

6. **Such other Matters as Authorized by Law:**
None

**Motion made by Supervisor Fleck and seconded by Supervisor Clancy to
adjourn at 4:10 p.m. MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY**

Respectfully Submitted,

Recorded by Chair Adam Warpinski
Typed by Nancy Anderson

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RESOLUTION NO. 21-06

RECOMMENDING TO THE WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, TRADE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION TO CHANGE THE AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL AND HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE CLEAN SWEEP GRANT FUNDING TO A PER CAPITA FORMULA AND TO STREAMLINE THE CLEAN SWEEP GRANT APPLICATION PROCESS

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) administers a Clean Sweep Grant Program, which provides funding to assist local governments with conducting Agricultural Chemical and Household Hazardous Waste Clean Sweep events, and

WHEREAS, the Pepin County Board of Supervisors recognizes the importance of removing unwanted chemicals and hazardous wastes from the environment and is willing to conduct regular Clean Sweep events in the county, and

WHEREAS, Clean Sweep events are very expensive and the current budget constraints mandated by the State discourage local governments from implementing Clean Sweeps and other worthwhile projects without financial assistance from the state, and

WHEREAS, DATCP's current Clean Sweep Grant application process has become increasingly more competitive and complex each year for diminishing amounts of funding, and

WHEREAS, DATCP's grant application process is demanding more and more DATCP and local government staff time and ever-increasing volumes of paper, and

WHEREAS, the Pepin County Board acknowledges some amount of financial assistance would encourage it and other local governments to conduct regular Clean Sweep events,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Pepin County Board of Supervisors recommends that the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection change its Clean Sweep Grant Program to a per capita formula whereby all eligible local governments submitting completed applications would receive some amount of funding for their Clean Sweep events, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that DATCP dramatically streamline its grant application process to reduce DATCP staff time spent on evaluating and administering the Clean Sweep Program and to reduce local government staff time and limit the volume of paper required under DATCP's current competitive application process.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

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I, Marcia R. Bauer, Pepin County Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 21-06 is a true and correct copy of the resolution as adopted by the Pepin County Board of Supervisors on September 27, 2006.

YES 12 NO 0 ABSENT 0

Marcia R. Bauer
Marcia R. Bauer, Pepin County Clerk

