

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF HAZARD
MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE GRANTS**

TO THE MANITOWOC COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

1 WHEREAS, the Manitowoc County Hazard Mitigation Plan is a federally mandated
2 planning document that is reviewed and renewed every five years; and
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4 WHEREAS, the Manitowoc County Hazard Mitigation Plan identifies hazards that directly
5 impact Manitowoc County, as well the likelihood and significance of those hazards; and
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7 WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Administration (“FEMA”) has awarded
8 Manitowoc County \$21,612.62 in grant funds towards the costs of developing the updated
9 Manitowoc County Hazard Mitigation Plan (the “Project”); and
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11 WHEREAS, Wisconsin Emergency Management (“WEM”) has awarded Manitowoc
12 County an additional \$3,412.52 towards the costs of the Project; and
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14 WHEREAS, Manitowoc County intends to contract with Bay Lakes Regional Planning to
15 prepare the updated Manitowoc County Hazard Mitigation Plan; and
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17 WHEREAS, after careful consideration and review, the Public Safety Committee
18 recommends that Manitowoc County accept the grant funds from FEMA and WEM to complete
19 the Project;
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21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the county board of supervisors of the
22 county of Manitowoc authorizes the Manitowoc County Emergency Services Director to accept
23 the FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funds of \$21,612.62 and WEM grant funds of
24 \$3,412.52 for the purpose of updating the Manitowoc County Hazard Mitigation Plan; and
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26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Emergency Services Director is authorized to sign
27 documents and take the actions necessary to undertake, direct, and complete the Project; and
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29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the 2023 budget is amended by the amount of the grant
30 funds allocated and that the Finance Director is directed to record such information in the official
31 books of the County for the year ending December 31, 2023 with carryover to 2024 as may be
32 required.

Dated this 20th day of June 2023.

Respectfully submitted by the
Public Safety Committee

James Falkowski, Chair

FISCAL IMPACT: No tax levy impact. Appropriate revenue and expense accounts in the Emergency Services Department budget are hereby increased by the amount of the grant funds and commensurate Project expenses.

FISCAL NOTE: Reviewed and approved by Finance Director. _____

LEGAL NOTE: This resolution amends the budget and requires a two-thirds vote of the entire county board. Reviewed and approved as to form by Corporation Counsel. _____

APPROVED: _____
Bob Ziegelbauer, County Executive Date

RESOLUTION AMENDING WEAPONS POLICY

TO THE MANITOWOC COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

1 WHEREAS, in 2011, the legislature passed 2011 Wisconsin Act 35, which repealed
2 prohibitions against carrying concealed and dangerous weapons; and

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4 WHEREAS, 2011 Wisconsin Act 35 prohibits concealed carry licensees from carrying a
5 firearm in certain government buildings, such as a courthouse, jail, or sheriff’s department; and

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7 WHEREAS, 2011 Wisconsin Act 35 allows local governments to prohibit employees and
8 the public from carrying specific weapons in local government buildings in certain circumstances;
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11 WHEREAS, in 2011 Manitowoc County passed Resolution No. 2011/2012-88, which
12 adopted the “Manitowoc County Weapons Policy” (“Weapons Policy”) consistent with Wisconsin
13 law; and

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15 WHEREAS, amendments must be made to the Weapons Policy from time-to-time to keep
16 policies current, reflect current practice, and address new issues and circumstances; and

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18 WHEREAS, Section 3(d) of the Weapons Policy establishes the buildings that are owned
19 by Manitowoc County where the concealed carry of a firearm is prohibited; and

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21 WHEREAS, due to the relocation of certain county functions, the Public Works
22 Committee, after careful consideration and review, recommends that Section 3(d) of the Weapons
23 Policy be amended to prohibit the concealed carry of firearms in the Human Services Hamilton
24 Street Office Building and the Manitowoc County Office Complex on Expo Drive;

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26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the county board of supervisors of the
27 county of Manitowoc amends the Manitowoc County Weapons Policy as follows:

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29 Manitowoc County Weapons Policy Section 3(d) is amended to read as follows:

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31 (d) Any other provision of this policy notwithstanding, Manitowoc County prohibits
32 the concealed carry of a firearm or other weapon in the following building(s):

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34 Communications & Technology Building
35 1024 South 9th Street
36 Manitowoc, WI 54220

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38 Human Services Department - Main Office
39 926 South 8th Street
40 Manitowoc, WI 54220

41 ~~Human Services Department Job Center Office~~
42 ~~3733 Dewey Street~~
43 ~~Manitowoc, WI 54220~~
44 Human Services Department – Hamilton Street Office
45 808 Hamilton Street
46 Manitowoc, WI 54220
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49 Manitowoc County Office Complex
50 4319 Expo Drive
51 Manitowoc, WI 54220

Dated this 20th day of June 2023.

Respectfully submitted by the
Public Works Committee

Rick Gerroll, Chair

FISCAL IMPACT: None.

FISCAL NOTE: Reviewed and approved by Finance Director. _____

LEGAL NOTE: Reviewed and approved as to form by Corporation Counsel. _____

APPROVED: _____
Bob Ziegelbauer, County Executive Date

