### PERMANENT LIMITED EASEMENT FOR PUBLIC PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE PATH PURPOSES

The County of Dane, a Wisconsin quasi-municipal corporation ("County"), being the owner of three properties located along Raymond Road and South Pleasant View Road, located in the Town of Verona and City of Madison, and also being part of the Ice Age Junction Recreational Trail system (the "Property"), in consideration of the sum of One dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by each party for itself, does grant, set over and convey unto the City of Madison, a Wisconsin municipal corporation, ("City"), a non-exclusive Permanent Limited Easement to be used for public pedestrian and bicycle path purposes ("PLE"), including, but not limited to the right of public ingress and egress to the public pedestrian and bicycle path improvements, the right to excavate, install, operate,

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maintain, repair, replace and modify the public pedestrian and bicycle path and related improvements, and the right to perform all work incidental thereto in the Property. The Property is more particularly described on Exhibit A and depicted in Exhibit B (the "PLE Area"), both documents attached and incorporated as though fully stated.

**WHEREAS**, the City is constructing a public pedestrian and bicycle path, as part of the City of Madison Engineering Division Ice Age Junction Trail project (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the aforementioned Project, the City requested and the County has agreed to grant a Permanent Limited Easement for public pedestrian and bicycle path purposes, said sanitary sewer line to be constructed under or adjacent to the Ice Age Junction Trail path (the "Path"), on the Property as described in the PLE Areas; and

WHEREAS, the Dane County Park Commission, at its meeting of November 14, 2012, did approve the use of the Property for the Project; and

**WHEREAS**, the Path is included in the Dane County Parks and Open Space Plan, which was adopted in March 2012 by the Dane County Board; and

**WHEREAS**, the Path is a segment of a of a larger regional public multi-use path, currently extending from south of USH 151 in the City of Verona, to the southeast terminus of the Path; and planned to ultimately extend westward across CTH M, said Path developed in a partnership between the County and the City; and

WHEREAS, the County and the City will enter into a separate Memorandum of Agreement covering funding, maintenance and conditions of Path use,

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the County of Dane hereby grants a non-exclusive Permanent Limited Easement for public pedestrian and bicycle path purposes to the City of Madison, subject to the following conditions:

## 1. <u>Construction, Restoration, Repair and Maintenance</u>.

- a. The work of construction shall be done and completed in a good and professional manner by the City. All costs of said construction of the Path shall the sole responsibility of the City, subject to partial reimbursement by the County as established by separate agreement.
- b. The work shall be performed in a manner to not unnecessarily disturb or remove trees from County property within or outside of the PLE Area, except that it will remove and not replace the existing fence between the County property and the City's Flagstone Park. In all cases, the City shall be responsible for following all applicable ordinances, codes, statutes, and laws, and obtaining all permits required for any construction, repair or maintenance activity.
- c. No above-ground improvements shall be located in the PLE Areas by either party, without written mutual agreement by the City and County.
- d. The work will include a minor re-alignment of the Ice Age National Scenic Trail where it crosses the Path, to the extent necessary to construct the proposed bridge as part of the Project. Path users will be protected during construction and the completed re-alignment shall be substantially comparable to the existing segment of path in width, materials and utility.
- e. Upon completion of construction the Path (the "Improvements") shall become publicly owned, with City being responsible for maintenance of said Improvements, as established by separate agreement.
- f. Following the installation of the Improvements, and final grading of the PLE Area, no grade change shall be made to the PLE Areas without written mutual agreement by the City and County.
- g. No buildings or structures, unrelated to the Improvements, shall be constructed in the PLE Areas without the written mutual agreement by the City and County.

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- 2. <u>Reservation of Use</u>. The County reserves the right to use and occupy the PLE Areas in a manner consistent with the rights conveyed herein, provided that such use and occupancy shall not interfere with or disturb the installation, operation, maintenance, repair, replacement and/or modification of the Improvements.
- 3. <u>Compliance</u>. The County and the City shall comply with all applicable laws, including, but not limited to, any laws, standards, regulations, or permit requirements relating to environmental pollution or contamination or to occupational health and safety.
- 4. <u>Amendment</u>. This PLE may not be amended, modified, terminated, or released without the written consent of all the parties hereto, or their respective successors-in-interest.
- 5. <u>Binding Effect</u>. The rights and easement granted herein shall be deemed to be covenants running with the land and shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.
- 6. <u>Applicable Law</u>. The PLE shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Wisconsin.
- 7. <u>Severability</u>. If any term or provision of the PLE conveyance is held to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such holding shall not affect any of the remaining terms and provisions of the PLE conveyance and the same shall continue to be effective to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- 8. <u>Public Record</u>. This PLE conveyance shall be recorded at the office of the Dane County Register of Deeds.
- 9. <u>Indemnification</u>. Each party shall be responsible for the consequences of its own acts, errors, or omissions and those of its employees, boards, commissions, agencies, officers, and representatives and shall be responsible for any losses, claims, and liabilities which are attributable to such acts, errors, or omissions including providing its own defense. In situations including joint liability, each party shall be responsible for the consequences of its own acts, errors, or omissions and those of its employees, agents, boards, commissions, agencies, officers and representatives. It is not the intent of the parties to impose liability beyond that imposed by state statutes. The obligations of the parties under this paragraph shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.
- 10. <u>Assignment</u>. The City shall neither assign nor transfer any interest or obligation in this PLE without the prior written consent of the County.
- 11. <u>Extinguishment</u>. If circumstances arise in the future that render the purpose of this Easement impossible to accomplish, this Easement may only be terminated or extinguished, in whole or in part, by judicial proceedings in the Dane County Circuit Court or its duly created successor court.

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Dated this day	y of, 2	014.		
COUNTY OF DANE				
	Ву:	Scott McDonell, County Clerk		
State of Wisconsin County of Dane	) )ss. )			
Personally came before me this day of, 2014, the above named Scott McDonell, County Clerk, County of Dane, known to me to be the person who executed the above and foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same.				
		Notary Public, State of Wisconsin		
		Print or Type Name My Commission:		

# **CITY OF MADISON**

	]	By:	Paul R. Soglin, Mayor
	]	By:	Maribeth L. Witzel-Behl, City Clerk
State of Wisconsin County of Dane	) )ss. )		
	ore me this day City of Madison, acting egoing instrument and a		, 2014, the above named Paul R. naid capacity and known by me to be the person whedged the same.
			Notary Public, State of Wisconsin
			Print or Type Name
	My Commission:		
State of Wisconsin County of Dane	) )ss. )		
L. Witzel-Behl, City		disor	, 2014, the above named Maribeth a, acting in said capacity and known to me to be and acknowledged the same.
			Notary Public, State of Wisconsin
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Acceptance of this Permanent Limited Easement is authorized by Resolution Enactment No. RES-13-00332, File ID No. 29825, adopted April 30, 2013, by the Common Council of the City of Madison.

Drafted by the City of Madison Office of Real Estate Services

City Engineering Project No. 53W1348

Real Estate Section Project No. 10208

#### **EXHIBIT A**

Legal Descriptions of Easement Areas:

#### Easement Area "A"

Parcel No.: 251/0608-031-1004-2

Part of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of Section 3, Town 6 North, Range 8 East, City of Madison, Dane County, Wisconsin, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the East Quarter (1/4) Corner of said Section 3; thence N 88°59'43" W, 2128.17 feet along the south line of the said Northeast Quarter; thence N 01°00'17" E, 96.31 feet to the southeast corner of lands described in Document No. 3249567, Dane County Register of Deeds and the **Point of Beginning**; thence N 41°19'36" W, 237.77 feet; thence N 00°58'24" E, 51.16 feet along the west line of said lands described in Document No. 3249567; thence S34°12'21" E, 277.74 feet along the northeast line of said lands described in Document No. 3249567, also being the southwesterly line of Outlot 4 and Outlot 5, plat of Stone Crest Estates to the to the **Point of Beginning.** 

Containing 4,093 square feet, more or less.

#### Easement Area "B"

Parcel No.: 062/0608-034-8502-0

Part of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of Section 3, Town 6 North, Range 8 East, Town of Verona, Dane County, Wisconsin, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the East Quarter (1/4) Corner of said Section 3; thence N 88°59'43" W, 2128.17 feet along the south line of the said Northeast Quarter; thence N 01°00'17" E, 96.31 feet to the southwesterly most corner Outlot 5, plat of Stone Crest Estates and the **Point of Beginning**; thence S 88°58'53" E, 172.97 feet along the south line of said Outlot 5, also being a north side of lands described in Document No. 2633737, Dane County Register of Deeds; thence S 77°41'03" W, 146.18 feet; thence N 41°19'36" W, 45.62 feet to the **Point of Beginning.** 

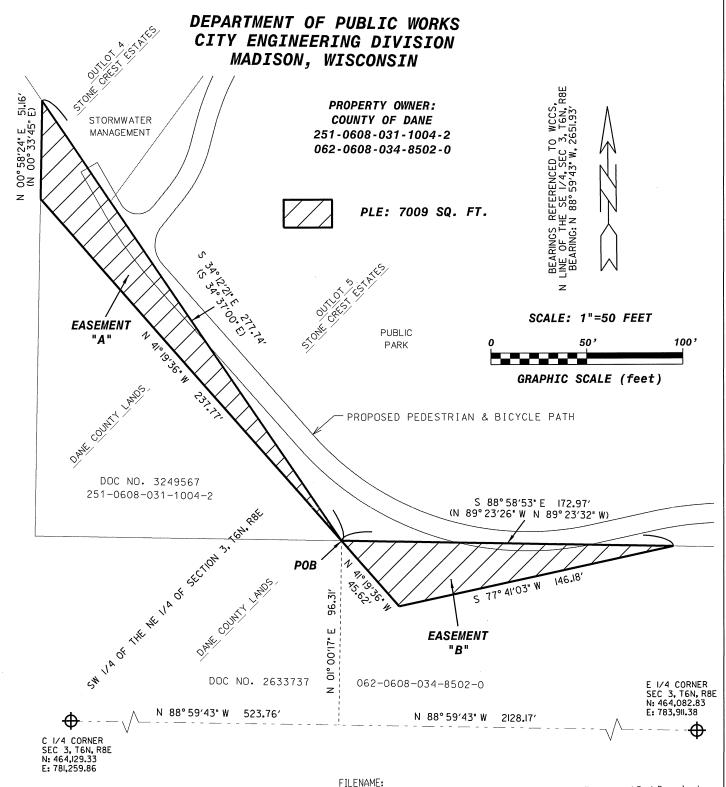
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Containing 2,916 square feet, more or less.

Bearing Basis: WCCS Dane Zone

EXHIBIT "B"

# PERMANENT LIMITED EASEMENT TO BE ACQUIRED FOR PUBLIC PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE PATH



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