

GREEN LAKE COUNTY 571 County Road A, Green Lake, WI 54941

## Original Post Date: 9/9/2024 Amended Post Date:

The following documents are included in the packet for the Land, Water, Parks & Community Committee meeting on September 12, 2024

- 1) Amended Agenda
- 2) Minutes: 8/8/2024
- 3) Department Reports
  - Land Conservation
  - Parks
- 4) Resolutions
  - County Conservation Aids Grant for Twin Lake Park Boat Launch Maintenance
  - Resolution to Utilize American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds for Green Lake County Groundwater Program
- 5) 2025 Green Lake County Groundwater Program
- 6) Request to Cancel Green Lake County Buffer Program Cost Share Contracts
- 7) Green Lake County Land Conservation 2025 Budget



## *GREEN LAKE COUNTY OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK*

Elizabeth Otto County Clerk

*Office: 920-294-4005 FAX: 920-294-4009* 

Land, Water, Parks & Community Committee				
Meeting Notice				
	te: Thursday, September 12, 2024 Time: 9:00 AM			
Ine Green	n Lake County Government Center, County Board Room			
	571 County Road A, Green Lake WI			
	<u>*AMENDED AGENDA</u>			
Committee Members	<ol> <li>Call to Order</li> <li>Certification of Open Meeting Law</li> <li>Pledge of Allegiance</li> </ol>			
Bob Schweder – Chair Mike Skivington – Vice Chair Nancy Hiestand Nita Krenz	<ul> <li>4. Public Comment (3 minute limit)</li> <li>5. Approve Minutes: 8/8/2024</li> <li>6. Department Reports: <ul> <li>Land Conservation</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
Nila Krenz Bill Boutwell David Albright Wes Eisenga, CASCC Rep.	<ul> <li>Parks</li> <li>7. Resolution</li> <li>County Conservation Aids Grant for Twin Lake Park Boat Launch Maintenance</li> </ul>			
Karissa Block, Secretary	<ul> <li>*Resolution to utilize American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds for Green Lake County Groundwater Program</li> <li><u>ARPA Request</u> Groundwater Testing Program</li> <li>Draeger - Hein Cancelation of Buffer Agreement – Discussion &amp; Action</li> </ul>			
Virtual attendance at meetings is optional. If technical difficulties arise, there may be instances when remote access may be compromised. If there is a quorum attending in person, the meeting will proceed as scheduled.	<ul> <li>10. Native Plan Sale Discussion</li> <li>11. Parks Maintenance</li> <li>12. Deer Donation Partners Program – Discussion</li> <li>13. 2025 LCD Budget Review</li> <li>14. Committee Discussion <ul> <li>Future Discussion</li> <li>Future Meeting Dates: 10/10/2024 @ 9:00 AM</li> <li>Future Agenda items for action &amp; discussion</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
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Bd. of Vill. of Greendale, 173 Wis.2d 553, 578, 494 N.W. 2d 408 (1993).	Dial in by phone         +1 920-515-0745,,553090075#         United States, Green Bay         Find a local number         Phone conference ID: 553 090 075#         For organizers: Meeting options   Reset dial-in PIN         Please accept at your earliest convenience. Thank you!         Org help   Privacy and security			
	Kindly arrange to be present, if unable to do so, please notify our office. Elizabeth Otto, County Clerk			

Please note: Meeting area is accessible to the physically disabled. Anyone planning to attend who needs visual or audio assistance, should contact the County Clerk's Office, 294-4005, not later than 3 days before date of the meeting.

## GREEN LAKE COUNTY LAND, WATER, PARKS & COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES Thursday, August 8, 2024

## CALL TO ORDER

Chair Bob Schweder called the meeting of the Land, Water, Parks & Community Committee to order at 9:00AM in the Green Lake County Government Center, County Board Room #0902, Green Lake, WI. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met. Public access was available via remote programming as well as in person. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

<u>Present</u>: Mike Skivington, Nancy Hiestand, Nita Krenz, Bill Boutwell, Bod Schweder
 <u>Absent</u>: David Albright
 <u>Also Present</u>: Karissa Block, Deputy County Clerk; Todd Morris, County Conservationist; Scott Weir,
 Maintenance Supervisor; Ken Stephani, Finance Director

## PUBLIC COMMENT (3 MINUTES LIMIT)

-none

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

*Motion/second (Boutwell/Krenz)* to approve the minutes of the 07/11/2024 Land, Water, Parks & Community Committee Meeting. Motion carried with no negative vote.

## COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT

Each Library Representative gave their report. Clairellyn Sommersmith reviewed the budget request found in the packet. Discussion held.

## **DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

## • Land Conservation

County Conservationist, Todd Moriss reviewed his report. Moriss shared and discussed projects Land Conservation has been working on in the month of July. Moriss also gave a report on Lakes and Rivers. Discussion held.

## • Parks

Maintenance Supervisor, Scott Weir reviewed his report. Weir shared that Dredging will begin in late August, early September. Discussion held.

## **CLEAN SWEEP UPDATE**

Moriss gave a reminder that the Clean Sweep will be happening Friday, August 9<sup>th</sup> from 11:00AM-5:00PM at the Green Lake Fairgrounds

## **COMMITTEE DISCUSSION**

- a. Next meeting date September 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:00AM
- b. Future agenda items for action & discussion

## ADJOURN

Chair Schweder adjourned the meeting at 9:58AM Respectfully submitted,

Karissa Block Deputy County Clerk

### Land, Water, Parks, and Community Committee Land & Water Conservation Dept. September 12, 2024 Department Report

#### August 2024 Projects

- Inspect open erosion control permits and review new permit applications for erosion control and stormwater management.
- Assist a landowner with stormwater runoff concerns on their residential lot in the Town of Berlin.
- Assist landowner to relocate a stormwater management pipe outlet along their property line while still meeting the original design specifications.
- Complete the design for 2 diversions in the Town of Manchester.
- Work on design for feed storage pad leachate collection and potential Vegetated Treatment Area (VTA) in the Town of St. Marie.
- Complete the installation of a farmable diversion in the Town of Marquette.
- Make recommended changes to a waste transfer and waste storage facility design in the Town of Princeton per DATCP area engineer recommendations.
- Continue design of a roof runoff structure and an underground outlet in the Town of Princeton.
- Preliminary design of a water and sediment control basin in the Town of Marquette.
- Installation of Grass Waterway
- Continue design for grade stabilization structures and rock chute in Town of Green Lake.
- 2024 Clean Sweep event at the Green Lake County Fair Grounds to collect hazardous chemicals for proper disposal and unwanted vehicle tires for recycling.
- Attend Conservation Field Day at Badtke Farm.
- Attend Seiler drone demo day in Neenah.

#### Lake and River Report

<u>Puckaway</u> – Monitoring water levels on Lake Puckaway and Fox River. Responded to concern regarding flooding and property damage. Attended weed harvester demonstration on Lake Puckaway with DNR and Lake District.

Twin Lakes – Lake Monitoring for Lake Plan update is underway. Launch dredging permit (general permit) has been issued and forwarded to the Park Department. Met with association board to set future direction and priorities in relation to changes in DNR.

Spring Lake – Conducted plant meander survey. Partnered with LUPZ to investigate shoreline violation complaint.

Little Green – Responded to shoreline erosion/modification concerns.

<u>Green Lake</u> – Met with GLA staff to develop field work plans for 2024. Design and planning work underway for stream restoration and BMP projects for 2024. Launch dredging permit (general permit) has been issued and forwarded to the Park Department for Dodge Memorial Park and Sunset Park.

Grand Lake - Responded to concerns of excessive plant growth and future ongoing treatment plans

<u>Other</u> – Stream Monitoring and water sampling completed on the White River, Belle Fountain Creek, and Grand River.

#### Golden Sands RC&D Update:

Press release sent out for Landing Blitz event

In talks with local wardens about increased presence, violations for AIS rule violations around Green Lake AIS booth at Waterfowl Expo with Fox-Wolf Alliance

<u>Upcoming Events:</u>	
September 19th	Golden Sands RC&D Board Meeting (Wood County or virtual)
September 20 <sup>th</sup>	Soil Health & Land Protection Field Day (Hyggelig Farm, Green Lake)
September 20 <sup>th</sup>	Lake Winnebago Land & Water Association Summer Tour/Meeting (Marquette County)
October 17th & 18th	County Conservationist Meeting (Stevens Point)
November 21 <sup>st</sup>	Golden Sands RC&D Board Meeting (Wood County or virtual)

September 12, 2024 Land, Water, Parks & Community Monthly Report Parks & recreation Department Green Lake County

Zobel Park

The upper and lower park 16'x24' shelters have been scheduled for install starting the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in November. This is for excavating and concrete slabs. Dead tree cutting continues when schedule allows. Lower rest room area will be excavated, and concrete forms scheduled to be completed by last week in September. Scheduled Maintenance performed. General Maintenance performed.

Sunset Park

Dumpsters removed for season. 2 new concrete dock approaches have been scheduled for installation 1<sup>st</sup> week in November. Privy pumped 08/27/24 Scheduled Maintenance performed. General Maintenance performed.

Twin Lake Park

Dredging for launch is tentatively scheduled for 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> week in November. Scheduled Maintenance performed. General Maintenance performed.

Spring Valley Park

Scheduled Maintenance performed... General Maintenance performed.

Dodge Memorial Park

Launch area privy pumped 08/27/24 Dumpsters removed for season Dredging for 3 launches tentatively scheduled for 3<sup>rd</sup>. week in November. Reported boat wash station drain backup to LC New cutter/printer head ordered for launch terminal (terminal functions but cannot print receipts) Reported water leaking out boat wash station trailer to LC (we shut system down) 4 new concrete dock approaches have been scheduled for installation 1st week in November. Still waiting for Cove Marine on install of ADA Kayak launches. Scheduled Maintenance performed General Maintenance performed

Lake Maria

Scheduled Maintenance performed General Maintenance performed

**Kingston Park** 

Privy pumping scheduled for week of 09/02/24 Dumpster removed for season Scheduled Maintenance performed General Maintenance performed

Request was sent to County Administrator along with New Position Analysis form for Full Time Maintenance Repair person for Parks & Recreation Department for the start of 2025.

Submitted by:

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Scott A. Weir Maintenance Director/Parks & Recreation Director Green Lake County

## **RESOLUTION NUMBER** -2024

## County Conservation Aids Grant for Twin Lake Park Boat Launch Maintenance

The County Board of Supervisors of Green Lake County, Green Lake, Wisconsin, duly assembled at its regular meeting begun on the 17th day of September, 2024, does resolve as follows:

1 WHEREAS, Green Lake County is interested in obtaining a cost-share grant from the

2 Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for the purpose of Maintenance and

- 3 repair to Twin Lake Park Boat Launch ramp;
- 4 **WHEREAS,** the respondent attests to the validity and veracity of the statements and 5 representations contained in the application;
- 6 WHEREAS, an Agreement/Contract is required to carry out the project; and
- 7 Fiscal note is attached.
- 8 Majority vote is needed to pass.

Roll Call on Resolution No. -2024

Ayes , Nays , Absent , Abstain 0

Passed and Adopted/Rejected this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024.

Submitted by Land, Water, Parks and Community Committee:

Bob Schweder, Chair

County Board Chairman

ATTEST: County Clerk Approve as to Form:

Corporation Counsel

Nita Krenz

Nancy Hiestand

Bill Boutwell

Mike Skivington

David Albright

9 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that Green Lake County will meet the financial

- 10 obligations necessary to fully and satisfactorily complete the project and hereby
- 11 authorizes and empowers the following officials or employees to submit the following
- 12 documents to the DNR for financial assistance that may be available:

Task	Title of Authorized Representative	Email Address & Phone Number
Sign and submit application	County Administrator	<u>cwylie@greenlakecountywi.gov</u> 920-294-4166
Enter into an Agreement/Contract with the DNR	County Administrator	<u>cwylie@greenlakecountywi.gov</u> 920-294-4166
Submit required reports to the DNR to satisfy the Agreement/Contract, as appropriate		tmorris@greenlakecountywi.gov 920-294-4051
Submit reimbursement request(s) to the DNR per the Agreement/Contract		tmorris@greenlakecountywi.gov 920-294-4051
Sign and submit other documentation as necessary to complete the project per the Agreement/Contract	County Conservationist	tmorris@greenlakecountywi.gov 920-294-4051

13 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that respondent will comply with all local, state, and

14 federal rules, regulations, and ordinances relating to this project and the cost-share

15 Agreement/Contract.

## 16 **FISCAL NOTE:**

# County Conservation Aids Application and Grant Agreement

Form 8700-045A (R 06/22)

**Notice:** Complete this form to request County Conservation Aids (CCA) under s. 23.09(12), Wis. Stats., for development of habitat on County Forests and for County Fish and Game projects. Collection of this information is authorized under ss. 23.09(11), 23.09(26), 350.12(4), 23.33, and 30.92, Wis. Stats., and chs. NR 7, NR 50, NR 51, and NR 64, Wis. Admin. Code. Personally identifiable information collected will be used for program administration and may be provided to requesters to the extent required by Wisconsin's Public Records law [ss. 19.31-19.39, Wis. Stats.].

See Guidance Booklet	(https://dnr.wisconsin.gov	v/aid/CountyConservation.html)	) for Instructions on how to	o fill out this form!

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Gr	een Lake Count	ty						
Address			City		State	ZIP Code		
571 County Road A			Green La	ake	WI	54941		
Au	thorized Represer	ntative Name		Title				
Ca	te Wylie			County A	Administrator			
Co	ntact Phone Num	ber	Contact E	Contact Email				
		(920) 294-4147	cwylie@	greenlak	ecountywi.gov			
Со	unty		Wisconsir	n Tribe Nar	ne			
Gr	een Lake County							
Se	ction 2. Project	Title, Category, Description and L	ocation					
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	provided by this g Total Project Cost	rant? (Must select Yes to Enter Estimate	ed 💽 Yes		50% of Est. Total Project C	ost	\$12,500.00	
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4.	Will the project of	ccur on DNR land?	🔿 Yes	No No	Estimated Grantee Match		\$12,500.00	
<ol> <li>Have you contacted Appropriate DNR staff regarding any potential permits needed for your project?</li> <li>Attach Supporting Documentation</li> </ol>			O No	DNR Use Only				
					Total DNR Cost Share			
6. Resolution is attached					Total Sponsor Cost Share			
	(Resolutions are	Project Resolution Form (8700-388)) good for up to 5 years as long as the re being applied for.)	Yes solution wo					

#### Certification

By submitting this form electronically, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided is true and that I represent, both personally and as agent for the Applicant, that I am authorized to execute this agreement and bind the Applicant, either by a duly adopted resolution or otherwise. By signing, I also request a variance to s. NR 50.14(3)(b), Wis. Adm. Code that would allow any unused funds under this grant program to be available beginning on October 1st.

NOTE: Please type your name on the signature line. The email message generated from electronic

submittal of this form will be used as an electronic signature.

0à Signature of Authorized Representative



**Note:** In order to fill and save this form electronically, it must be opened using Adobe Reader or Acrobat software. Save a copy of the file, open Adobe Reader, select File > Open and browse for the file you saved.

State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources dnr.wi.gov

## **Grant Project Resolution**

Form 8700-388 (08/21)

**Instructions**: Each applicant must submit to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) an *Authorizing Resolution* that is approved by the governing body of the organization and indicates which officers or employees of the organization are authorized to do the following:

- 1. Sign and submit the grant application
- 2. Sign the Agreement/Contract between applicant and the DNR
- 3. Submit required reports to the DNR to satisfy the Agreement/Contract (See Agreement/Contract for Requirement, if any)
- 4. Submit reimbursement request(s) to the DNR
- 5. Sign and submit other required documentation that maybe required for your specific project.

We strongly recommend that the applicant indicates the authorized person(s) by the title of position in the Authorizing Resolution, rather than by the name of the employee or officer. Employees have been known to retire or change jobs in the middle of a project, and, were this to happen, your resolution would be ineffective if it only lists the employee by name. If your organization requires that a person be named in an Authorizing Resolution, then the resolution should also include the title of position and contact information for the named individual.

**Note:** If applicant is required to submit a draft "intergovernmental agreement (IGA)" along with your agreement, an Authorizing Resolution is not a substitute for an IGA.

STANDARD AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, (applicant)Green Lake Countyis interested in obtaining a cost-<br/>share grant from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for the purpose of<br/>Maintenance and repair to Twin Lake Park Boat Launch(as described in the application);

WHEREAS, the respondent attests to the validity and veracity of the statements and representations contained in the application;

WHEREAS, an Agreement/Contract is required to carry out the project; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that (applicant) Green Lake County

will meet the financial obligations necessary to fully and satisfactorily complete the project and hereby authorizes and empowers the following officials or employees to submit the following documents to the DNR for financial assistance that may be available:

Task	Title of Authorized Representative	Email address and phone number if alternative is used
Sign and submit application	County Administrator	cwylie@greenlakecountywi.gov / (920) 294-4147
Enter into an Agreement/Contract with the DNR	County Administrator	cwylie@greenlakecountywi.gov / (920) 294-4147
Submit required reports to the DNR to satisfy the Agreement/Contract, as appropriate	County Conservationist	tmorris@greenlakecountywi.gov / (920) 294-4051
Submit reimbursement request(s) to the DNR per the Agreement/Contract	County Conservationist	tmorris@greenlakecountywi.gov / (920) 294-4051
Sign and submit other documentation as necessary to complete the project per the Agreement/Contract	County Conservationist	tmorris@greenlakecountywi.gov / (920) 294-4051

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that respondent will comply with all local, state, and federal rules, regulations, and ordinances relating to this project and the cost-share Agreement/Contract.

I hereby certify that the	foregoing resolution	was duly adopted by	Green Lake County Board	at a legal meeting
held on this	day of	, 20 🔒		

Authorized Signature	Date
Title	

**NOTE:** The Authorized Signature and the Representative should not be the same person, unless minutes of the meeting where the resolution was adopted are attached.

## **RESOLUTION NUMBER** -2024

## Resolution to utilize American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds for Green Lake County Groundwater Program

The County Board of Supervisors of Green Lake County, Green Lake, Wisconsin, duly assembled at its regular meeting begun on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of SEPTEMBER, 2024, does resolve as follows:

- 1 WHEREAS, Green Lake County Health and Human Services Department applied for a
- 2 grant in 2019 to provide well testing for 150 wells in the county. This program was very
- 3 well received by the public; and
- 4 **WHEREAS**, results from this initial testing and follow-up 2023-2024 testing identified
- 5 two distinct areas in the county that had high percentages of tested wells with elevated 6 nitrate levels: and
- 7 **WHEREAS**, the Green Lake County Groundwater Program will concentrate well testing
- 8 in these elevated areas, targeting households that did not participate in the 2019 2024
- 9 study and families with infants, and
- 9 study and families with infants, and
- 10 Majority vote is needed to pass.

Roll Call on Resolution No. -2024

Submitted by Land, Water, Parks, and Community Committee:

Ayes , Nays , Absent , Abstain 0

Passed and Adopted/Rejected this 17th day of September, 2024.

Robert Schweder, Chair

Mike Skivington

County Board Chairman

ATTEST: County Clerk Approve as to Form: Bill Boutwell

Nancy Hiestand

Corporation Counsel

Nita Krenz

Dave Albright

- 11 **WHEREAS**, in future program years the focus area can be expanded to include other
- 12 areas of the county that show elevated nitrate levels; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the Green Lake County Land and Water Resource Management Plan has
- 14 identified Protect Groundwater Resources as a goal in the plan, with an objective of
- 15 developing a well testing program through the Land Conservation Department; and
- 16 **WHEREAS**, this goal cannot be achieved without support from the Green Lake County
- 17 Health and Human Services Department and county groundwater task force, to provide
- 18 an outreach and education campaign for sampling; and
- 19 WHEREAS, the Green Lake County Groundwater Program will provide free well water
- 20 sampling to 150 households, provide well water screening at the Green Lake County
- Fair and other educational events, and educate public on the importance of annual well
- 22 testing, and
- 23 WHEREAS, requested funding from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) for the
- Green Lake County Groundwater Program is \$10,500.00.
- 25 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: the Green Lake County Board approves the
- ARPA request of approximately \$10,500.00 for the continuation of the Green Lake
- 27 County Groundwater Program, a collaboration between the Land Conservation
- 28 Department and the Public Health Unit of Health and Human Services Department; and
- 29 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**: The Green Lake County Board will provide any and all
- 30 undesignated ARPA funds as of December 17, 2024, and assign those remaining funds
- to this program, regardless of the amount, to ensure the successful continuation of this
- important conservation and public health initiative.
- 33 **FISCAL NOTE:** \$10,500.00

## 2025 Green Lake County Groundwater Program

### Goals:

- Continue to provide well water screening at the Green Lake County Fair and other educational events.
- Continue Outreach and Education on importance of annual well testing and health effects of having high nitrates HHS
- Continue to provide well sampling for 150 homeowners through UWSP Water and Environmental Analysis Lab
- Funding
  - o 2025 ARPA Request \$10,500.00
  - 2026 and beyond add cost into LCC and HHS budgets (\$5000 each department)
- Focus/Target hotspots from 2020 2024 testing Princeton and Kingston areas

### Purpose:

The purpose of the Green Lake County Groundwater program is to promote private well testing in rural areas of Green Lake County. In 2019, the Green Lake County Health and Human Services Department applied for a grant to tests 150 wells in Green Lake County and developed a county groundwater task force to administer the testing program. This program would be a continuation of this testing program following similar protocols. This was a very well received program and in addition to the 150 tests completed by the county, the Green Lake Sanitary District and Green Lake Association also supplied test kits to their members at no cost, so a total of 263 wells were tested.

The Green Lake County Land and Water Resource Management Plan has identified *Protect Groundwater Resources* as a goal in this plan. Protecting groundwater can be achieved by developing a well testing program through the Land Conservation Department to monitor groundwater quality and explore a countywide groundwater protection plan – Land and Water Resource Management Plan objective. This goal cannot be achieved without support from the Green Lake County Health and Human Services Department and county groundwater task force, to provide an outreach and educational campaign for sampling. This educational campaign will inform the public on importance of annual well testing. The Health and Human Services Department also assists families with infants and can inform them of this program and the need for well testing.

In 2023 and 2024 Green Lake County provided well testing in the targeted areas. This offer of a free well test has been well received by homeowners and highlights the need for additional testing and education in the targeted area and entire county. Request would allow for another year of testing to continue.

#### Need:

From the 2020 data and 2023-2024 data, there are two distinct areas that had high percentages of tested wells with elevated nitrate levels. These areas are in the SE portion of the Town of Princeton, and the Town of Kingston. These areas correspond with the WI Well Water Quality viewer that shows these areas have typically had elevated nitrate levels in submitted samples. The Green Lake County Groundwater Program would begin by focusing on these areas, see maps. The target households are ones that did not participate in the 2020 - 2024 studies and families with infants. In future program years the focus area can be expanded to include other areas that show high nitrate levels.

As a component of the program the Land Conservation Department will offer free well water screening at the Green Lake County Fair and other educational events. This service can start the conversation on the need for annual well testing, or if a sample should be submitted to the lab for analysis.

Health and Human Services department will partner to provide outreach and education on the benefits of annual well testing and the health effects of having high nitrates in your well. This will occur throughout the year.

To address groundwater quality, the development of the Green Lake County Land and Water Resource Management Plan allows the Land Conservation Department to annually receive funding from the WI Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection (DATCP). A portion of the funding is directed for the development of Nutrient Management Plans. A nutrient management plan is a tool that can be used to address and protect groundwater resources. Utilizing this groundwater program data, funds can be directed to areas that have high nitrates in their drinking water for development of nutrient management plans. The DATCP funding can also be utilized for well abandonments within the county and target area. Abandoning wells eliminates the direct connection for pollutants to reach groundwater. From 2015 – 2024 the Land Conservation Department has cost shared the abandonment of 41 wells throughout the county. For homeowner wells that exceed the 10-ppm threshold for nitrates, there is currently funding through the Wisconsin DNR Well Compensation Grant Program. This provides a funding source for homeowners to pursue if their well sample should come back with high nitrate levels, or other contaminants.

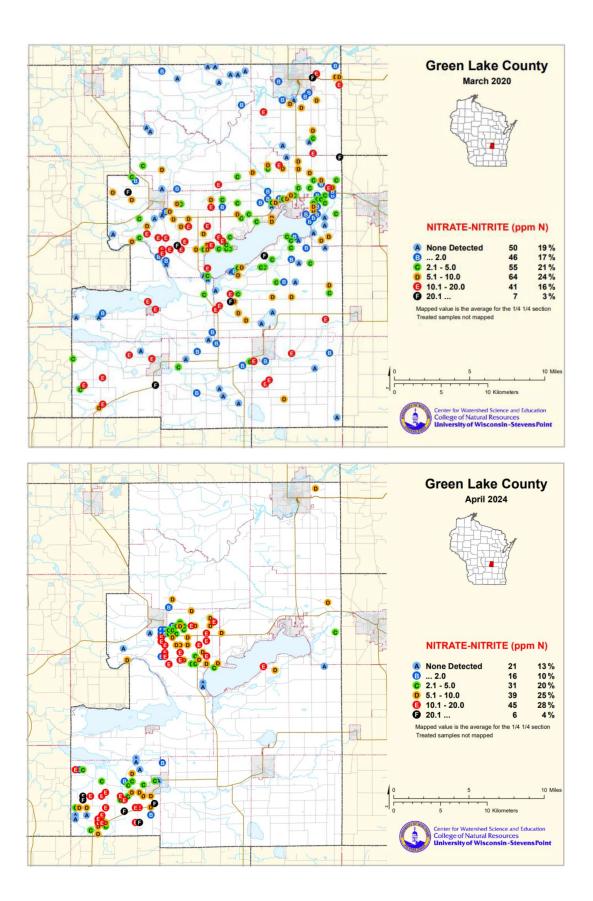
Continuing program will allow for the collection of Green Lake County groundwater data to be accessible through the Wisconsin Well Water Quality Viewer. Because groundwater quality can often be very site specific for certain contaminants, many water samples are required to get a sense of groundwater quality for the county. By combining data together, we are able to look at county averages to better understand private well water across Green Lake County. The viewer does not provide site specific information for an individual well or property.

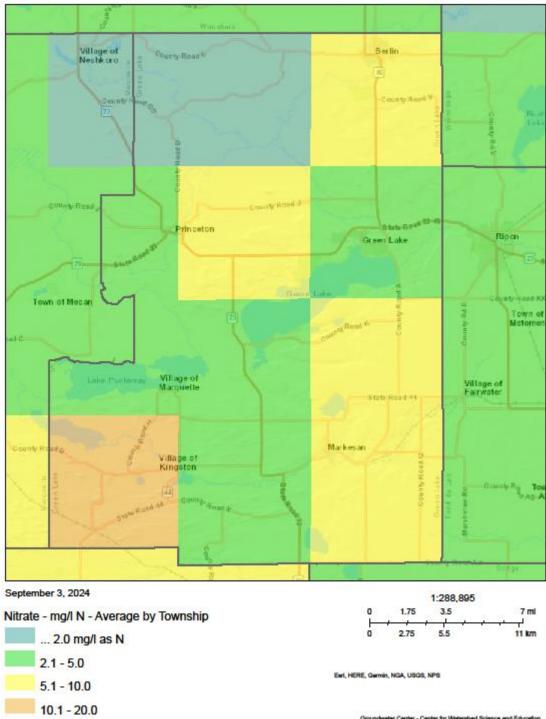
## Budget:

Funding request – Green Lake County ARPA funding for 2025 Groundwater Program. Following years to include in LCC and HHS budgets as Groundwater Program, \$5000 each department?

Budget Item	Quantity	Cost	Total Cost	Funding Requested
Laboratory Testing Fees	150	\$70.00	\$10,500.00	ARPA
TOTAL REQUEST:			\$10,500.00	ARPA

Water samples will be sent to the UWSP Water & Environmental Analysis Laboratory for analysis. Using this lab allows for the data to be uploaded to the WI Well Water Quality Viewer for statistical reporting. The Well Water Quality Viewer will be utilized to raise awareness of local groundwater quality issues, promote testing and outreach efforts, and encourage well testing in areas where little data exists.





## Private Wells Water Quality

Troundwater Center - Center for Wetershed Science and Education UWSP - UWEX - Public Web Mapping Service

#### Request to Cancel Green Lake County Buffer Program Cost Share Contracts

Cost Share Agreement 2019-GLCBP-03 Robin R & Ann M Hein Revocable Trust

Cost Share Agreement 2019-GLCBP-04 Robin Hein & Steven Draeger

Landowners wish to cancel both agreements for the following reason:

Steven Draeger, Robin Hein and Robin and Ann Hein Trust wish to remove our buffer strips that we have installed along ditches. It is hard to get that hay dry due to the location and type of material planted. The county wanted 30' strips and we put in 45' because of difficulty turning equipment around in a 30' strip.

Paul Gunderson and Todd Morris said it was easy to enroll in and can get out by returning 1 year of cost share payment. The strips will be terminated around October 1st.

Fact-we have neighbors that spread a lot of manure that do not have buffer strips. Fact-these strips make up an additional 8 fields and create extra records and work for the FSA office.

We will not be attending the meeting.

Steve Draeger 920-229-5802 Robin Hein 920-229-5801 Ann Hein 920-229-5804

2019-GLCBP-03 Annual Payment\$994.192019-GLCBP-04 Annual Payment\$1992.60

## **GREEN LAKE COUNTY BUFFER PROGRAM**

## **COST-SHARE CONTRACT: 2019-GLCBP-03**



This Contract is made and entered into by and between

Green Lake County Land Conservation Department, and Landowner(s) Robin R & Ann M Hein <u>Revocable Trust</u>. This Contract is complete and valid as of the date signed by the county representative.

In consideration of the terms and conditions herein, the parties agree to this Contract as set forth in the following Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 and any addenda that are annexed and made a part hereof.

SECTION 1A COUNTY INFORMATION			PAGE 1 of 3
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Green Lake County Land Conservation Dept.	(920) 294-4051		
ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE		
571 County Road A	Green Lake	WI	54941
NAME OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE			
Paul D. Gunderson			
SECTION 1B LANDOWNER INFORMATION		Section 1	
TOTAL COST-SHARE AMOUNT (refer to page 5)			
\$25,195.25			
NAME OF LANDOWNER (Check the description that best ap Liability Company X Trust, Estate or Partnership Loca Robin R & Ann M Hein Revocable Trust		pouse mus	t be included) Corporation Limited
ADDRESS			
W3568 County Rd H	1		
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE	TELEPHONE NUMBER		
Markesan WI 53946 LOCATION OF COST-SHARED PRACTICE(S) (Locate by p	920-398-2901		
B) Parcel Identification Number(s): 014-00852-0000	өг(-)		
Legal Description): Town of Marquette, Green Lake	County, WI		
014-00852-0000 - SE¼ OF THE NW¼ SEC 34			
AGREEMENT PERIOD: 2020-2045			
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#### **B.** The Landowner agrees:

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SECTION 3 PRACTICES, COST, COST-SHARE AMOUNTS, AND INSTALLATION SCHEDULE

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		ESTIMATED BMP IMPLEMENTATION PAYMENTS					
Best Management Practice (BMP)	Years of Cost Share	Quantity (Use Standard Units)	Unit Cost or Flat Rate	Priority Value	Estimated Total Cost	Estimated Annual Payment	
Vegetated Buffer	25	2.7 Acres	\$245.48	1.5	\$24,854.75	\$994.19	
Critical Area Stabilization	1	2.7 Acres	\$125	N/A	\$337.50	\$337.50 (1 <sup>st</sup> Year Only)	
					Contract Total Cost	\$25,195.25	

#### SECTION 4 COST-SHARE CONTRACT AGREEMENT SIGNATURES

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-8-11 DATE LANDOWNER/REPRESENTATIVE

PRINT OR TYPE NAME: ROBIN R HEIN\_

State of Wisconsin

LANDOWNER/RE

DATE

PRINT OR TYPE NAME: ANN M HEIN

State of Wisconsin

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Green Lake County )	Greek Lake County )
This instrument was acknowledged before me on May 8, 2019 by Robin R. Hein (date)	Greek Lake County ) This instrument was acknowledged before me on <u>Mag 8</u> 2019 by <u>Ann M. Hein</u> (name of landowner or representative) as <u>Landowner</u> (representative's position or type of authority if applicable UBLIC for
SIGNATURE Notary Public, State of Wisconsin My commission expires March 22 2023 (is permanent). Cathunic Amount 3/12/2020 SIGNATURE OF COUNTY REPRESENTATIVE PRINT OR TYPE NAME: CATHERINE J. SCHMIT	John D. Doode John D. Doode John D. Doode PRINT NAME PRINT NAME Notary Public, State of Wisconsin My commission expires <u>March 22</u> 2023 (is permanent).
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THIS DOCUMENT WAS DRAFTED BY THE GREEN LAKE COUNTY LAND CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT

## EXHIBIT A

ROBIN R & ANN M HEIN REVOCABLE TRUST Green Lake County Buffer Program Cost-Share Contract #2019-GLCBP-03

## 014-00852-0000

The Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 34, T15N, R12E, being in the Town of Marquette, Green Lake County, Wisconsin.

## VEGETATED BUFFER CERTIFICATION SHEET

LANDOWNER NAME: Robin R & Ann M Hein Revocable Trust COST-SHARE AGREEMENT: 2019-GLCBP-03 TOTAL ACRES INSTALLED: 2.7 Acres TOWN - RANGE, SECTION: T15N-R12E, Section 34





## **GREEN LAKE COUNTY BUFFER PROGRAM**

#### **COST-SHARE CONTRACT: 2019-GLCBP-04**



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Robin R Hein, Steven Draeger			
ADDRESS			
N1810 County Rd. U	1		
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE	TELEPHONE NUMBER		
Markesan WI 53946	920-229-5802		halo and handling to the the
LOCATION OF COST-SHARED PRACTICE(S) (Locate by p B)	providing parcel numbers(s) or	coordinat	es below or attach required information as Exhibit
Parcel Identification Number(s): 014-00859-0000, 0	14-00856-0000, 006-0098	3-0000, (	006-009 <b>82-0</b> 000
Legal Description): Town of Marquette, Green Lake	County, WI		
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This document was drafted by the Green Lake County Land Conservation Department

### EXHIBIT A

## ROBIN R HEIN & STEVEN DRAEGER Green Lake County Buffer Program Cost-Share Contract #2019-GLCBP-04

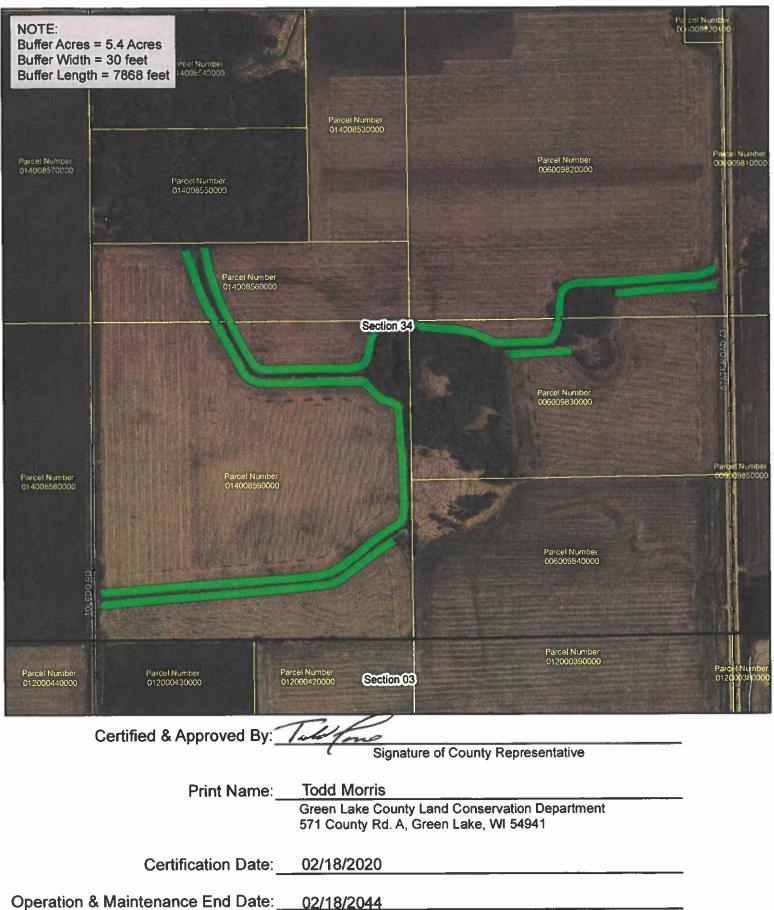
The South 50 acres of the East One-Half of the Southwest One-Quarter of Section 34, Township 15 North, Range 12 East. (Tax Key Nos. 014-00856-0000 and 014-00859-0000) Town of Marquette, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

The north three-fourths (N 3/4) of the west one-half (W ½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Fifteen (15) North, Range Twelve (12) East, EXCEPT Beginning at the Northeast comer of the Northwest Quarter (N 1/4) (sic) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Fifteen (15) North, Range Twelve (12) East, thence West 154 feet, thence South 183 feet, thence East 154 feet, to the center of State Highway 73, thence North 183 feet to the place of beginning. All in Section 34, Township 15 North, Range 12 East. Green Lake County, Wisconsin, SUBJECT to Green Lake County and State of Wisconsin highway rights. (Tax Parcel Nos. 006-00983-0000, 006-00982-0000)

## VEGETATED BUFFER CERTIFICATION SHEET

Green Lake County

-LANDOWNER NAME: Robin R Hein, Steven Draeger COST-SHARE AGREEMENT: 2019-GLCBP-04 TOTAL ACRES INSTALLED: 5.4 Acres TOWN - RANGE, SECTION: T15N-R12E, Section 34



### **GREEN LAKE COUNTY 2025 BUDGET**

		ACTUAL 12/31/2022	ACTUAL 12/31/2023	ACTUAL 6/30/2024	2024 REVISED	2025 PROPOSED
LAND CONSERVATION						
25-100-14-56110-110-000	SALARIES	403,859	364,627	180,757	394,992	404,851
25-100-14-56110-125-000	OVERTIME		385	-		
various	Benefits	139,935	143,327	76,133	154,162	162,580
25-100-14-56110-151-000	SOCIAL SECURITY	29,299	28,073	14,239	30,220	30,973
25-100-14-56110-153-000	RET. EMPLOYER SHARE	23,568	25,787	13,491	27,257	27,937
25-100-14-56110-154-000	HEALTH INSURANCE	86,562	88,958	48,123	96,129	103,082
25-100-14-56110-155-000	LIFE INSURANCE	505	509	281	557	588
25-100-14-56110-199-100	WILDLIFE DAMAGE	30,858	21,472	5,850	30,000	30,000
25-100-14-56110-210-000	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	350	350	350	350	850
25-100-14-56110-225-000	CELL PHONE	3,171	3,118	1,425	3,300	3,449
25-100-14-56110-242-000	PRINT MANAGEMENT	430	521	270	800	600
25-100-14-56110-307-000	TRAINING	2,360	4,148	2,186	3,055	3,055
25-100-14-56110-324-000	MEMBER DUES	3,790	3,838	1,991	3,891	3,916
25-100-14-56110-330-000	TRAVEL	-	-	-	100	100
25-100-14-56110-340-000	OPERATING SUPPLIES	2,945	6,714	753	2,903	2,490
25-100-14-56110-352-000	VEHICLE MAINTENANCE	3,577	3,625	2,653	3,500	3,500
25-100-14-56110-358-000	SECURITY DEPOSIT REFUND	-	-	-	-	-
25-100-14-56110-360-000	NO-TILL DRILL/SOIL HEALTH EXPEN:	188	6,039	1,310	9,275	200
25-100-14-56110-385-000	LAND-WATER PLAN COST SHARE	60,891	130,764	34,655	73,500	75,700

		ACTUAL 12/31/2022	ACTUAL 12/31/2023	ACTUAL 6/30/2024	2025 PROPOSED	2025 PROPOSED
25-100-14-56110-389-000	CONSERVATION PUBLIC ACTIVITIES	2,973	3,083	9,315	15,588	21,110
25-100-14-56110-395-000 25-100-14-56110-395-001	LAKE & RIVER FUND TWIN LAKES IMPROVEMENT	4,307 -	2,131 -	15,816 -	234,000 -	200,229 -
25-100-14-56110-395-002 25-100-14-56110-397-000		-	- 138	-	- 500	- 500
25-100-14-56110-397-002 25-100-14-56110-397-290		9,006	9,745	504 -	14,544 -	15,758 5,000
25-100-14-56110-490-000 25-100-14-56110-810-001	NOTICE OF DISCHARGE GRANT	- 25,123	24,488	-	- 28,500	- 32,938
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	693,763	728,513	333,966	972,960	966,826

FINANCING PROPOSAL		ACTUAL 12/31/2022	ACTUAL 12/31/2023	ACTUAL 6/30/2024	2024 REVISED	2025 PROPOSED
25-100-14-43545-000-000	CLEAN SWEEP GRANT	11,234	12,710	-	15,558	18,938
25-100-14-43583-000-000	PERMIT FEES	1,897	1,000	500	1,000	1,000
25-100-14-43584-000-000	LAND CONSERVATION REVENUE	192,498	195,585	1,610	177,645	184,017
25-100-14-43584-397-290	MDV FUNDING			47,060		5,000
25-100-14-43585-000-000	NO-TILL DRILL/SOIL HEALTH REVEN	4,878	10,333	2,004	9,275	200
25-100-14-43587-000-000	WILDLIFE DAMAGE PROGRAM	31,380	22,010	-	30,000	30,000
25-100-14-43590-000-000	PLAT BOOK	27	-		-	-
25-100-14-43593-000-000	CONSERVATION PUBLIC ACTIVITIES	1,383	2,129	1,595	15,128	5,500
25-100-14-43593-389-000	NMFE Grant Rev. for CONSERVATION F	PUBLIC ACTIVIT	TIES			10,150
25-100-14-43594-000-000	LAND-WATER PLAN COST SHARE	63,581	99,908	-	73,500	75,700
25-100-14-43596-000-000	SECURITY DEPOSIT	-	-		-	-
25-100-14-43601-000-000	CLEAN SWEEP	-	-		-	-
25-100-14-43604-000-000	LAKE & RIVER FUND	42,936	9,235	7,500	234,000	200,229
25-100-14-43604-000-001	TWIN LAKE IMPROVEMENT	-			-	-
25-100-14-43604-000-002	GRAND LAKE IMPROVEMENT	-			-	-
25-100-14-43604-000-003	NOTICE OF DISCHARGE REVENUE	-			-	-
25-100-14-46435-000-000	CLEAN SWEEP PUBLIC CHARGES	2,057	1,686	-	4,000	4,000
19-100-14-48326-000-000	SALE OF EQUIPMENT				-	-
25-100-14-48500-000-000	CLEAN SWEEP DONATIONS	10,000	10,000	-	10,000	10,000
25-100-14-49320-000-000	APPLIED FUNDS - CONSERVATION F	-		-	9,544	10,758
25-100-14-49320-005-000	APPLIED FUNDS - NO-TILL DRILL/SO	-		-	-	-
	TOTAL REVENUE	361,871	364,595	60,269	579,650	555,492
COUNTY APPROPRIATIO	N	331,892	363,918	273,697	393,310	411,334

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	WILDLIFE DAMAGE		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-225-000		
	Funded by USDA APHIS through sale of licenses. (Revenue match / No tax levy. This is an estimate of costs.)	\$	30,000
ACCOUNT NAME:	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-210-000		
	WI Land + Water Cons Association Standards Oversight Council Golden Sands RC&D Baseline Assessments (Conservation Alliance)	\$ \$	350 500
		\$	850
ACCOUNT NAME:	CELL PHONE		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-225-000		
	Monthly service for phones, 5 phones x \$44/month x 12 months Monthly service for Ipad and laptop, 2 devices x \$33.69/month x 12 months	\$ \$	2,640 809
	Total:	\$	3,449
Notes:	United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA A	PHIS)	

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation	2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	PRINT MANAGEMENT	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-242-000	
		\$ 600
ACCOUNT NAME:	TRAINING	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-307-000	
	3 day Annual WI Land + Water Conference (\$325 reg + \$25 meals) x 3	\$ 1,050
	2 night hotel for Annual WI Land + Water Conference (\$200) x 3	\$ 600
	County Conservationist Meetings (\$125 reg + \$15 meals) x 1	\$ 140
	1 night hotel for County Conservationist Meeting (\$90) x 1	\$ 90
	LWLWCA meetings (\$60) x 3	\$ 180
	3 day WI Lakes Conference (\$260 reg + \$25 meals) x 1	\$ 285
	2 night hotel for WI Lakes Conference (\$240) x 1	\$ 240
	WI Agribusiness Classic	\$ 200
	Wisconsin Grassworks Conference (\$150 reg + \$45 meals) x 0	\$ -
	2 UW Extention Trainings (\$30 reg/meeting) x 2 meetings	\$ 120
	WI Land + Water Tech Tours (\$25) x 6	\$ 150
	WWASH Conference	\$ -
	Total:	\$ 3,055

Notes:

Lake Winnebago Land and Water Conservation Association (LWLWCA)

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	MEMBER DUES		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-324-000		
	National Association of Conservatio	n Dist.	\$ 150
	WI Land & Water - Dues		\$ 1,526
	WI Envirothon		\$ 75
	Great Lakes Committee		\$ 50
	Soil & Water Conservation Society	<i>l</i> embership	\$ 115
	Lake Winnebago Land & Water Cor	servation Association	\$ 100
	Golden Sands Resource Conservation	on & Development Council Dues	\$ 1,900
		Total:	\$ 3,916

#### ACCOUNT NAME: TRAVEL

ACCOUNT #: TRAVEL

Using personal vehicle to meetings & trainings when County vehicles are unavailable

\$ 100

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation			2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	OPERATING SUPPLIES			
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-340-000			
	Subscriptions		\$	100
	Supplies (pens, paperclips, post-its, cell access.	, etc.)	\$	350
	Paper (6 @ \$50 & 2 @ \$60)		\$	420
	Field Supplies (lath, flags, paint markers, etc.)		\$	650
	Maintenance GPS Software - Field Genius		\$	250
	Genesis- annual mapping for sonar unit		\$	100
	Recording Fees - ROD		\$	120
	Equipment Repair/Replacement (2 Philadelphia	Survey Rods)	\$	500
		Total:	\$	2,490
ACCOUNT NAME:	NO-TILL DRILL/SOIL HEALTH EXPENS	E		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-360-000			
	No-Till Drill/ Soil Health Program No-Till Drill Maintenance Back 40 Soil Health Challenge (2023 - 2024)		\$ \$ \$	- 200 -
	(Revenue Match/No Tax Levy)	Total:	\$	200

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation	-		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	VEHICLE MAINTENANCE	-		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-352-000	-		
	Fuel Maintenance for LCD vehicles/equip ATV Registration	oment Total:	\$ \$ <b>\$</b>	2,500 995 5 <b>3,500</b>
ACCOUNT NAME:	SECURITY DEPOSIT REFUN	D		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-358-000	-		
	Security deposit for stormwater sites (Revenue Match / No tax levy)	i .	\$	-
ACCOUNT NAME:	LAND-WATER PLAN COST S	HARE		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-385-000	-		
	LWRM Cost Share (Bond Funds) NMP Cost Share (SEG Funds) (Revenue Match / No tax levy)		\$ \$	45,700 30,000
		Total:	\$	75,700
Notes:	Land and Water Resource Management Pla	an (LWRM)		

Nutrient Management Plan (NMP)

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	CONSERVATION PUBLIC ACTIVITIES		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-389-000		
	Misc host of meetings - (eg. CREP, Golden Sands \$50 x 2) Annual SNAP Plus Training (\$100 x 2) Poster Contest Awards Arbor Day Breakfast ( <i>Revenue Match</i> ) Arbor Day Prizes ( <i>sponsorships</i> ) Arbor Day Hall Rental NMFE Grant ( <i>Revenue match</i> ) Well Testing Program Conservation Camp Scholarships (1 @ \$300, 1 @ \$450) Golden Sands Groundwater Classroom Lessons (5 @ \$350/les	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ s	100 - 2,000 1,000 - 10,150 5,000 750 1,750
	Total:	\$	21,110
ACCOUNT NAME:	LAKE & RIVER FUND		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-395-000		
	General Lake & River Projects Grand Lake Projects Twin Lake AIS Planning Projects Big Green Lake CAPTure Project GLRI Grant Project (Roy and Wuerches Creek)	\$ \$ \$ \$	500 - 30,000 159,729
	(Balance from Applied Funds)	\$	200,229
Notes:	Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (GLRI) Project is for conservation practices watersheds. Grant was awarded as of 8/1/23. Total grant award is for \$524,189. (2023 -2026) Grant match for Revenue and Exp Nutrient Management Farmer Education (NMFE) Grant is to provide training nutrient management plans. Funds used to pay participants to attend training, complete soil tests, and purchase laptop	ense	
	dedicated to nutrient management planning. Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP)		
	Soil Nutrient Application Planner (SNAP)		
	Multi-Discharger Variance is funding from municipal wastewater treatment pl non-point runoff control on cropland, this is a cost share program and all fund distributed to participating landowners. DNR program.		

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	LAND & WATER MANAGEMENT		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-397-000		
	DNR permit fees, supplemental items, etc. Soil and water testing	\$ \$	400 100
	Total:	\$	500
ACCOUNT NAME:	CONSERVATION FUND		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-397-002		
	Current buffer easements Future Buffer Funding, Disaster Relief, County Cost Share, etc.	\$ \$	10,758 5,000
	Total:	<b>\$</b> 1	15,758

(Current buffer easements from 2024 Applied Funds of \$236,959.46)

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation			2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	MDV PROJECT COSTS			
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-397-290			
	Multi-Discharger Variance		\$	5,000
			\$	-
			\$	-
		Total:	\$	5,000
	Funded from WWTP Variance Payments			
ACCOUNT NAME:	NOTICE OF DISCHARGE GRANT			
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-490-000			
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-490-000 NOD Grant - Swanke Dairy NOD Grant - Bogucke		\$\$\$	- - -
ACCOUNT #:	NOD Grant - Swanke Dairy	Total:	\$ \$ \$	- - -

Grants will be applied for in 2024 for 2025 funding.

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation	2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	CLEAN SWEEP	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-56110-490-000	

Total:	\$	32,938
Operation Day costs (Highway Dept. costs for setup)		400
Safety Kleen	\$	500
Tires	\$	4,000
E-waste (combine w/ free collection)	\$	-
Chemical Waste Disposal - VEOLIA	\$	28,038

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	PERMIT FEES		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43545-000-000		
	Animal Waste Permits Contruction Site / Stormwater Management <b>Total:</b>	\$ \$ <b>\$</b>	400 600 <b>1,000</b>
ACCOUNT NAME:	MDV FUNDING	Ŧ	.,
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43584-397-290		
	Multi-Discharger Variance - WWTP's used for cost sharing conservation practices <b>Total:</b> Funded from WWTP Variance Payments	\$ \$	5,000 <b>5,000</b>
ACCOUNT NAME:	NO-TILL DRILL/SOIL HEALTH REVENUE		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43584-000-000		
	No-Till Drill/Soil Health Program No-Till Drill Landowner Rental No-Till Drill Delivery Back 40 Soil Health Challenge ( <i>grant</i> ) Anticipated carryover	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	3,000 1,000 - (3,800)
	Total:	\$	200

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	WILDLIFE DAMAGE PROGRAM		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43584-397-290		
	Funded by USDA APHIS through sale of licenses. (Revenue match / No tax levy. This is an estimate.)	\$	30,000
ACCOUNT NAME:	CONSERVATION PUBLIC ACTIVITIES		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43587-000-000		
	Arbor Day Breakfast <i>(Match to expense)</i> Arbor Day Sponsorships ( <i>prizes &amp; hall rental</i> ) NMFE Grant <i>(Match to expense)</i> Native Plant Sale (match <i>Cons. Camp scholarships, Classroc</i>	\$ \$ om lessons) \$	2,000 1,000 10,150 2,500
	Total:	\$	15,650
ACCOUNT NAME:	LAND-WATER PLAN COST SHARE		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43590-000-000		
	LWRM Cost Share (Bond Funds) NMP Cost Share (SEG Funds) (Revenue match / No tax levy.)	\$ \$	45,700 30,000
	Total:	\$	75,700

- Land-Water Plan Cost Share is for installation of conservation practices for participating landowners.

Funding is from DATCP Soil and Water Management (SWRM) grants to county.
Grants are used to cost share conservation practices installed by producers with assistance from county.
Grant funds must be spent in the year DATCP allocates them, although DATCP may extend cost-share funds and additional year for specific projects.

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	LAKE & RIVER FUND		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43604-000-000		
	GLRI Grant (Roy and Wuerches Creeks) 2023 - 20 Lake and River <i>(From Applied Funds)</i> Twin Lake AIS Planning Grant Big Green Lake CAPTure Project Grant	026 \$ \$ \$ \$	500 10,000
	Total:	\$	200,229
ACCOUNT NAME:	APPLIED FUNDS - CONSERVATION FUN	۱D	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-49320-000-000		
	Exising Landowner 25-yr Agreements (Applied Fund	ds) \$	10,758
	<b>Total:</b> (From 2024 carryover account 24-101-14-56110-999-000)	\$	10,758
ACCOUNT NAME:	APPLIED FUNDS - NO-TILL DRILL/SOIL	HEALTH	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-49320-005-000		
	Future Soil Health Program	\$	-
	Total:	\$	-

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation	2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	CLEAN SWEEP GRANT	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43545-000-000	
	DATCP Grant DNR E-Cycle Grant - Permanent Site	\$ 18,938
ACCOUNT NAME:	CLEAN SWEEP PUBLIC CHARGES	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-46435-000-000	
	Tires and Car Batteries	\$ 4,000
ACCOUNT NAME:	CLEAN SWEEP DONATIONS	
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-48500-000-000	
	Waste Management Agreement	\$ 10,000

Notes: Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection (DATCP)

DEPARTMENT:	Land Conservation		2025
ACCOUNT NAME:	SECURITY DEPOSIT		
ACCOUNT #:	25-100-14-43596-000-000		
	Security Deposit for stormwater sites		\$ -
ACCOUNT NAME:	LAND CONSERVATION REVE	NUE	

ACCOUNT #: 25-100-14-43584-000-000

DATCP staff funding	\$ 179,457
Drainage board assistance	\$ 3,500
Coir log sales	\$ 1,000
Tree Planter Rental	\$ 60

Total: \$ 184,017