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**RESOLUTION: Authorize the Winnebago County Public Health Department to Accept an Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity Grant from the Wisconsin Department of Health Services in the Amount of \$761,000, and Appropriate the Funds to Program Expenses**

**TO THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:**

**WHEREAS**, the Winnebago County Public Health Department received an Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity grant from the Wisconsin Department of Health Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity grant will help pay for COVID-19 related expenses to include contact tracing, testing, vaccination and other response functions; and

**WHEREAS**, the total funds from these other grants exceed the totals included in the 2021 Budget, and at the time the 2021 Budget was prepared, the amounts of these funds were estimated as the amounts were unknown; and

**WHEREAS**, accepting the additional funding and applying the funds to program expenses would be beneficial to the residents of Winnebago County.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that it hereby authorizes the Winnebago County Public Health Department to accept an Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity grant from the Wisconsin Department of Health Services in the amount of \$761,000, and appropriate the funds to program expenses in order to meet the grant programs' objectives.

**Fiscal Impact:** No fiscal impact. The additional revenues will cover the program costs.

Respectfully submitted by:  
**BOARD OF HEALTH**

Committee Vote: **8-0**

Respectfully submitted by:  
**PERSONNEL & FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Committee Vote: **3-0**

Vote Required for Passage: **2/3rds of membership**

Approved by the Winnebago County Executive this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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Mark L Harris  
Winnebago County Executive