

RESOLUTION

ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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INITIATED BY



5/1/2023
DATE DRAFTED

To Recognize May as ADRC Month

WHEREAS, frail elders and people with disabilities wish to live and thrive independently and safely in their communities; and,

WHEREAS, frail elders, people with disabilities and their caregivers need support navigating the multiple programs, services, and resources available in Rock County; and,

WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Rock County is a welcoming and accessible environment integrated with Aging programs to serve Rock County residents; and,

WHEREAS, frail elders, people with disabilities and their caregivers can speak confidentially with friendly staff to obtain objective information about programs, services and supports available to meet their needs; and,

WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center offers a variety of educational, supportive, and social opportunities for residents to participate in such as Health Promotion classes, Cycling without Age rides, caregiver grants, and support groups for those personally affected by Alzheimer’s disease and other dementias; and,

WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center-Adult Protective Services staff protect and ensure the safety and well-being of elderly and disabled adults; and,

WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center assists families who have teens aging out of the children’s programs and supports them through the transition into adult programs; and,

WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center is a supportive voice for those who need advocacy in obtaining financial benefits to sustain their independence; and,

WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center staff listen to individuals compassionately; answering individual questions and providing one-on-one support to each customer; and,

WHEREAS, Aging and Disability Resource Centers are recognized by the State of Wisconsin as vital to the support of elderly and disabled adults in our community; and,

WHEREAS, the Rock County Board of Supervisors, representing the citizens of Rock County, wishes to recognize May 2023 as Aging and Disability Resource Center month.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors, duly assembled this 11th day of May, 2023, does hereby recognize May 2023 as Aging and Disability Resource Center month.

Committee Action

Human Services Board

Human Services Board recommended this resolution for approval by a unanimous voice vote. Citizen Representative Hoffman was absent.

