Resolution appropriating additional funds for the investigation of Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) contamination at the Airport near Wells 23 & 24.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) issued a letter on May 10, 2019 regarding the investigation of Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) contamination at the Airport near Wells 23 & 24, in which it requires the City of La Crosse to investigate and propose a solution; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of La Crosse has approved Resolutions #20-0477 and #20-0493 in which 19,969.64 and 138,076.00 has been appropriated respectively from the Contingency Fund to purchase software for employee and community remote connection to the City network during the COVID-19 pandemic, and for other COVID-19 related expenses.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE FURTHER RESOLVED, the Common Council of the City of La Crosse hereby rescinds Resolutions #20-0477 and #20-0493 due to the original requests in these resolutions being reimbursable by Federal CARES Act funding.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a portion of the funds freed by the rescinded Resolutions above, \$75,000.00 (Contingency Fund) are re-appropriated to pay part of the change order required to continue this investigation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that \$75,000.00 also be appropriated from Airport Fund Balance (Fund 600) to pay the other portion of the change order.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that the City Attorney, Utilities Manager, Airport Manager, Director of Finance & Human Resources and Board of Public Works are hereby authorized to effectuate this resolution.

I, Teri Lehrke, certify that this resolution was duly and officially adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse on December 10, 2020.

Teri Lehrke, City Clerk
City of La Crosse, Wisconsin