

Resolution No. 5-822

PSAP GRANT FUNDING FOR ONE PUBLIC SAFETY  
ANSWERING POINT PER COUNTY

WHEREAS, every municipal and state agency that provides fire suppression, law enforcement, and EMS, may establish a 911 system. Most counties operate their own Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) to meet the needs of their citizens; and

WHEREAS, the 2017-19 Wisconsin state budget required DMA to create an emergency services IP network to be provided to all PSAPs. This digital network is essential in transitioning the state's 911 system from the old and outdated analog system to a current and advanced NextGeneration 911 system; and

WHEREAS, 2019 Wisconsin Act 26 created a much needed PSAP grant program aimed to provide grant dollars for advanced training of telecommunicators; equipment or software expenses; and incentives to consolidate some or all of the functions of two or more PSAPs; and

WHEREAS, 2019 Wisconsin Act 26 requires that only one PSAP per county receive the grant funds; and


WHEREAS, DMA Chapter 2 requires the county board of supervisors determine the one PSAP per county via resolution except for Milwaukee County where the Intergovernmental Cooperation Council will make the determination.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that IOWA County does hereby designate the Iowa County Sheriff's Office as the Public Safety Answering Point for the purposes of 2019 Wisconsin Act 26 grant dollars or federal grant opportunities.

Adopted this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2022.

  
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John M. Meyers  
Iowa County Chair

ATTEST:

  
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Kristy K. Spurley  
Iowa County Clerk

