

2015 RES-538

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT TO ACCEPT HIGHWAY SAFETY GRANT FUNDS
FOR A MOTORCYCLE ENFORCEMENT CAMPAIGN**

The Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Safety, State of Wisconsin, is making funds available for participation in a 2016 Motorcycle Enforcement Project, Grant Number FG-2016-DANE CO-03450; activities for this project are funded October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016. The goal of this high visibility enforcement effort is to increase safety of motorcycle operators and to increase the perception of law enforcement's presence to deter drinking and operating of motorcycles, improve traffic safety, and reduce crashes and fatalities.

The Sheriff's Office will collaborate with the Madison Police Department to accomplish this enforcement campaign. Both agencies will deploy Motor Units together at large motorcycle events in the community to educate riders on motorcycle safety and conduct high visibility enforcement efforts. Targeted enforcement will focus on illegal and unsafe motorcycle driving behaviors and traffic laws will be enforced in and around areas where motorcycle specific events and activities occur. Total grant award is \$15,400, the Sheriff's Office will receive \$11,400 for enforcement efforts and to administer the grant and the Madison Police Department will receive \$4,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Sheriff's Office is hereby authorized to accept \$15,400 from the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Safety, for high visibility motorcycle enforcement efforts; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that \$15,400 is set up as additional revenue in the Sheriff's Office, Field Services, Motorcycle OWI Enforcement revenue account (SHRFFLD-82981) and to be credited to the General Fund; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that \$15,400 is transferred from the General Fund to the following accounts:

Overtime Motorcycle OWI Enforcement (SHRFFLD-10046)	\$9,400
Retirement Fund (SHRFFLD-10099)	\$1,000
Social Security (SHRFFLD-10108)	\$700
Workers Compensation (SHRFFLD-10189)	\$300
Motorcycle OWI Enforcement POS (SHRFFLD-NEW)	<u>\$4,000</u>
TOTAL	\$15,400