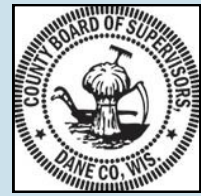


# Dane County Board

## Monthly Updates



January/February 2019

### State Leader on Front End Justice Research

Dane County has embraced two critical research efforts at the front end of the criminal justice system, focusing on arrest data, as well as pretrial (bail) assessment and services. The goal is to reduce bookings into jail at a time when the county is committed to a reduction in jail beds in the future remodeled facility.

Community engagement will be key to this process, with local law enforcement and criminal justice stakeholder input, as well as local advocacy group and service provider consultation.

[More Details](#)

### County to Review Options to Address Flooding

Responding to unprecedented flooding last summer along the Yahara Chain of Lakes, the [Yahara Chain of Lakes Lake Level Task Force](#) has begun studying this issue. The Task Force will review the technical workgroup-developed scenarios for adaptation and mitigation, hold a public hearing, and develop short and long-term recommendations.

[More Details](#)

### County Board Recognizes Black History Month

The Dane County Board of Supervisors recognized Black History Month with a resolution celebrating the achievements of notable people of African descent or African Americans from Dane County and Wisconsin.

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The Dane County Board voted to fund enhanced bicycle and recreational trail connections, including improvements to a heavily-used commuter route along University Avenue in the Village of Shorewood Hills.

### Newsletter Spotlight



Three members of the Dane County Board, Supervisors Mary Kolar, Jenni Dye, and Jeff Pertl stepped down after accepting jobs in the administration of newly-elected Wisconsin Governor Tony Evers.