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3 **RESOLUTION:** **Authorize Acceptance of an \$80,083 Grant from the Wisconsin Department of Health**
4 **Services for Public Health & Harm Reduction Vending Machines and Items to be**
5 **Distributed**

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

8 **WHEREAS**, the Winnebago County Public Health Department runs a substance use harm reduction
9 program with support from Vivent Health; and

10 **WHEREAS**, increasing the availability of opioid antagonists commonly known as Narcan or Naloxone and
11 materials which test for fentanyl and other substances will help reduce opioid overdose deaths; and

12 **WHEREAS**, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (WDHS) offered a statewide funding opportunity
13 statewide for public health vending machines; and

14 **WHEREAS**, WDHS has approved the Winnebago County's application for the installation of two vending
15 machines on county owned property in Oshkosh and Neenah to distribute opioid antagonists commonly known as
16 Narcan or Naloxone and materials which test for the presence of fentanyl and other substances.

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18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that it
19 acknowledges the necessity of a harm reduction program and authorizes approval to accept and spend \$80,083 from
20 the Wisconsin Department of Health Services to implement the Public Health & Harm Reduction Vending Machine
21 grant.

22 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that access to harm reduction materials in the vending machine will be
23 granted to individuals who have been provided access only after consultation with the county or community partner
24 organizations.

25 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that harm reduction materials available in the vending machines shall include
26 opioid antagonists commonly known as Narcan or Naloxone, materials to test for the presence of fentanyl and other
27 drugs, and Deterra drug deactivation system product provided that education materials are included with every item
28 dispensed from the vending machines and the material includes treatment and recovery information.

29 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that hypodermic syringes, needles and other objects used or intended for use
30 in parenterally injecting substances into the human body are prohibited from the inventories of the vending machines.

31 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that other public health materials which aid in the overall health of our
32 community such as CPR masks, hats, gloves, water, food, et cetera may be included in the vending machine with the
33 approval of the county executive provided that the materials are not commonly known to be used to procure or use
34 illicit drugs of any kind.

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36 *Fiscal Note: Acceptance of this grant will increase revenue and expense in the Public Health Department budget*
37 *each by \$80,083.*

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39 Respectfully submitted by:

40 **BOARD OF HEALTH**

41 Committee Vote: **4-0**

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Respectfully submitted by:
PERSONNEL & FINANCE COMMITTEE

Committee Vote: **3-2**
Vote Required for Passage: **Two-Thirds of Membership**

Approved by the Winnebago County Executive this ____ day of _____, 2024.

Jonathan D. Doemel
Winnebago County Executive