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AUTHORIZING RECLASSIFICATION OF THE PARK FACILITY PLANNER AND THE PARK PROPERTY PLANNER TO LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT I/II IN THE LAND AND WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

The Land and Water Resources Department – Parks Division is modernizing its planning classifications by creating a two (2) tiered classification series. This new classification series will provide LWRD with greater latitude and allow the department to attract, recruit and retain individuals with various levels of education, training and experience. Additionally, it will incentivize continued professional development, training and performance as individuals will be able to receive a non-competitive promotion and advance through the classification series.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Board of Supervisors does hereby support and authorize reclassification of the Park Property Planner (P8, position #2346) to a Landscape Architect I (P8) and the Park Facility Planner (P8, position #3468 newly created in the 2023 budget) to Landscape Architect I (P8), commensurate with the Department's request and approval of the Department of Administration – Employee Relations Division; and

 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that position #2346, which has been vacant for more than six months, is authorized to be filled pursuant to Dane County Ordinance 29.52(15), which requires the Personnel and Finance Committee to approve filling positions that are vacant for more than six months.