

**MILWAUKEE COUNTY FISCAL NOTE FORM**

**DATE:** June 22, 2018

Original Fiscal Note       X

Substitute Fiscal Note     

**SUBJECT:** Corporation Counsel request to initiate litigation.

**FISCAL EFFECT:**

No Direct County Fiscal Impact     

Existing Staff Time Required

Increase Operating Expenditures  
(If checked, check one of two boxes below)

Absorbed Within Agency's Budget

Not Absorbed Within Agency's Budget

Decrease Operating Expenditures

Increase Operating Revenues

Decrease Operating Revenues

Increase Capital Expenditures

Decrease Capital Expenditures

Increase Capital Revenues

Decrease Capital Revenues

Use of contingent funds

*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.*

	<b>Expenditure or Revenue Category</b>	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Subsequent Year</b>
<b>Operating Budget</b>	Expenditure	0	0
	Revenue		
	Net Cost	0	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.
  - A. The Office of Corporation Counsel requests authority under MCGO § 1.11(c)(4)2((b) to initiate a lawsuit involving the \$908,673.07 balance owed under Milwaukee County's policy with the State of Wisconsin Local Government Property Insurance Fund.
  - B. The Office of Corporation Counsel requests the application of Litigation Reserve Funds (org. 1961) to cover the costs of litigation. There is \$238,624 available in that fund as of 6/20/18.

Department/Prepared By Corporation Counsel

Authorized Signature



Did DAS-Fiscal Staff Review?  Yes  No

Did CBDP Review?<sup>2</sup>  Yes  No  Not Required

<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.

<sup>2</sup> Community Business Development Partners' review is required on all professional service and public work construction contracts.