

Professional Service Agreement with the Benedict Center, Inc., by recommending adoption of the following:

### **A RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the current Professional Services Agreement (the Agreement) between Milwaukee County (the County) and The Benedict Center, Inc. (Benedict Center), for the provisioning of reentry support services at the Community Reintegration Center (CRC), is set to expire on December 31, 2025, or upon the execution of a new Agreement, whichever comes first; and

WHEREAS, on November 25, 2024, the County issued Request for Proposals (RFP) #2024-011 to solicit qualified providers of essential reentry services for women transitioning from the CRC back into the community; and

WHEREAS, following a comprehensive and competitive evaluation process, the proposal submitted by the Benedict Center was determined to fully satisfy all requirements and evaluation criteria set forth in the RFP; and

WHEREAS, on April 28, 2025, the evaluation panel formally recommended awarding the new service contract to the Benedict Center, based on its demonstrated experience, program quality, and alignment with County priorities; and

WHEREAS, the Benedict Center has agreed to the terms of the new Agreement for the period effective August 1, 2025, through July 31, 2028, with the option to renew the Agreement for up to two additional one-year periods, subject to mutual agreement and available funding; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Judiciary, Law Enforcement, and General Services, at its meeting of July 15, 2025, considered File No. 25-354 for information only per Section 59.52(31)(d), Wisconsin State Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of July 17, 2025, recommended adoption of File No. 25-354 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Superintendent, Community Reintegration Center, to enter into a Professional Services Agreement (the Agreement) with The Benedict Center, Inc., effective August 1, 2025, through July 31, 2028, with the option to extend for up to two one-year renewal periods; and

44 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the aforementioned Agreement will only be  
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46 Administrative Services (DAS), the Office of Corporation Counsel, and  
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