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From the Milwaukee County Director of Intergovernmental Affairs, Department of Intergovernmental Affairs, requesting authorization to pay Broydrick and Associates an amount of not more than \$16,500 for professional services under a Professional Service Agreement for federal government affairs services and requesting a waiver of Sections 56.30 (8) and (9) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 56.30(9), Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances (the Code) requires that a written contract be signed and executed before an outside party performs professional services in an amount greater than \$2,000, while Section 56.30(8) of the Code states that the Office of the Comptroller shall deny payment for professional services if the conditions of Chapter 56 have not been met; and

WHEREAS, Broydrick and Associates began providing services on time-sensitive issues of Federal government affairs, including representing Milwaukee County’s (the County) interests in such Federal legislation as the American Rescue Plan Act, budget requests in the upcoming Federal operating budget, and various other administrative and legislative actions by the Federal government relevant to the County; and

WHEREAS, these services were critical and time-sensitive, in order to ensure the County’s legislative requests were considered in a timely fashion by legislators and decision-makers in the Federal government; and

WHEREAS, due to the time-sensitive nature of services provided by Broydrick and Associates, services were begun prior to execution of the contract; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of May 19, 2022, recommended adoption of File No. 22-619 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby waives Sections 56.30 (8) and (9) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, and authorizes the Office of the Comptroller to pay Broydrick and Associates not more than \$16,500 for professional services under a Professional Service Agreement for Federal government affairs services.