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3 **2022 OA-041**

4 AMENDING CHAPTER 20 OF THE DANE COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES,  
5 PROHIBITING TRAVEL TO CERTAIN STATES

6 The County Board of Supervisors of the County of Dane does ordain as follows:  
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8 ARTICLE 1. Unless otherwise expressly stated herein, all references to section  
9 and chapter numbers are to those of the Dane County Code of Ordinances.

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11 ARTICLE 2. Section 20.16(2) is amended to read as follows:  
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13 **(2)** Except as otherwise provided herein, costs shall not be incurred nor shall  
14 reimbursement ~~shall not~~ be made for travel to a state described in sub. (1). For  
15 the purposes of this section, "costs" shall mean travel related expenses and  
16 registration fees for a meeting or a conference.  
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18 ARTICLE 3. Section 20.16(3) is amended to read as follows:  
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20 **(3)** The prohibitions in subs. (1) and (2) shall not apply to travel that is required  
21 for any of the following purposes:

22 **(a)** The performance of the duties of the Sheriff's Office as determined by the  
23 Sheriff.

24 **(b)** For purposes of juvenile residential treatment placements by the  
25 department of human services.

26 **(c)** An exception granted by the Personnel & Finance Committee pursuant to  
27 sec. ~~20.2020.21~~. If an exception is granted, a letter shall be sent on behalf of the  
28 County Board to the organizers of the event that is located in a prohibited state.  
29 Such letter shall explain why travel to the state where the event is located had  
30 been prohibited, the need for an exception, and shall encourage the organizers to  
31 hold future events in states that do not promote discrimination.  
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33 ARTICLE 4. Section 20.16(5) is amended to read as follows:  
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35 **(5)** Before travel outside the State of Wisconsin is approved, the elected official  
36 or department head shall ~~determine and~~ certify that the destination is not a state  
37 specified in sub. (1). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in sub. (2),  
38 costs may be incurred or reimbursement may be made even if the status of the  
39 destination state changes after certification.  
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41 *[EXPLANATION: This amendment includes conference registration fees to the*  
42 *types of expenses which are prohibited under the ordinance, authorizes the*  
43 *issuance of a letter to organizers of an event located in a prohibited state, and*  
44 *clarifies the purpose of certification.]*