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ACCEPTANCE OF THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG) FY2025

Each year Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM) provides funds through the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) to assist emergency management programs to build and sustain emergency management capacity and capabilities. EMPG funds shall be used by emergency management programs to complete a plan of work that accomplishes all State of Wisconsin statutory, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), and WEM program requirements. It is important that emergency management programs provide the opportunity for all facets of government and the whole community to participate in the emergency management process to promote resilience in the community.

Dane County Emergency Management staff meet and exceed the plan of work requirements. The award amount for FY2025 is $235,157.22. The award amount is included in the annual Planning division budget to offset the expenses related to the program.

THERFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Board of Supervisors and the Dane County Executive hereby accept $235,157.22 in EMPG funds from Wisconsin Emergency Management for FY2025; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Dane County Executive is authorized to sign the grant award agreement, and that the Dane County Emergency Management Director, or their designee, is authorized to submit all required reports and reimbursement requests to Wisconsin Emergency Management.