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RESOLUTION: To Accept the Neighborhood Improvement Grant Fund of \$10,351,686.15 awarded to Winnebago County and Effect a Budget Transfer

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TO THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

WHEREAS, On March 11, 2021, President Joe Biden signed the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) which provided an allocation of resources to state and local governments to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic and assist in an economic recovery caused by the pandemic; and

WHEREAS, The State of Wisconsin has been announcing (ARPA) allocations and created the Neighborhood Investment Fund, which was a competitive grant opportunity for local governments due last fall for shovel ready projects that will improve our communities; and

WHEREAS, On Thursday, March 3, 2022, Governor Tony Evers announced three awards to local governments in our county totaling over \$16.8 million which included \$10,351,686.15 to Winnebago County for housing/homelessness, \$4,388,025 city of Neenah for vulnerable populations, and \$2,074,000 to the city of Menasha for revitalization/blight elimination; and

WHEREAS, the county's application was based on the Winnebagoland Housing Coalition's July 2021 report titled "The Homelessness Continuum" and consisted of public and private projects which could be completed by the state's deadline of December 31, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the county's grant application was strengthened by bringing together numerous local organizations which included the Day by Day Warming Shelter, Oshkosh Kids Foundation, Solutions Recovery Center, COVEY, Habitat for Humanity – Oshkosh and others; and

WHEREAS, within the Department of Human Services, the county applied to create a pilot program for a homelessness prevention resource center; and

WHEREAS, quick acceptance of this grant will accelerate the efforts of our nonprofit partners, affect real change in our communities for years to come, and ensure compliance with the fast approaching grant deadlines.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that it hereby accepts the Neighborhood Improvement Fund Grant of \$10,351,686.15 and authorizes the county administration to execute any agreements required by the State of Wisconsin and partner organizations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that it authorizes the attached budget transfer for all shovel ready projects and the Homelessness Eviction and Loss Prevention (HELP) Pilot program in the Department of Human Services.

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36 37 Fiscal Note: The resolution is levy-neutral. \$10,351,686 in grant revenue would be accepted, with \$9,523,052 appropriated to various accounts and the remaining \$828,634 reserved for labor expense to be budgeted in future vears.

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Committee Vote: 7-0

Respectfully submitted by: **HUMAN SERVICES BOARD** SHILOH RAMOS, DISTRICT NO. 5 and co-sponsoring County Board Supervisors per attached petition.

Per County Board Rule 25.0, please see the attached petition signed by a majority of the Winnebago County Board Supervisors.

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47	Vote Required for Passage: Two-Thirds of Membership
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49	Approved by the Winnebago County Executive this day of, 2022.
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52	Jonathan D. Doemel
53	Winnebago County Executive

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Petition for Special Meeting of the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors

It is hereby petitioned that a Special Meeting of the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors be held virtually on Tuesday March 29, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. to address acceptance of the Neighborhood Improvement Grant awarded to Winnebago County in the amount of \$10,351,681.15 and effect a budget transfer.

The Zoom link is:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89641177337?pwd=dW5TZHpWK243NTZ2RW1zOUNwUGxhUT09

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