

**COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE  
INTER-OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

**DATE:** April 25, 2018

**TO:** Theodore Lipscomb, Sr., Chairperson, County Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Chief Judge Maxine Aldridge White

**SUBJECT:** **Request for authorization for the Chief Judge to issue a contract with the Wisconsin Public Policy Forum for the Milwaukee County Community Justice Council Director position through December 2018 – Action Item**

BACKGROUND

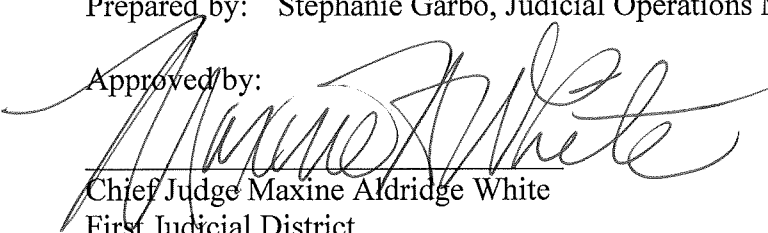
The Milwaukee County Community Justice Council Director position has historically been paid for through Byrne JAG funds. Due to pending litigation the Byrne JAG funds have not been released for this year. Milwaukee will use MacArthur Safety and Justice Challenge grant dollars to cover the cost of the Community Justice Council Director position for a period of nine months (April 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018). The use of the grant dollars has been approved by the MacArthur Foundation as the Milwaukee Community Justice Council supports the mission of the grant. The Community Justice Council Director position is vital to the operation and organization of the criminal justice leaders and community. The contract shall not exceed \$74,911.50.

RECOMMENDATION

The Chief Judge recommends that the contract for the Milwaukee County Community Justice Council Director position be authorized.

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Approved by:

  
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Chief Judge Maxine Aldridge White  
First Judicial District

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