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(ITEM ) From the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, requesting authorization to retroactively increase the 2014 Purchase of Service Contracts with Project Access, Inc., and Wisconsin Community Services for the Community Support Programs in the Community Access to Recovery Services Section, Behavioral Health Division, by recommending adoption of the following:

**A RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) is requesting authorization to amend two 2014 Purchase of Service Contracts with existing Community Support Program (CSP) providers for the new Community Access to Recovery Services Division (CARSD) within DHHS; and

WHEREAS, CSP serves individuals with a severe and persistent mental illness or co-occurring substance use disorder; and

WHEREAS, last December, the County Board approved 2014 contracts (File No. 13-906) with Project Access, Inc., and Wisconsin Community Services to provide CSP services; and

WHEREAS, each of these contracts is short by \$44,178, which reflects a full year of cost for client expansion services and a full caseload of ten clients; and

WHEREAS, approval of the amendments ensures continuity of care and prevents further de-compensation in the individuals being referred; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Health and Human Needs, at its meeting on March 12, 2014, recommended adoption of the Department’s request (vote 6-0); and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, Personnel, and Audit, at its meeting on March 13, 2014, also recommended adoption of the Department’s request (vote 8-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Director of the Department of Health and Human Services, or his/her designee, is authorized to enter into 2014 retroactive amendments to existing Purchase of Service Contracts with the following provider agencies for the time period of January 1 through December 31, 2014, in the amounts specified below:

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<b>Agency</b>	<b>Service Area</b>	<b>Increase</b>	<b>Existing Contract (all service areas)</b>	<b>Amended Contract</b>
Project Access, Inc.	Community Support Program	\$44,178	\$627,061	\$671,239
Wisconsin Community Services	Community Support Program	\$44,178	\$701,590	\$745,768
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$88,356</b>	<b>\$1,328,651</b>	<b>\$1,417,007</b>

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