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AUTHORIZING GRANT FUNDING FOR THE CORONAVIRUS EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROGRAM

The Office of Justice Programs (OJP), U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) is providing grant funding to the Sheriff's Office for the Dane County Coronavirus Emergency Response Program to assist with the preparation, prevention, and response to the coronavirus pandemic. Funding of \$58,008 shall provide for the purchase of equipment including a communication system, respirators, and a shield system for the Courthouse; Grant Number 2020-VD-BX-1032, funding is available January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022.

Grant funding will provide for the purchase of a long-range communication system to assist the Sheriff's Office with issuing coronavirus-related information and warnings, delivering quarantine and curfew notifications, and facilitating drive-through testing. The purchase of respirators is required to protect against coronavirus contamination and is required equipment for law enforcement first responder safety and wellbeing. Purchase of a shield system for the Courthouse shall assist with directing and slowing the flow of visitor traffic to screen individuals for unusual health symptoms or behaviors that could lead to a threat and to protect visitors and staff from airborne pathogens and projectiles.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Sheriff's Office is authorized to accept \$58,008 from OJP, U.S. DOJ, for the purchase of Coronavirus Emergency Response Program equipment referenced above; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that \$58,008 is appropriated as additional revenue in account line Sheriff's Office, Support Services Division, Coronavirus Grant Revenue (SHRFSUP NEW) and is credited to the General Fund; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that \$58,008 is transferred from the General Fund to operating account line Sheriff's Office, Support Services Division, Coronavirus Grant Equipment (SHRFSUP NEW).

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that all unexpended funds and unrecognized revenues from this grant award are carried forward until fully expended.