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(ITEM) From the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, requesting authorization to grant waivers to various special event organizers for events that impede access to Lincoln Memorial Drive on various dates in 2016 pursuant to Section 47.031(5) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 47.031(5) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances (the Code) requires any event sponsor who wishes to conduct an event that impedes access to Lincoln Memorial Drive (LMD) to petition the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors (County Board) through the Committee on Parks, Energy, and Environment for a waiver if their event does not conform to one or more conditions or restrictions listed in Section 47.031 (1) through (4) of the Code; and

WHEREAS, eight event organizers have applied to the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture (DPRC) for special event permits that would impede access to LMD on various dates in 2016; and

WHEREAS, three events have been held annually for over 30 years, which include the Ride for the Arts, Roots & Wings Run, and the Briggs & Al's Run & Walk, bringing awareness to and providing a mechanism for fundraising for specific charitable organizations or causes through their events, while other newer events, such as the USA Triathlon have brought thousands of participants and visitors to Milwaukee increasing exposure for the city, while generating contributions to our local economy; and

WHEREAS, event organizers are required to pay all fees required by DPRC for closing LMD and permitting to host its event on park property; and

WHEREAS, event organizers must also apply for and receive permits from the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, discussions with lakefront stakeholders will occur and every effort will be made to minimize business interruption along the routes; and

WHEREAS, access to lakefront venues will be coordinated with the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Parks, Energy, and Environment, at its meeting of January 26, 2016, recommended adoption of the Director's request (vote 5-0); now, therefore,

46 BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby
47 authorizes the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, to grant waivers,
48 in the form of special event permits, for the following events that impede access to
49 portions of Lincoln Memorial Drive in 2016:

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- 51 • Ride for the Arts on June 5, 2016, from 6:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
- 52 • Summerfest Rock ‘n Sole on June 11, 2016, from 6:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
- 53 • Roots & Wings Run on July 24, 2016, from 6:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
- 54 • Briggs & Al’s Run & Walk on September 17, 2016, from 9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
- 55 • Komen Race for the Cure on September 25, 2016, from 7:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
- 56 • Milwaukee Marathon on November 6, 2016, from 6:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
- 57 • Santa Hustle on December 3, 2016, from 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

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