

RESOLUTION

ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Public Works Committee
Initiated by

Public Works Committee
& Parks Advisory Committee
Submitted by



Lori Williams, Parks Director
Drafted by

August 6, 2014
Date Drafted

ACCEPTANCE OF ROCK COUNTY 2014-2015 SNOWMOBILE DNR GRANT S-4365

1 **WHEREAS**, the Rock County Board of Supervisors Resolution #81-6A-038, on the 11th day of
2 June, 1981, adopted the Rock County Snowmobile Plan; and,

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4 **WHEREAS**, the Rock County Preliminary Application for 100% funding was approved by the
5 Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources in the total amount of \$56,600 to provide 226.4
6 miles of Rock County Trails; and,

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8 **WHEREAS**, upon completion by signature of Recreation Aids Grant Agreements, Rock County
9 will qualify for 100% funding for acquisition of trail easements, bridge development, insurance
10 and maintenance of the trail, payable as follows: 50% in advance and 50% upon inspection and
11 approval for development; and,

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13 **WHEREAS**, the Rock County Snowmobile trail provides a needed winter recreational facility
14 in Rock County.

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16 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Rock County Board of Supervisors on
17 this 14 day of August, 2014, hereby accepts the 2014-2015 Rock
18 County Snowmobile Grant.

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20 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the County Board Chair is hereby authorized and
21 directed to sign the grant agreement and that this document be submitted to the Wisconsin
22 Department of Natural Resources.

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24 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Parks Director be named the Snowmobile Trail
25 Coordinator and act as authorized official to file all necessary documents for administration
26 and reimbursement of this program, with the Rock County Alliance of Snowmobile Clubs
27 named as subcontractor to carry out the work of the program (signing, grooming, and general
28 trail maintenance). The Rock County Alliance of Snowmobile Clubs is a 501(c)(3) federal
29 charitable organization. They are in partnership with Rock County to carry out this
30 recreational program in Rock County.

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Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Vacant

Chair

Betty Jo Bussie

Betty Jo Bussie, Vice Chair

Eva M. Arnold

Eva M. Arnold

Brent Fox

Brent Fox

Rick Richard

Rick Richard

PARKS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Absent

Tom Presny

Floyd Finney

Floyd Finney

Dean Paynter

Dean Paynter

FISCAL NOTE:

\$56,600 is included in the Parks' 2014 budget, A/C41-4592-4594, for the 2014-2016 Snowmobile Grant Program.

Sherry Oja

Sherry Oja
Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to accept grant funds pursuant to sec. 59.52(19), Wis. Stats.

Jeffrey S. Kuglitsch
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Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Josh Smith

Josh Smith
County Administrator

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
FOR
ACCEPTANCE OF 2014-2015 ROCK COUNTY SNOWMOBILE FUNDING
DNR GRANT S-4365

This resolution provides final authorization to accept funding for the winter 2014-2015 Rock County Snowmobile Trail Program.

Our pre-application has been reviewed and the grant we are accepting is:

S-4365	Trail Maintenance 226.4 miles @ \$250	\$56,600
	Lease Acquisition (now part of Maintenance @ \$250/mile)	\$0
	Insurance (none)	\$0 _____
	Grant Total	\$56,600

The Rock County Public Works Committee and the Parks Advisory Committee will subcontract this work to the Rock County Alliance of Snowmobile Clubs and they will provide most of the actual labor and machinery to do this work. The Rock County Alliance of Snowmobile Clubs is a partner with Rock County to bring this recreational opportunity to the citizens of Rock County. This group is a federal 501(3)(c) tax exempt and State of Wisconsin Chapter 181 charitable not for profit organization. Any clerical, bookkeeping or field work (including labor, materials, and machinery) by DPW Parks Division or Highway Division is 100% billed. Any time spent by the Parks Director to administer and inspect the work of this program is billed to the grant.

These funds are 100% provided by the payments snowmobilers have made through license and prorated fuel tax payments. Rock County receives a 50% advance payment check after the completed contract is signed, the balance due upon final close out of the grant.