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RESOLUTION: Authorize the Sheriff's Office to Accept a Donation valued at \$14,700 for the Purchase of an Additional K-9-Unit along with Equipment and Training for the Unit from Thomas and Penny Harenburg

8 **TO THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:**

9 **WHEREAS**, the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office is responsible for providing law enforcement services to
10 the citizens of Winnebago County; and

11 **WHEREAS**, the deployment of K-9 Units has greatly increased the efficiency and effectiveness for drug
12 interdiction; and

13 **WHEREAS**, K-9 Units have also proven effective in tracking fugitives and missing persons; and

14 **WHEREAS**, the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office has received a donation from Thomas and Penny
15 Harenburg, valued at \$14,700, for the purchase of an additional K-9 Unit along with equipment and training for the Unit;
16 and

17 **WHEREAS**, it will be beneficial for the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office to accept the donation from Thomas
18 and Penny Harenburg for the purchase of a K-9 Unit along with equipment and funds to train the unit.

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20 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that it hereby
21 authorizes the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office to accept the directed donation from Thomas and Penny
22 Harenburg valued at \$14,700, for the purchase of an additional K-9 Unit along with equipment and associated
23 training.

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25 **Fiscal Impact:** There is no fiscal impact as no budget transfer is necessary.

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27 Respectfully submitted by:

28 **JUDICIARY AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

29 Committee Vote: **5-0**

30 Respectfully submitted by:

31 **PERSONNEL AND FINANCE COMMITTEE**

32 Committee Vote: **4-0**

33 Vote Required for Passage: **Majority of Those Present**

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35 Approved by the Winnebago County Executive this ____ day of _____, 2022.

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Jonathan D. Doemel
39 Winnebago County Executive