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(ITEM) From the Director, Department of Family Care, requesting authorization to accept a Money Follows the Person Capacity Building Funding grant in the amount of \$25,000 from the Wisconsin Department of Health Services to better serve people with complex behaviors or other complex needs, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, since 2007, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (WDHS) has participated in the Money Follows the Person (MFP) Rebalancing Demonstration funded by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to support the transition of individuals from institutional settings and to rebalance the long-term care system; and

WHEREAS, DHS made grants available to Managed Care Organizations to increase services and program capacity in order to transition people with complex needs from institutions to community integrated settings and to divert persons in crisis who are living in the community from being institutionalized or re-institutionalized, thereby increasing success of members in a community setting; and

WHEREAS, WDHS has awarded the Milwaukee County Department of Family Care (MCDFC) a MFP Capacity Building grant; and

WHEREAS, MCDFC will utilize the funding to increase the capacity of its interdisciplinary teams to provide services to members with complex behaviors through enhanced training and the development of an enhanced training module; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, Personnel, and Audit, at its meeting of June 18, 2015, recommended adoption of the Director's request (vote 9-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Milwaukee County Department of Family Care to accept a Wisconsin Department of Health Services Money Follows the Person Capacity Building Funding grant in the amount of \$25,000.