

**AUTHORIZING A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
BETWEEN DANE COUNTY AND THE WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL
RESOURCES FOR THE GLACIAL DRUMLIN TRAIL CONNECTOR**

The Dane County Land & Water Resources Department – Parks Division is developing the first phase of the Capital City to Glacial Drumlin Trail Connector.

The trail segment will be approximately 1.5 miles long and 14 feet wide, consisting of asphalt pavement, bridges, and boardwalk. The trail will include a trailhead and parking area at the east end on County Highway AB and connect into the City of Madison's Capital City Trail Extension to the west.

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources owns or holds trail easements on portions of the corridor needed for this phase of the project. Dane County has taken on the design, construction, operation, and maintenance of the trail improvements.

A Memorandum of Agreement with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources is required to authorize construction and establish the respective responsibilities of the parties for the long-term management of the trail by Dane County on DNR-owned lands and easements.

Trail construction will be administered by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) using Surface Transportation Program – Urban Areas grant funding and budgeted Dane County funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Board of Supervisors authorizes the Dane County Executive to sign the agreement on behalf of Dane County.