

Approved Projects Spotlight – Funded Models

Below is a summary of some major projects that have already received approved funding under the Innovation Grant program.

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Innovation Grants



Submitter	Service Category	Summary of Service/Duty Transfer	Annual Grant Payment	Five-Year Max Potential Payment
City of West Allis	Fire protection	The cities of West Allis and Wauwatosa transferred municipal fire protection and emergency services to the Milwaukee Metro Fire Rescue Corporation.	\$9,157,263	\$45,786,315
City of South Milwaukee	Public works	John's Disposal Service, Inc. will furnish all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to collect garbage, refuse, and municipal solid waste in the city of South Milwaukee for 1–4 family residential units and city-owned properties.	\$316,055	\$1,580,275
Village of New Glarus	Emergency services	Participating municipalities transferred emergency medical services to the Sugar River EMS District. Transferred activities include the administration of emergency medical services.	\$241,209	\$1,206,045
Village of Whitefish Bay	Information technology	With the transfer, the village of Bayside will provide comprehensive information technology support and consulting services to the village of Whitefish Bay. The services transferred include Core IT operations and support, consulting/vendor management, cybersecurity/compliance, communication/reporting, documentation/knowledge management, asset management, strategic IT planning/budgeting, daily operations, and data management/hosting/security.	\$44,769	\$223,845
County of Vernon	Public health	The county of Vernon transferred management and administrative services to the Bethany St. Joseph Corporation. The services are specific to activities at Vernon Manor, a skilled nursing facility, and Vernon Acres Senior Living, a residential care apartment complex.	\$98,121	\$490,605
City of Algoma	Administration	City of Kewaunee transferred city Administrator and Deputy Clerk/Treasurer services to the city of Algoma.	\$65,827	\$329,135
Town of Winter	Fire protection	Multiple municipalities transferred all fire protection services to the Winter Fire Department. This includes firefighting, fire inspection, investigation of fire losses, fire prevention education, firefighter training, and other 911 responses.	\$51,140	\$255,700

Annual Grant Payment by Service Category

