

RESOLUTION

ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board of Health
Supervisor Peer
INITIATED BY



12/21/2023
DATE DRAFTED

Accepting *Lead-Safe Homes* Grant Funds and Amending the 2024 Rock County Public Health Department Budget

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services is the administrator of the *Lead-Safe Homes* Grant Program, which provides funding to local health departments; and,

WHEREAS, the funding is intended to expand current childhood lead poison prevention efforts to create safe and healthy home environments free of lead hazards for families in Rock County; and,

WHEREAS, lead poisoning in homes can lead to children having developmental delays, learning disabilities, and other health and behavioral impacts; and,

WHEREAS, over 50% of homes in Rock County were built before 1960 and are at highest risk to in-home sources of lead exposure to children; and,

WHEREAS, it is a high priority to protect children from further lead exposure by prioritizing lead hazard reduction in homes of known lead poisoned children; and,

WHEREAS, the funding is through September 30, 2024, with the potential for ongoing funding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this 11th day of January, 2024 does hereby authorize Rock County Public Health Department to accept the funding of \$14,285 through the Wisconsin Department of Health Services *Lead-Safe Homes Program* Grant and amend the 2024 Rock County Public Health Department budget as follows:

Account	Budget	Increase (Decrease)	Amended Budget
Source of Funds			
31-3346-0150-42100 State Aid	-0-	\$14,285	\$14,285
Use of Funds			
31-3346-0150-63110 Administration Expense	-0-	\$10,500	\$10,500
31-3346-0150-62119 Other Contracted Services	-0-	\$3,275	\$3,275
31-3346-0150-63101 Postage	-0-	\$225	\$225
31-3346-0150-64200 Training	-0-	\$285	\$285

FISCAL NOTE:

This resolution accepts and authorizes the expenditure of \$14,285 in aid to expand childhood lead poisoning prevention efforts. No County matching funds are required.

Sherry Oja
Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to accept grant funds pursuant to § 59.52(19), Wis. Stats. As an amendment to the adopted 2023 County Budget, this Resolution requires a 2/3 vote of the entire membership of the County Board pursuant to § 65.90(5)(a), Wis. Stats.

Richard Greenlee
Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Josh Smith
County Administrator

Committee Action

Board of Health

Board of Health recommended this resolution for approval by a unanimous voice vote.

Finance Committee

Finance Committee recommended this resolution for approval by a unanimous voice vote.