

**RESOLUTION  
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Human Services Board  
INITIATED BY

Human Services Board  
SUBMITTED BY



Phil Boutwell & Lance  
Horozewski  
DRAFTED BY

May 3, 2011  
DATE DRAFTED

**Accept Donated Materials from Home Depot**

1 **WHEREAS**, one of the many duties and responsibilities of the County Board is to authorize the  
2 acceptance of all donations made to the County of Rock, whether cash or hard assets; and,  
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4 **WHEREAS**, the Home Depot retail outlet located in Pine Tree Plaza in Janesville wishes to donate  
5 paint and painting supplies valued at \$1,600 to the Rock County Juvenile Shelter Facility, which is co-  
6 located with the Juvenile Detention Center at 210 E. Highway 14 in Janesville, Wisconsin; and,  
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8 **WHEREAS**, it is the intention to use the donated materials to repaint the Shelter area in order to create a  
9 less institutional setting and softer living environment; and,  
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11 **WHEREAS**, on behalf of the Rock County Human Services Department and Rock County Juvenile  
12 Shelter Facility, the County Board wishes to thank the Home Depot of Janesville, Wisconsin for its  
13 community spirit and valuable donation.  
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15 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly  
16 assembled this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2011, does accept donated materials from Home Depot.

11-5A-369

**Human Services Board**

Brian Knudson  
Brian Knudson, Chair

Absent  
Jennifer Bishop, Vice Chair

Robert Fizzell  
Robert Fizzell

Kathy Kelm  
Kathy Kelm

Absent  
Minnie Murray

Phillip Owens  
Phillip Owens

Terry Thomas  
Terry Thomas

Sally Jean Weaver-Landers  
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Marvin Wopat  
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FISCAL NOTE:


This resolution authorizes the acceptance of donated paint and painting supplies from the Janesville Home Depot with a value of \$1,600. No County matching funds are required to accept this donation.



Jeffrey A. Smith  
Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to take this action by Wisconsin Statutes sections 59.51(2) and 59.52(19).



Eugene R. Dumas  
Jeffrey S. Kuglitsch  
Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.



Craig Knutson  
County Administrator

## Executive Summary

The Rock County Juvenile Shelter Facility is co-located with the Juvenile Detention Center at 210 E. Highway 14 in Janesville. While both programs reside in the same building, they are licensed under separate code, serving separate purposes, and housing children with different issues. The Detention Center holds children under secure confinement who are a danger to the community or who are awaiting court appearances for criminal offenses. The Shelter Facility provides temporary care for youth in a non-secure setting who are awaiting placement outside of the home due to abuse or neglect.

At present, the Shelter Facility has the look and feel of the Detention Center. Repainting the Shelter would make it less cold and institutional. The donated paints are different in colors than the standard County "facility" color. General Services staff will do the painting. Thus, a quick, easy and inexpensive makeover can be done in a relatively short period of time.

All donations made to the County, whether cash or in-kind require Board Approval. The Rock County Human Services Department is appreciative of the donation and requests the County Board accept the donated materials.