RESOLUTION ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Education, Veterans & Aging
Services Committee
INITIATED BY

Joyce Lubben DRAFTED BY

February 22, 2016
DATE DRAFTED

Education, Veterans & Aging Services Committee SUBMITTED BY

Moving the Administration of the Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Program from the Human Services Department to the Council on Aging

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Program (AFCSP) has been administered by the Long Term Support Division of Human Services Department to provide families and informal caregivers access to education, support groups and other dementia-related services and supports that can make the difference in a family's ability to safely care for a loved one at home; and,

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WHEREAS, the Council on Aging administers the National Family Caregiver Support Program (NFCSP) to provide information, support and assistance to family caregivers; and,

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WHEREAS, the Long Term Support Division of Human Services is undergoing an organizational change with the introduction of Family Care in Rock County; and,

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WHEREAS, with this organizational change the AFCSP is a better fit for the Council on Aging; and,

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WHEREAS, best practices from the Wisconsin Department of Health Services states that NFCSP and AFCSP should be coordinated by the same department for maximum efficiency; and,

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Human Services Department and the Council on Aging budgets are amended as follows:

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	24	Account/Description	Budget at	Increase	Amended
	25		<u>01/01/2016</u>	(Decrease)	Budget
	26	AFCSP - HSD			
	27	Source of Funds			
	28	36-3682-0000-42200	\$72,180	(\$60,000)	\$12,180
	29	State Aid			
	30	Use of Funds			
	31	36-3682-0000-64604	\$58,000	(\$48,183)	\$9,817
	32	Program Expense			
	33	36-3682-0000-68206	\$14,180	(\$11,817)	\$2,363
	34	Allocated LTS			
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	36	AFCSP-COA			
İ	37	Source of Funds			
l	38	30-3920-0000-42200	-0-	\$60,000	\$60,000
	39	State Aid			
	40	<u>Use of Funds</u>			
	41	30-3920-0000-63110	-0-	\$6,000	\$6,000
	42	Administration Expense			
	43	30-3920-0000-64615	-0-	\$54,000	\$54,000
l	44	Client Related Costs			
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Respectfully submitted,

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FINANCE COMMITTEE ENDORSEMENT

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FISCAL NOTE:

This resolution moves responsibility and remaining 2016 budget for the Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Program from HSD to COA.

Sherry Oja

Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to take this action pursuant to §§ 59.01 & 59.51, Wis. Stats. As an amendment to the adopted 2016 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.

Jeffray S. Kuglitsch Corporation Counsel ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Josh Smith

Wounty Administrator

Executive Summary

This resolution is requesting approval to transfer administration of the Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Program (AFCSP) from the Human Services Department to the Council on Aging.

The transition to Family Care in Rock County is causing a reorganization of staff and programs within the Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC) and Long Term Support. With the elimination of Long Term Support positions and other restructuring of staff within the ADRC there is no available position within that department to administer the AFCSP.

The Council on Aging has a Family Caregiver Support position, already administers the National Family Caregiver Support Program and has the capacity to administer the AFCSP as well. The Department of Health Services states that for best practices NFCSP and AFCSP should be coordinated by the same department for maximum efficiency.

This program transfer would be effective March 1, 2016. No county tax levy is required.