RESOLUTION #16-2009

Resolution offered by Supervisors of the Land & Water Conservation Committee.

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

WHEREAS, Oneida County has over 1100 lakes, and 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, education is one of the keys to making the public aware of the adverse impact of aquatic invasive species on the quality of our waters; and

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

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Land & Water Conservation Department (Department) will continue to increase public awareness of the aquatic invasive species problem by implementing planning and prevention activities to control the spread of aquatic invasive species at an estimated cost of \$266,666.00, 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).

WHEREAS, the Land & Water Conservation Department must apply for a grant through the "Aquatic Invasive Species" Grant Program through WDNR to receive funding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Department 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 Oneida County Land & Water Conservation Committee, to submit an application for a three-year grant to the WDNR for \$200,000.00 in grant funds for an aquatic invasive species education, planning, and prevention program, to sign documents and take the necessary action to undertake, direct, and complete the approved aquatic invasive species control grant.

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

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97	Proposed Budget			
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99	Salaries	\$99,587.00		
100	Purchased Services-Printing and Mailing	\$37,781.00		
101	Lodging, Travel and Facility Rental	\$40,567.00		
102	*Educational Materials (Workshop Kits, napkins, stickers)	\$22,065.00		
103	Total State's Expenses	\$200,000.00		
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105	Oneida County's Match (25%)			
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107	AIS Coordinator's Time to Implement and Oversee Project	\$59,466.00		
108	In-Kind Services	\$ 7,200.00		
109	Total Revenues	\$66,666.00	_	
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111	TOTAL PROJECT EXPENSE: \$266,666.	00		
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113	*Educational Materials Charges would include the dollar value for rental of a			
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115	**For further detail of Project Budget please refer to 2009 Grant			
116	Proposal/Application.			
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