

## MILWAUKEE COUNTY FISCAL NOTE FORM

**DATE:** January 25, 2012

Original Fiscal Note

Substitute Fiscal Note

**SUBJECT:** A resolution by the Committee on Judiciary, Safety and General Services to authorize and ratify litigation against the Milwaukee County Sheriff to comply with the provisions of the 2012 Adopted County Budget and the 2009-2012 collective bargaining agreement with the Deputy Sheriffs' Association as mandated by state statutes.

**FISCAL EFFECT:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> No Direct County Fiscal Impact<br><input type="checkbox"/> Existing Staff Time Required<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Operating Expenditures<br>(If checked, check one of two boxes below)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Absorbed Within Agency's Budget<br><input type="checkbox"/> Not Absorbed Within Agency's Budget<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Operating Expenditures<br><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Operating Revenues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Operating Revenues | <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Capital Expenditures<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Capital Expenditures<br><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Capital Revenues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Capital Revenues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Use of contingent funds |
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*Indicate below the dollar change from budget for any submission that is projected to result in increased/decreased expenditures or revenues in the current year.*

|                                   | Expenditure or Revenue Category | Current Year | Subsequent Year |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <b>Operating Budget</b>           | Expenditure                     | 50,000       | 0               |
|                                   | Revenue                         | 0            | 0               |
|                                   | Net Cost                        | 50,000       | 0               |
| <b>Capital Improvement Budget</b> | Expenditure                     |              |                 |
|                                   | Revenue                         |              |                 |
|                                   | Net Cost                        |              |                 |

## DESCRIPTION OF FISCAL EFFECT

In the space below, you must provide the following information. Attach additional pages if necessary.

- A. Briefly describe the nature of the action that is being requested or proposed, and the new or changed conditions that would occur if the request or proposal were adopted.
- B. State the direct costs, savings or anticipated revenues associated with the requested or proposed action in the current budget year and how those were calculated. <sup>1</sup> If annualized or subsequent year fiscal impacts are substantially different from current year impacts, then those shall be stated as well. In addition, cite any one-time costs associated with the action, the source of any new or additional revenues (e.g. State, Federal, user fee or private donation), the use of contingent funds, and/or the use of budgeted appropriations due to surpluses or change in purpose required to fund the requested action.
- C. Discuss the budgetary impacts associated with the proposed action in the current year. A statement that sufficient funds are budgeted should be justified with information regarding the amount of budgeted appropriations in the relevant account and whether that amount is sufficient to offset the cost of the requested action. If relevant, discussion of budgetary impacts in subsequent years also shall be discussed. Subsequent year fiscal impacts shall be noted for the entire period in which the requested or proposed action would be implemented when it is reasonable to do so (i.e. a five-year lease agreement shall specify the costs/savings for each of the five years in question). Otherwise, impacts associated with the existing and subsequent budget years should be cited.
- D. Describe any assumptions or interpretations that were utilized to provide the information on this form.

Adoption of this resolution authorizes the Office of Corporation Counsel to execute a contract with the law firm of Michael Best and Friedrich under the provisions of Chapter 56.30 in an amount not to exceed \$50,000 for the purposes of representing Milwaukee County in litigation against the Milwaukee County Sheriff. Appropriations in excess of \$50,000 will require additional approval by the County Board.

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Authorized Signature

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Did DAS-Fiscal Staff Review?        Yes        No

<sup>1</sup> If it is assumed that there is no fiscal impact associated with the requested action, then an explanatory statement that justifies that conclusion shall be provided. If precise impacts cannot be calculated, then an estimate or range should be provided.