# DANE COUNTY POLICY AND FISCAL NOTE

Original Sponsor: Erickson	Update	Substitute No Resolution No
Vote Required:		Ordinance Amendment No
Majority 🗸	Two-Thirds	

Title of	Resolution	or	Ord.	Amd.:
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AUTHORIZING TRAVEL OUTSIDE OF THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES FOR THE DANE COUNTY HENRY VILAS ZOO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## **Policy Analysis Statement:**

#### Brief Description of Proposal -

Executive Zoo Director, Ronda Schwetz is the orangutan saving animals from extinction (SAFE) co-leader for the association of zoos & aquariums (AZA). These trips are part of a three year conservation plan that she was the primary author on. This trip focuses on restoring habitat in corridors to link wild populations of orangutans.

## Current Policy or Practice -

Travel outside the continental USA requires Dane County Board of Supervisor's approval. The County is a member of the AZA and will continue to build strong relationships through the AZA.

# Impact of Adopting Proposal -

The Executive Zoo Director will travel to Malaysia, Borneo to lead an orangutan conservation trip for other AZA members.

## **Fiscal Estimate:**

Fiscal Effect (check all that apply) -	Budget Effect (check all that apply)			
No Fiscal Effect  Results in Revenue Increase Results in Expenditure Increase Results in Revenue Decrease Results in Expenditure Decrease Results in Expenditure Decrease	No Budget Effect Increases Rev. Budget Increases Exp. Budget Decreases Rev. Budget Decreases Exp. Budget Increases Exp. Budget Decreases Exp. Budget Decreases Position Authority Decreases Position Authority			
	Note: if any budget effect, 2/3 vote is required			

## Narrative/Assumptions about long range fiscal effect:

This travel is budgeted in the zoo's budget for 2020 but is partially to completely offset by donations to the zoo's conservation revenue fund for orangutan conservation.

# **Expenditure/Revenue Changes:**

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	Current	Year	Annualized			Current Year		Annualized	
Expenditures -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Revenues -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Personal Services					County Taxes				
Operating Expenses	\$5,000				Federal				
Contractual Services					State				
Capital					Other				
Total	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Personnel Impact/FTE Changes:							
None							
None							

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