RESOLUTION #95-2014

Resolution offered by Supervisors of the Conservation and UW-EX Education Committee.

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

WHEREAS, Oneida County has over 1300 lakes, rivers, and streams, and contains one of the highest concentrations of natural lakes in the world, and

WHEREAS, the quality of these waters is being threatened by aquatic invasive species; and

WHEREAS, Oneida County recognizes the importance of the quality of our waters to its citizens and local economies, and

WHEREAS, education is one of the keys to increasing public awareness as to the adverse impacts of aquatic invasive species on the quality of our waters and our local economies; and

WHEREAS, Oneida County recognizes the need for a workable plan that will prevent the introduction of aquatic invasive species into new waters, and control, reduce, or eliminate aquatic invasive species already present in some bodies of water; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Land & Water Conservation Department (LWCD) will continue to increase public awareness of the aquatic invasive species problem by implementing planning and prevention activities to control and prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species at an estimated cost of \$62,053.00, which includes Oneida County's 25% match and

WHEREAS, 75% percent of the cost of such planning and prevention activities may be paid by a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR), and

WHEREAS, the LWCD must apply for a grant through the "Aquatic Invasive Species" grant program through the WDNR to receive funding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the LWCD is authorized to apply for 75% funding assistance for such programming under the "Aquatic Invasive Species" Grant Program from the WDNR.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Oneida County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Chairman of the Conservation and UW-EX Education Committee, to submit an application for a one-year grant to the WDNR not to exceed \$50,000 in grant funds for an aquatic invasive species education, planning, and prevention program, to sign documents and take necessary action to undertake, direct, complete the approved aquatic invasive species control grant, and submit reimbursement claims along with necessary supporting documentation within six months of project completion date.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LWCD is authorized to meet the County's 25% share of the financial obligations of this aquatic invasive species grant, through the assignment of LWCD personnel to work on and complete the project, including timely publication of the results.

Vote Required: Majority = 2/3	Majority = ¾ Majority =
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the Corporation Counsel,	, Date:
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Ayes	
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	pervisors this 11th day of August, 2014.
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94 95	FISCAL IMPACT -AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES GRANT		
96 97	Proposed Budget		
98 99 100 101 102 103	Salaries (LTE's) Purchased Services (Printing, Postage, Registration, Rentals) Other Purchased Services (Travel/ Mileage Expenses) Supplies (General Office, Hardware, etc.) Other (Workshop & Instructional Kits)	\$28,400.00 \$ 4,210.00 \$ 7,154.00 \$ 1,665.00 \$ 1,400.00	
104 105 106 107 108 109	Total Project Cost Estimate State Portion of Grant (Up to 75%) Estimated Donated Volunteer Time AIS Coordinator's Time to Oversee Project (600 hours)	\$62,053.00 \$42,829.00 <u>840.00</u> \$18,384.00	
110 111 112 113 114	Oneida County's Estimated Grant Match (In Kind) Oneida County's Required 25% Grant Match Estimated Amount Over Grant Match Total Revenues	\$18,384.00 <u>\$14,276.00</u> \$ 4,108.00 \$42,829.00	
115 116 117 118 119 120	TOTAL PROJECT EXPENSE: \$62,053.00		