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4 **A RESOLUTION**

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6 Authorizing an appropriation transfer of \$309,228 from Agency 194-1945 –
7 Appropriation for Contingencies to complete Capital Project WP077601-Kletzsch Park
8 Overlook and Portage
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11 WHEREAS, Milwaukee County Parks Department is responsible for more than
12 150 parks throughout the County, including Kletzsch Park, located in Glendale featuring
13 a portion of the Milwaukee River Parkway, the Oak Leaf Trail, and an iconic dam on the
14 Milwaukee River; and
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16 WHEREAS, the Kletzsch Park Dam, a Wisconsin Department of Natural
17 Resources (DNR) regulated structure, was previously issued two citations in 2010 and
18 2016 requiring Milwaukee County to implement repairs necessary to restore the dam;
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21 WHEREAS, Milwaukee County executed an Intergovernmental Cooperation
22 Agreement (ICA) with the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD) for
23 restoration of the Kletzsch Park Dam and installation of a fish passage in 2021 through
24 the passage of File No. 21-283; and
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26 WHEREAS, while grant funding and cooperation with MMSD were able to
27 complete the fish passage and dam repairs, the dam overlook and access improvement
28 portions of the project remain incomplete; and
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30 WHEREAS, completion of this project will improve portage around the dam and
31 appropriately divert paddlers from the east bank fish passage, improve river access for
32 persons with disabilities and formalize the overlook at the dam; and
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34 WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of December 14, 2023,
35 recommended adoption of File No. 23-1037 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,
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37 BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby
38 authorizes and directs the Office of the Comptroller and the Department of
39 Administrative Services to process an administrative transfer of \$309,228 from Agency
40 194-1945 Appropriation for Contingencies to Capital Project WP077601 to complete the
41 Kletzsch Park Dam overlook.
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