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Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council
City of Racine – City Hall
730 Washington Avenue
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Dear Mayor and Council Members:

Subject: Communication sponsored by Alder Lemke on behalf of the Public Health Administrator requesting permission to accept the 2022 funding in the amount of \$6,700 from the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture Trade and Consumer Protection.

Recommendation of the Finance and Personnel Committee on 01-24-2022: That the department be authorized to enter into an agreement and accept funding from the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture Trade and Consumer Protection for the unwanted prescription drug collections in Racine County.

Fiscal Note: Grant is for \$6,700; there is a soft match of \$1,675 (25%) which will be achieved through various Police Departments processing 12 collection boxes throughout Racine County.

Facilitation includes:

- Empty the boxes
- Process the medication
- Prepare the medication for disposal
- Transport medication to the Department of Justice disposal events
- Preparation/collection of Epi Pens and disposed at the HHW site

Contract period: 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2022

Grant control #00425

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Melissa A. Lemke". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Alder Melissa Lemke