

# RESOLUTION

## ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Public Works Committee  
Initiated by

Public Works Committee  
& Parks Advisory Committee  
Submitted by



John Traynor, Parks Manager  
Drafted by

March 27, 2019  
Date Drafted

### AUTHORIZING APPLICATION WITH WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES FOR SNOWMOBILE GRANT FUNDS

1 **WHEREAS**, the Rock County Board of Supervisors Resolution #81-6A-038, on the 11th day of  
2 June, 1981, adopted the Rock County Snowmobile Plan; and,  
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4 **WHEREAS**, Rock County desires to participate in snowmobile grant funded projects pursuant to  
5 provisions of s.23.09(11) of the Wisconsin Statutes; and,  
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7 **WHEREAS**, grant funds are available from the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural  
8 Resources (DNR) and a resolution of application for Snowmobile Grant Funds is required; and,  
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10 **WHEREAS**, Rock County is interested in operating the snowmobile trail for public outdoor  
11 recreation purposes as described in the application; and,  
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13 **WHEREAS**, financial aid is required to carry out the project.  
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15 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Rock County Board of Supervisors on this  
16 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019, hereby authorizes the Parks Manager, Parks Division-  
17 Public Works Department, to act on behalf of Rock County to submit an application to the State  
18 of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for financial aid for Snowmobile Grant Funds  
19 that may be available.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

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Betty Jo Bussie, Chair

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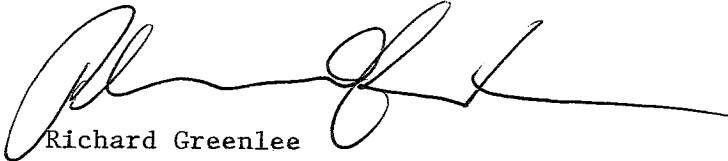
This resolution authorizes the application for Snowmobile grant funds. This grant will be fully funded with no County matching funds requirements.



Susan Balog  
Assistant Finance Director

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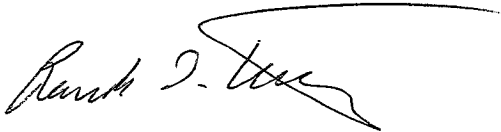
The authority to accept grant funds pursuant to sec. 59.52(19), Wis. Stats., necessarily implies the authority to make application for such funds.



Richard Greenlee  
Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.



Randolph D. Terronez  
Assistant to County Administrator

- EXECUTIVE SUMMARY -

**AUTHORIZING APPLICATION WITH  
WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
FOR SNOWMOBILE GRANT FUNDS**

This resolution provides authorization to apply for funding for the 2019-2020 Rock County Snowmobile Trail Program.

The DNR Snowmobile Grant of \$64,440 would cover 214.8 miles of trail. The snowmobile trail project is 100% grant funded. Any field work (includes labor, materials, and machinery) by DPW Parks Division or Highway Division is 100% billed back to the grant. The area Snowmobile Alliance provides trail signage and grooming and is reimbursed for those services after the county costs are covered.

These funds are 100% provided by the payments snowmobilers have made through license and prorated fuel tax payments. Rock County receives a 50% advance payment check after the completed contract is signed, the balance due upon final close out of the grant.