



Legislation Text

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Fiscal Note

This resolution authorizes a \$10,000.00 increase in the 2014 Storm Water Utility Operating Budget. This shall fund the hiring of an hourly engineer to work with targeted developers/projects to increase the effectiveness of erosion control during construction of significant redevelopment projects. This increase is fully funded through acceptance of a grant from the Yahara Wins Adaptive Management Project

Title

Amending the 2014 Stormwater Operating Budget and Authorizing the City of Madison, through the City Engineer, to accept a Yahara-Wins grant award in the amount of \$10,000.00 to fund the hiring of additional staff to work on and with developers of significant redevelopment projects to improve erosion control.

Body

WHEREAS, City Engineering currently enforces erosion control ordinances as part of any development or redevelopment project; and,

WHEREAS, City Engineering has limited resources to work with developers on practices that exceed the ordinance requirements for erosion control; and,

WHEREAS, it is well documented that erosion from construction sites, while transient, can account for a significant portion of the total suspended solids and phosphorous loads to the lake from urban areas; and

WHEREAS, City Engineering has applied for and received a \$10,000.00 grant from the Yahara Wins Adaptive Management Pilot Project to create and staff a program which will work with developers to reach a higher level of erosion control on large redevelopment sites where erosion control can be both the most challenging and the most detrimental due to the developments proximity to the lakes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1) That the City of Madison, through City Engineering , is authorized to accept this grant from the Yahara Wins Adaptive Management Pilot Project.
- 2) Be it further resolved that the Mayor and Common Council authorize the expenditure of grant funds in accordance with the grant application.
- 3) Be it further resolved that the 2014 Storm Water Utility Operating Budget is hereby amended as follows:

\$8,975	ESTM-51200-560000	Hourly Pay
\$1,025	ESTM-52000-560000	Fringe Benefits
(\$10,000)	ESTM-73410-560000	Other Governments Grants