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From the Director, Architecture, Engineering, and Environmental Services Section, Facilities Management Division, Department of Administrative Services, requesting that the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors approve Milwaukee County’s 2022-2031 Land and Water Resource Management Plan, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Chapter 92, Wisconsin State Statutes, requires counties to develop Land and Water Resource Management Plans (the Plans), and update these Plans every 10 years, with an interim review after five years; and

WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors (County Board) and the State of Wisconsin (the State) Land and Water Conservation Board must approve the Plans; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Plans is to conserve soil productivity, protect the quality of related natural resources, enhance water quality, reduce soil erosion, and identify local environmental issues; and

WHEREAS, the Plans outlines Milwaukee County’s (the County) planned efforts, pursuant to State conservation rules, water quality rules, and local conservation issues identified in the Plans; and

WHEREAS, a State-approved Plan is required to remain eligible for staffing grants to counties, which the County receives annually; and

WHEREAS, the County Board has previously approved the County’s Plans in 2001, 2006, 2011, and 2016; and

WHEREAS, the County has completed an update for the Plan for the period 2021 through 2032; and

WHEREAS, the Director, Architecture, Engineering, and Environmental Services Section, Facilities Management Division, Department of Administrative Services, is requesting that the County Board approve the County’s 2022-2031 Plans; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Parks, Energy, and Environment, at its meeting of October 26, 2021, recommended adoption of File No. 21-942 (vote 5-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the Milwaukee County 2022-2031 Land and Water Resource Management Plan.

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