

**CITY OF SHEBOYGAN
RESOLUTION 165-24-25**

BY ALDERPERSONS RUST AND LA FAVE.

FEBRUARY 17, 2024.

A RESOLUTION authorizing acceptance of the 2025 Wisconsin Bureau of Transportation Safety, Bicycle and Pedestrian Enforcement Grant and establishing an appropriation in the 2025 budget for grant funds received.

WHEREAS, in 2023, there were 1,229 motor vehicle collisions with pedestrians in Wisconsin, causing 61 fatalities and injuring 1,190 pedestrians. This amounts to a rate of one pedestrian killed or injured in Wisconsin every 7 hours. Pedestrian street crossings are the most common cause of such crashes, especially when drivers are distracted or pedestrians move into traffic unexpectedly; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sheboygan Police Department submitted a grant application and has been approved to receive a grant in the total amount of \$25,000 from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Safety, to assist in developing the city's capacity to provide additional patrols engaging in high visibility enforcement of bicycle and pedestrian violations; and

WHEREAS, the funding received would be \$25,000 from State sources with a local match of 25% required; and

WHEREAS, the 25% match would be met within the current Police Department Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Common Council hereby authorizes the Chief of Police to sign all documents necessary to administer the grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Finance Director is authorized to make the following budget amendment to incorporate the revenue and expenses related to the grant:

INCREASE:

General Fund – State Grants – Police (Acct. No. 101-435230)	\$25,000
General Fund – Police Department – Overtime (Acct. No. 101210-510111)	\$21,815
General Fund – Police Department – FICA (Acct. No. 101210-520310)	\$ 1,353
General Fund – Police Department – Medicare (Acct. No. 101210-520311)	\$ 316
General Fund – Police Department – Wisconsin Retirement (Acct. No. 101210-520320)	\$ 1,516

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF SHEBOYGAN COMMON COUNCIL

Presiding Officer

Attest

Ryan Sorenson, Mayor, City of
Sheboygan

Meredith DeBruin, City Clerk, City of
Sheboygan