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3 **RESOLUTION #**

4 **Resolution to apply for a WDNR Healthy Lakes & Rivers Grant**

5 Resolution approved for presentation to the Oneida County Board by the Supervisors of the
6 Conservation and UW-Extension Education Committee

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8 Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wisconsin:

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10 **WHEREAS**, Oneida County has over 1100 lakes, rivers, and streams, and contains
11 one of the highest concentrations of natural lakes in the world; and

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13 **WHEREAS**, Oneida County recognizes the importance of the quality of our water
14 resources to its citizens and local economies, and

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16 **WHEREAS**, Oneida County recognizes the need for a workable plan that will protect
17 and enhance wetlands and surface water quality, and

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19 **WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Land & Water Conservation Department (LWCD) will
20 implement activities under priority Goal #1- Protect & enhance wetlands and surface water
21 quality and Objective A3- Provide technical and financial (cost share) assistance to riparian
22 landowners from the Land and Water Resource Management Plan, and

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24 **WHEREAS**, funds are available from the WDNR's "Healthy Lakes & Rivers" grant
25 program that would allocate monies for Oneida County to manage in the form of grant
26 reimbursements for riparian landowner's costs of implementing runoff, erosion, and habitat best
27 practices, and

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29 **WHEREAS**, LWCD must apply for a grant through the WDNR "Healthy Lakes &
30 Rivers" grant program to receive funding.

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32 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that LWCD is authorized to apply for 75%
33 funding assistance (25% match to be provided by landowner) for such programming under the
34 Healthy Lakes & Rivers grant program from the WDNR.

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36 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Oneida County Board of Supervisors hereby
37 authorizes the County Conservationist, to submit an application for a WDNR grant not to exceed
38 \$1,000 in grant funds per individual Healthy Lakes project, to sign documents and take the
39 necessary action to undertake, direct, and complete the approved Healthy Lakes grant, and
40 submit reimbursement claims along with necessary supporting documentation within six months
41 of project date completion.

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43 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that if funding is not secured from the WDNR, the
44 project(s) will not occur.

51 **Approved by the Conservation and UW-EX Education Committee this 11th day of**
52 **September 11, 2023.**

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54 Vote Required: Majority = _____ 2/3 Majority = _____ 3/4 Majority = _____
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56 The County Board has the legal authority to adopt: Yes _____ No _____ as reviewed by
57 the Corporation Counsel, _____, Date: _____
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60 Consent Agenda Item: Yes No
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64 Offered and passage moved by: _____
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85 _____ Ayes
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88 _____ Nays
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90 _____ Absent
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92 _____ Abstain
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95 _____ Adopted by the County Board of Supervisors this 17th day of October, 2023.
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97 _____ Defeated
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100 Tracy Hartman, Clerk

_____ Scott Holewinski, County Board Chair

FISCAL IMPACT for HEALTHY LAKES & RIVERS GRANT

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104	Proposed Budget (per individual project)	
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107	Purchased Services (plants, materials)	\$ 1,000.00
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110	Estimated Volunteer Donated Time	\$ 334.00
111	State Portion of Grant (Up to 75%)	\$ 1,000.00
112	Total Project Cost Estimate	\$ 1,334.00
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114	Oneida County's Estimated Grant Match (In Kind)	\$ 0.00
115	Required 25% Grant Match (to be fulfilled by landowner)	\$ 334.00
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119	Total Revenues	\$ 1,000.00
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121	TOTAL PROJECT EXPENSE:	\$1,334.00
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