File No. 19-503

From the Chief Judge, First Judicial District, Combined Court Related Operations, requesting authorization to execute a contract with The Alma Center in the amount of \$106,966 for case management and treatment services in the Domestic Violence Diversion and Deferred Prosecution program for a 12-month term, utilizing funds received under the Safety and Justice Challenge Phase III Implementation and Community Engagement grant, through the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, on December 20, 2018, Milwaukee County (the County) received from the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation (MacArthur Foundation) a funding award notice for the Safety and Justice Challenge Phase III Implementation and Community Engagement grant in the amount of \$2,300,000; and

WHEREAS, the award period is from January 1, 2019, to December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on October 3, 2018, the County submitted the Phase III Implementation and Community Engagement grant application, which included funding for case management and culturally-responsive services for the Domestic Violence Diversion and Deferred Prosecution program developed in Phase II; and

WHEREAS, on February 7, 2019, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors adopted File No. 19-73, which authorized the Chief Judge to accept the Safety and Justice Challenge Phase III Implementation and Community Engagement grant from MacArthur Foundation (#151955) for the Safety and Justice Challenge; and

WHEREAS, the Alma Center is recognized for providing healing focused care, intervention, and prevention of family violence with a restorative approach to the criminal justice population; and

WHEREAS, the Alma Center will provide case management and treatment to individuals in the Domestic Violence Diversion and Deferred Prosecution program; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance and Audit, at its meeting of June 13, 2019, recommended adoption of File No. 19-503 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Chief Judge, First Judicial District, Combined Court Related Operations, to issue a 12-month contract, with the option to extend, pending funds under the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation award (#151955) for the Safety and Justice Challenge Phase III Implementation and Community Engagement grant, with the Alma Center.

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