From the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, requesting the creation of 1.0 FTE Community Intervention Specialist in Children, Youth and Family Services Division, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) received a grant entitled "United States Department of Justice, Office of Justine Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Program Grant (O-BJA-2021-94001)" (the BJA Grant) after the 2022 Budget was adopted; and

WHEREAS, the BJA grant is a collaboration between the Medical College of Wisconsin, DHHS, Milwaukee Police Department, City of Milwaukee Health Department, and the Milwaukee Community Justice Council; and

WHEREAS, the Full-Time Equivalent, Community Intervention Specialist position will be located within the Children, Youth, and Family Services Division, DHHS, but will be shared with the Housing Services Division, DHHS; and

WHEREAS, the Community Intervention Specialist will be responsible for supporting and leading community engagement and outreach activity efforts across DHHS, as well as supporting youth and families in navigating the complex youth justice and housing service areas; and

WHEREAS, the Community Intervention Specialist will be the primary contact for both service areas to work collaboratively with partners in local violence reduction efforts, provide housing and youth justice system involvement navigation and connection to services, and collaborate with community members, partners, and stakeholders across Milwaukee County (the County); and

WHEREAS, the request to create this new position within DHHS aligns with the County's strategic plan to ensure that we can continue in determining what, where, and how we deliver services to advance health equity; and

WHEREAS, there will be no tax levy impact for this position; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of May 19, 2022, recommended adoption of File No. 22-494 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes and approves the creation of one, Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Community Intervention Specialist position to be filled beginning in Pay Period 12:

Action	Title	Number of Positions	Current Pay Grade
Create	Community Intervention Specialist	1.0 FTE	24 (\$54,127-\$63,057 annually)

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