

RESOLUTION

ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Sheriff Robert D. Spoden
INITIATED BY

Public Safety and Justice
Committee
SUBMITTED BY



Diane Michaelis
DRAFTED BY

September 30, 2010
DATE DRAFTED

**AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF
2011 HIGHWAY SAFETY PROJECT GRANTS**

1 WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Safety makes
2 Federal Highway Safety funds available to local law enforcement agencies for various traffic safety
3 programs; and,
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5 WHEREAS, these funds are earmarked to allow law enforcement agencies to provide additional traffic
6 enforcement patrols directed at improving traffic safety by speed enforcement, alcohol enforcement, and
7 underage drinking enforcement, thus reducing hazardous motorist behavior on roadways with a high
8 incidence of injury or fatal accidents; and,
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10 WHEREAS, the Rock County Sheriff's Office is eligible to receive a grant of \$70,000 to participate in
11 these programs; and,
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13 WHEREAS, grant funds in the amount of \$60,002 will be used for over time wages and related
14 benefits; and,
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16 WHEREAS, grant funds in the amount of \$9,998 will be used to purchase in-squad video cameras with
17 accessories; and,
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19 WHEREAS, these grants require a local match of 25%; and,
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21 WHERAS, the match may be an in-kind match or a hard match.
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23 NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Rock County Board of Supervisors assembled this
24 14th day of October 2010, that the Rock County Sheriff is authorized to accept funds under the
25 Highway Safety Project Grants; and,
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27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the 2010 budget be amended as follows:
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Account Description	Budget at	Amount	Amended
<u>Account Number</u>	<u>09/01/10</u>	<u>Incr (Decr)</u>	<u>Budget</u>
<u>Source of Funds</u>			
Federal Aid			
21-2120-2011-42100	- 0 -	70,000	70,000
<u>Use of Funds</u>			
Overtime Wages			
21-2120-2011-61210	- 0 -	60,002	60,002
Capital Assets - \$1,000/More			
21-2120-2011-67171	- 0 -	9,998	9,998

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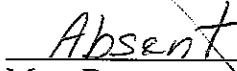
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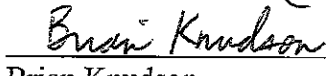
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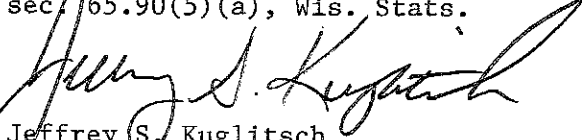
Finance Committee Endorsement

Reviewed and approved on a vote
of 5-0


Mary Mawhinney, Chair


LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to accept grant funds pursuant to sec. 59.52(19), Wis. Stats. As an amendment to the adopted 2010 County Budget, this Resolution requires a 2/3 vote of the entire membership of the County Board pursuant to sec. 65.90(5)(a), Wis. Stats.


Jeffrey S. Kuglitsch
Corporation Counsel

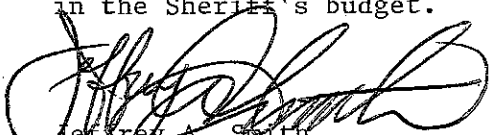
ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.


Craig Knutson
County Administrator

FISCAL NOTE:

This resolution authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of a \$70,000 Federal grant for the Sheriff's Highway Safety programs. The 25% in-kind match is already included in the Sheriff's budget.


Jeffrey A. Smith
Finance Director

Executive Summary
Authorizing Acceptance of
2011 Highway Safety Project Grants

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Safety, makes funds available each year to various local law enforcement agencies for highway safety programs. The intent of this program is to provide additional traffic enforcement patrols directed at improving traffic safety by speed enforcement, alcohol enforcement, and underage drinking enforcement, thus reducing hazardous motorist behavior on roadways with a high incidence of injury or fatal accidents.

The 2011 grants are for \$70,000. Grant funds in the amount of \$60,002 will be used for wages and related benefits. Grant funds in the amount of \$9,998 will be used to purchase in-squad video cameras with accessories.

A local match of 25% (\$17,500) is required. The match may be an in-kind (soft) match or a hard match.