## **Department of Public Health**

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January 20, 2023

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council City of Racine – City Hall 730 Washington Avenue Racine, WI 53403

Dear Mayor and Council Members:

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Horton on behalf of the Public Health Administrator requesting permission to accept the 2023 funding in the amount of \$7,250 from the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture Trade and Consumer Protection.

**Recommendation of the Finance and Personnel Committee on 01-30-2023:** 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 \$7,250; there is a soft match of \$1,812.50 (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: 1/1/2023 - 12/31/2023

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Grant control #00486

Respectfully submitted,

Alder Maurice Horton