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(ITEM ) From the Director of Risk Management, Department of Administrative Services, requesting authorization to execute a contract with Wisconsin County Mutual Insurance Corporation in an annual amount of \$294,600 for Third Party Administration of Milwaukee County’s Workers’ Compensation Program, by recommending adoption of the following:

**A RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the 2014 Adopted Budget included \$250,000 to hire a Third Party Administrator (TPA) to administer Milwaukee County’s Workers’ Compensation Program; and

WHEREAS, Risk Management solicited Requests for Proposals (RFP) for claims administration purposes resulting in nine proposals; and

WHEREAS, the proposals were reviewed by the RFP panel and five finalist interviews were conducted; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin County Mutual Insurance Corporation (WCMIC) scored the highest overall point total; and

WHEREAS, WCMIC has a seventeen-year existing relationship with Milwaukee County and has included loss control, training, a nurse case management care line, and other value-added services into the contract proposal that will reduce overall liabilities, claims, and financial expenditures and increase customer satisfaction, transparency, and data capabilities for the County; and

WHEREAS, the annual contract costs for WCMIC include a \$203,045 flat rate for all new claims going forward and \$91,955 for legacy claim file handling fees resulting in additional administration expenses; and

WHEREAS, a Return on Investment (ROI) calculation was performed that factored in hard costs, medical management leakage control, and claims frequency reductions and shows a 640% ROI for Milwaukee County with projected net savings of more than \$5.5 million over a three-year period; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors does hereby authorize execution of a contract with Wisconsin County Mutual Insurance Corporation for the Third Party Administration of Milwaukee County’s Workers’ Compensation Program.