

1 From the Committee on, Reporting on:

2 File No. 16-656
3 (Journal,)

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5 (ITEM NO.) From the Milwaukee County Zoo, requesting authorization to Create 1.0
6 temporary FTE, effective December 9, 2016.

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A RESOLUTION

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11 WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Zoo is an important regional attraction for
12 visitors to Milwaukee County; and

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14 WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Zoo has over 2,000 mammals, birds, fish
15 amphibians and reptiles within their care; and

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17 WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Zoo is open 365 days per year; and

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19 WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Zoo is subject to oversight and licensure by
20 the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA); and

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22 WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Zoo maintains an Animal and Plant Health
23 Inspection Services (APHIS) License administered by the USDA; and

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25 WHEREAS, the conditions of APHIS licensure include the maintenance of a
26 program of veterinary care that includes prescribed staffing levels to effectuate
27 emergency animal care; and

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29 WHEREAS, due to unforeseen circumstances both full-time veterinarians
30 employed by the Milwaukee County Zoo will be simultaneously absent for medical
31 leave; and

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33 WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Board has foreseen the need for temporary
34 appointments to facilitate the continuity of services in Chapter 17.08 of the General
35 Ordinances of Milwaukee County; now, therefore

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37 BE IT RESOLVED, that the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby
38 approves the temporary creation of the Staff Veterinarian for the Milwaukee County
39 Zoo; and,

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41 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Board hereby authorizes the
42 Department of Administrative Services to process an administrative fund transfer from
43 the Zoo Specimen Trust, if needed, in the amount of \$36,190 to the Milwaukee County
44 Zoo.

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