

**WHEREAS** the law enforcement duties have been removed from Airport Operations duties, and

**WHEREAS** the airport currently has two squad cars which are 11 years old and would require substantial modifications to convert to a civilian vehicle, and

**WHEREAS** the Police Department is interested in acquiring said squads which are valued at \$7,886.00, and

**WHEREAS** the Police Department has installed a gate on Fisherman's Road valued at \$9,969.00 for the airport, and

**WHEREAS** in exchange for said installation the Airport desires to transfer said squads to the Police Department, and

**WHEREAS** the Airport requires a new SUV for use as an Airport Operations vehicle.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that it hereby authorizes the transfer of two 2003 Ford SUV's to the Police Department in exchange for the installation of a gate on Fisherman's Road.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that funds of up to \$35,000 from airport funds are hereby appropriated and approved for expenditure for the purchase of a new or used Airport Operations vehicle and associated equipment.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Airport Manager, Finance Director, and Chief of Police are authorized to take all necessary steps to effectuate said resolution