

August 27, 2024

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-48

RESOLUTION BY THE FINANCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE AUTHORIZING RACINE COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS TO ENTER A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN RACINE COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS, THE VILLAGE OF UNION GROVE AND UNION GROVE HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A RECTANGULAR RAPID FLASH BEACON (RRFB) CROSSING

To the Honorable Members of the Racine County Board of Supervisors:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that the Memorandum of Understanding between Racine County Public Works, the Village of Union Grove, and Union Grove High School, as set forth in Exhibit "A" which is attached hereto, is authorized and approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that use of sufficient funds as set forth by Exhibit "B", that is attached hereto, within the Highway Safety Improvement account,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that Racine County Public Works Division, or its agent, is authorized to pay \$7,184.09 upon receipt of an invoice from the Village of Union Grove.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that this resolution does not authorize expenditure for future maintenance, repair or replacement costs.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that any two of the County Clerk, the County Executive and/or the County Board Chairman are authorized to execute any contracts, agreements or other documents necessary to carry out the intent of this resolution.

1st Reading _____ FINANCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2nd Reading _____

BOARD ACTION _____ Donald Trottier, Chairman

Adopted _____

For _____

Against _____ Robert N. Miller, Vice-Chairman

Absent _____

VOTE REQUIRED: 2/3 M.E. _____ Jody Spencer, Secretary

Prepared by: _____ Jason Eckman
Public Works and Development
Services Department

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11 John A. Wisch

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15 Brett Nielsen

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17 The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of
18 Racine County, Wisconsin, is hereby:

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20 Approved: _____

21 Vetoed: _____

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23 Date: _____,

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26 Thomas E. Roanhouse, Interim County Executive

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29 **INFORMATION ONLY**

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31 **WHEREAS**, Racine County finds it necessary to install a school crossing beacon
32 near Union Grove High School on State Trunk Highway 45 (Main Street) to address
33 pedestrian safety concerns; and

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35 **WHEREAS**, the total cost of installation of the crossing beacon is \$21,552.28 per a
36 quote to the Village of Union Grove; and

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38 **WHEREAS**, to ease the financial burden to one entity, Racine County will pay one-
39 third of the total cost or \$7,184.09 per Memorandum of Understanding.
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Exhibit "A"

**Department of Public Works
& Development Services**
Division of Engineering
14200 Washington Avenue
Sturtevant, WI 53177-1253
Phone (262) 886-8440



Thomas Roanhouse
Interim County Executive
Roley Behm
*Director of Public Works
& Development Services*
Patrice Brunette
Highway & Parks Superintendent

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN RACINE COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS, THE VILLAGE OF UNION GROVE AND UNION GROVE HIGH SCHOOL

I. Introduction

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding, (MOU) is to set forth the agreement and understandings which have been reached between Racine County Public Works, the Village of Union Grove, and Union Grove High School regarding the acquisition, placement, maintenance and cost share of a Rectangular Rapid Flash Beacon (RRFB) crossing sign on State Trunk Highway 45 (Main St.) and 7th Avenue in Union Grove near Union Grove High School.

II. Acquisition and Placement

It is the responsibility of the Village of Union Grove, Administrator Connor LaPointe, to contract with MP Systems for the acquisition, placement and subsequent maintenance of the RRFB crossing materials.

III. Maintenance

The Village of Union Grove will be responsible for all aspects of operation, maintenance, repair, and/or reinstallation of the RRFB after installation is completed.

IV. Cost share

The total initial cost of installation of the RRFB per quote by MP Systems dated July 16, 2024, to the Village of Union Grove is \$21,552.28. This total cost will be shared as follows: \$7,184.10 paid by the Village of Union Grove, \$7,184.09 to be paid by Union Grove High School and \$7,184.09 to be payable via invoice from Village of Union Grove by Racine County Public Works.

Any future maintenance, repair or replacement costs or any additional costs not outlined in the quote from MP Systems will be the sole responsibility of the Village of Union Grove.

