NoResolution No |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| Vote Required:                | ,              | Ordinance Amendment No.    |
| Majority                      | Two-Thirds _ ✓ |                            |

| Title of Resolution or Ord. A | nd · |
|-------------------------------|------|

AUTHORIZING RECLASSIFICATION OF BIOGAS POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF WASTE & RENEWABLES

| Policy | Δnal  | eie, | State | ement:    |
|--------|-------|------|-------|-----------|
| L OHC  | Allal | 7313 | Jian  | zillelit. |

### Brief Description of Proposal -

To retain our skilled operators and engineers, incentivize continued professional development, and compensate County staff for the value that they bring, W&R is requesting a new classification series (Biogas Technician I-II) and that following four positions be reclassified to Biogas Technician I (P9): #2240, 2825, 3166, and 3295.

Current Policy or Practice -

Reclassifications require 2/3 majority approval.

Impact of Adopting Proposal -

Staff will be compensated more closely to industry averages.

#### **Fiscal Estimate:**

| 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 |

# Narrative/Assumptions about long range fiscal effect:

The increased wages will ultimately result in increased revenue, safety and efficiencies at the plant. The Plant has sufficient budget to accommodate the increase for 2022 due to periods of vacancies. The proposed budget for 2023 will account for the increased wages.

## **Expenditure/Revenue Changes:**

|                      | Current  | Year     | Annualized |          |              | Current Year |          | Annualized |          |
|----------------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|--------------|--------------|----------|------------|----------|
| Expenditures -       | Increase | Decrease | Increase   | Decrease | Revenues -   | Increase     | Decrease | Increase   | Decrease |
| Personal Services    | \$9,000  |          | \$36,000   |          | County Taxes |              |          |            |          |
| Operating Expenses   |          |          |            |          | Federal      |              |          |            |          |
| Contractual Services |          |          |            |          | State        |              |          |            |          |
| Capital              |          |          |            |          | Other        |              |          |            |          |
| Total                | \$9,000  | \$0      | \$36,000   | \$0      | Total        | \$0          | \$0      | \$0        | \$0      |

| <u>Personnel</u> | Impact/F | TE Changes: |
|------------------|----------|-------------|
|                  |          |             |

| N/A |  |  |  |
|-----|--|--|--|
|     |  |  |  |

| Pre | pared | Bv |
|-----|-------|----|
|     |       |    |

| Agency:      | Dane County Department of Waste & Renewables | Division: |         |                     |
|--------------|--|-----------|---------|---------------------|
| Prepared by: | Roxanne Wienkes                              | Date:     | 8/16/22 | Phone: 608.509.6681 |
| Reviewed by: | John Welch                                   | Date:     |         | Phone: 608.516.4154 |