

**RESOLUTION  
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Board of Health  
INITIATED BY



Marie-Noel Sandoval  
DRAFTED BY

Board of Health  
SUBMITTED BY

September 20, 2018  
DATE DRAFTED

**Accepting State Health Assessment Community Conversations Mini-Grant Amendment to the Established Prevention Grant and Amending the 2018 Rock County Public Health Department Budget**

1 **WHEREAS**, by providing the basis for discussion and action, the State Health Assessment (SHA) is the  
2 foundation for improving and promoting the health of community members. Through active community  
3 engagement, factors that affect the health of a population are identified and availability of resources is  
4 determined within the community to adequately address these factors. The SHA Community  
5 Conversations is a results-driven effort to actively embrace communities or populations in Rock County  
6 whose voice is less often heard in discussions surrounding public health; and,  
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8 **WHEREAS**, Rock County Public Health Department was awarded a mini-grant from the Wisconsin  
9 Department of Health Services (DHS) for the SHA Community Conversations; and,  
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11 **WHEREAS**, this is a grant amendment of \$6,500 to the established Prevention Grant, with fund  
12 expenditures to begin August 8, 2018 and end on October 15, 2018; and,  
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14 **WHEREAS**, this grant amendment will provide diverse community engagement through the health  
15 improvement of communities most affected by inequities. Through this active community engagement the  
16 community voice will be reflected in the State Health Assessment ensuring population-wide interventions  
17 are developed to address disparities in Rock County.  
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19 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled  
20 this 11th day of October, 2018 does hereby authorize the Rock County Health  
21 Department to accept this grant in the amount of \$6,500, and amend the 2018 Rock County Public Health  
22 Department Budget as follows:

<u>Account/Description</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Amended</u>
<u>Source of Funds</u>	<u>9/25/18</u>	<u>(Decrease)</u>	<u>Budget</u>
31-3025-0000			
42100 Federal Aid	\$14,846	\$6,500	\$21,346
<u>Use of Funds</u>			
31-3025-0000			
63110 Administrative Expense	\$14,846	\$6,500	\$21,346

Respectfully submitted,

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FINANCE COMMITTEE ENDORSEMENT

Reviewed and approved on a vote of

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Mary Mawhinney, Chair

Date

FISCAL NOTE:

This resolution accepts and authorizes the expenditure of \$6,500 in additional Federal Aid funds for the Prevention Grant. No county matching funds are needed.



Sherry Oja  
Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

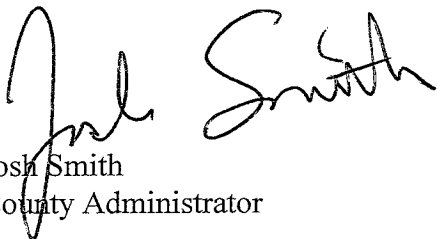
The County Board is authorized to accept grant funds pursuant to sec. 59.52(19), Wis. Stats. As an amendment to the adopted 2018 County Budget, this Resolution requires a 2/3 vote of the entire membership of the County Board pursuant to sec. 65.90(5)(a), Wis. Stats.



Lisa-Marie Line  
Assistant Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.



Josh Smith  
County Administrator

## Executive Summary

The HEAR Community Engagement Project is a results-driven effort, which will be led by the Health Equity Alliance of Rock County (HEAR). The HEAR Community Engagement Project is a proactive effort, that will actively embrace diverse community engagement, to improve the health of communities most affected by inequities. By providing the basis for discussion and action, the Community Health Assessment (CHA) is the foundation for improving and promoting the health of community members. Through active community engagement, factors that affect the health of a population are identified and availability of resources is determined within the community to adequately address these factors.

The HEAR Community Engagement Project will ensure the community voice will be reflected in the 2017-2020 Rock County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP), ensuring population-wide interventions are developed to address disparities among subpopulations. In addition to the 2017 CHA and CHIP reports, through the Change Incubator Funding HEAR will produce a supplemental, storytelling report titled, "Community Conversations: Real Stories in Rock County" based on the findings from the HEAR Community Engagement Project. By ensuring that the needs of the populations are reflected in CHA and CHIP the HEAR Community Engagement project will work to make Rock County a healthier place for all to live, work, learn, and play. This grant will serve to improve the health of Rock County.