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3 **2021 RES-412**

4 **AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING FOR THE PURCHASE**
5 **BALLISTIC SHIELD PROTECTION EQUIPMENT**

6 Homeland Security (HS) and Wisconsin Department of Military Affairs (DMA), is
7 providing grant funding to support Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM), Aligned Law
8 Enforcement Response Team (ALERT) initiative, for the purchase ballistic shields, Grant
9 Number 2021-HSW-02A-12784; funding is available March 18, 2022 through September 30,
10 2022.

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12 Grant funding, in the amount of \$6,500, will provide for the purchase of tactical ballistic
13 shields to provide enhanced protection to law enforcement officers and citizens during high
14 risk and/or mass casualty incidents. New shield technology provides higher ballistic threat
15 protection including reduced shield weight which, allows for increased mobility and decreased
16 officer fatigue. The use of ballistic shields improves officers and citizen safety, enhances
17 decision making during intense uncertain and rapidly changing incidents and, prevents serious
18 bodily harm.

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20 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the on behalf of the County of Dane, the
21 County Executive is authorized to execute an agreement embodying the above provisions;
22 and Sheriff's Office is authorized to accept \$6,500 from Wisconsin DMA, WEM/HS ALERT to
23 purchase ballistic shields; and

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25 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that \$6,500 is appropriated as additional revenue in
26 account line Sheriff's Office, Field Services Division, TRT Grant Revenue (SHRFFLD 80728)
27 and is credited to the General Fund; and

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29 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that \$6,500 is transferred from the General Fund to
30 account line Sheriff's Office, Field Services Division, TRT Equipment and Uniforms Expense
31 (SHRFFLD 48848).