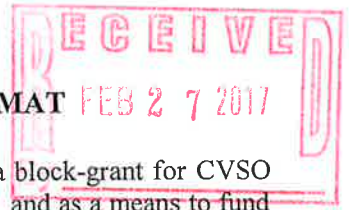


RESOLUTION NO. 18-2017  
RETURNING CVSO GRANT TO A BLOCK GRANT FORMAT



**WHEREAS**, the Wisconsin County Veterans Service Office has operated as a block-grant for CVSO salary supplement since legislative inception in 1973, to attract and retain CVSO talent, and as a means to fund improvements to CVSO veterans services in the county; and,

**WHEREAS**, the 2015 Wisconsin Biennial Budget restructured this long-standing CVSO Grant block payment structure to a reimbursement only payment structure, and has resulted in a very cumbersome program that no longer allows salary offset, and contains complicated rules of eligible reimbursable costs, which together now create fiscal constraints on Wisconsin counties that benefitted from the previous block grant payment structure.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that Sauk County joins other counties in the State of Wisconsin and The American Legion Department of Wisconsin to express their desire to the Wisconsin State Legislature to have the County Veterans Service Office Grant returned to the original 1973 intent to be used for supplementing the salary of County Veterans Service Officers in order to attract and retain talented personnel in those positions and used to fund improvement of services to veterans and their dependents; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Sauk County Board of Supervisors does hereby request of the State Legislature that the CVSO Grant be structured in a block-grant structure requiring only the signatures of the current CVSO and County Executive, County Administrative Coordinator or County Board Chairman as verification of compliance; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be sent to all of Sauk County's State Senators and Assembly Representatives, to the Wisconsin Counties Association, and to the President of the Wisconsin County Veterans Service Officer Association.

For consideration by the Sauk County Board of Supervisors on February 21, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,


**AGING & DISABILITY, RESOURCE CENTER COMMITTEE**

  
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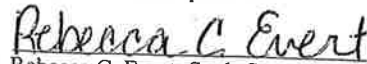
  
WALLY CZUPRYNKO

  
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WILLIAM HAMBRECHT

Fiscal Note: Under the previous block grant format, Sauk County has received \$11,500 annually.  
MIS Note: None.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
COUNTY OF SAUK  
I hereby certify that this resolution/ordinance is a true & correct copy as passed by the Sauk County Board of Supervisors.  
  
  
(Seal) Rebecca C. Evert, Sauk County Clerk



passed

VOTE: 018-2017  
DATE: 2017/02/21  
TIME: 19:41:42

MOTION: Returning CVSO Grant To A Block Grant Format

PROPOSED: Kriegl  
SECONDED: Miller

VOTE TOTALS:

YES : 28  
ABSENT : 3, Excused  
NO : 0  
TOTAL : 28

THE INDIVIDUAL RESULTS WERE AS FOLLOWS

MIC CARD DELEGATE INFORMATION VOTE

MIC CARD	DELEGATE INFORMATION	VOTE
1	1 Mr Wally Czuprynko	YES
2	2 Mr Thomas Kriegl	YES
3	3 Mr Tim Meister	Absent
4	4 Mr Nathan Johnson	YES
5	5 Ms Connie Lehman	YES
6	6 Mr John Dietz	YES
7	7 Mr Craig Braunschweig	YES
8	8 Mr John M. Deitrich	YES
9	9 Mr Tommy Lee Bychinski	YES
11	11 Mr Richard M. Flint	YES
12	12 Mr David J. Moore	YES
13	13 Ms Kristin K.. White Eagle	Absent
14	14 Ms Rebecca Hovde	YES
15	15 Mr Peter J. Vedro	YES
16	16 Mr John Miller	YES
18	18 Mr Scott Von Asten	YES
19	19 Mr Douglas Ament	Absent
20	20 Ms Judy Ashford	YES
21	21 Mr Chuck Spencer	YES
22	22 Ms Jean E. Berlin	YES
23	23 Mr Dennis Polivka	YES
24	24 Mr David A. Riek	YES
25	25 Mr Brian L. Peper	YES
26	26 Mr Eric Peterson	YES
27	27 Mr Andy Andrews	YES
28	28 Mr William Hambrecht	YES
29	29 Mr William F. Wenzel	YES
30	30 Ms Donna Stehling	YES
31	31 Mr Henry Netzinger	YES
32	17 Ms Joan Fordham	YES
CHO	10 Mr Marty Krueger	YES