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Quantum Magnetism with Polar Molecules: Tunable Generalized t - J Model ALEXEY GORSHKOV, California Institute of Technology, SALVATORE MANMANA, University of Colorado, Boulder, KEVIN KUNS, California Institute of Technology, KADEN HAZZARD, GANG CHEN, JUN YE, University of Colorado, Boulder, EUGENE DEMLER, MIKHAIL LUKIN, Harvard University, ANA MARIA REY, University of Colorado, Boulder — We show that dipolar interactions between ultracold polar molecules in optical lattices can be used to realize a highly tunable generalization of the t - J model, which we refer to as the t - J - V - W model. The “spin” is encoded in the rotational degree of freedom of the molecules, while the interactions are controlled by applied static electric and continuous-wave microwave fields. We show that the tunability and the long-range nature of the interactions in the t - J - V - W model enable enhanced superfluidity in one dimension and controllable preparation of robust d-wave superfluids in two dimensions. The latter may provide fundamental insights into high-temperature superconductivity. [References: Phys. Rev. Lett. 107, 115301 (2011); Phys. Rev. A 84, 033619 (2011); arXiv:1110.5330]

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