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(ITEM) From the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, requesting authorization to prepare and execute contractual agreements with various performing arts groups through the Milwaukee County Artistic, Cultural, and Musical Programming Advisory Council for 2016 totaling \$424,494.34, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the 2016 Adopted Budget provided Milwaukee County (the County) with funding for the arts and an administrator; and

WHEREAS, Adopted File No's is 86-466 and 86-463 established guidelines and criteria for awarding County Arts Program funds; and

WHEREAS, Adopted File No. 87-732 approved policy guidelines and funding criteria for arts program funding; and

WHEREAS, the various arts groups and organizations have appeared before the Cultural, Artistic, and Musical Programming Advisory Council (CAMPAC) applying for arts funding and making comments relative to the arts program and the 2016 allocation level; and

WHEREAS, CAMPAC has reviewed and evaluated applications and comments, and has made recommendations for awarding contracts and grants through the County Arts Program; and

WHEREAS, the recommended 2016 CAMPAC allocations were based on the format established in previous years with the consensus of the affected arts organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, recommends approval of the 2016 CAMPAC allocations; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Parks, Energy, and Environment, at its meeting of January 26, 2016, recommended adoption of the Director's request (vote 6-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors (County Board) hereby authorizes the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, to prepare the necessary contractual agreements with the various arts groups for funding for community cultural events programs during 2016, which provides free programming primarily for low-income minority, elderly, and disabled populations, and to execute contracts in 2016 with the following agencies for the amounts listed below:

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2016 COMMUNITY CULTURAL EVENTS PROGRAM ALLOCATIONS

| <u>Agency</u> | <u>2016 Award</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| African American Children’s Theater | \$ 3,920.36 |
| Latino Arts | \$ 11,550.27 |
| Walker’s Point Center for the Arts | <u>\$ 6,529.37</u> |
| TOTAL | <u>\$22,000</u> |

; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that matching grants funds are hereby authorized and awarded to the following arts groups which have been determined eligible under guidelines established and approved by the County Board in the amounts identified below, including approved 2016 reallocations (see Memo attachment):

| <u>Established Organization</u> | <u>MG Award</u> |
|----------------------------------------|------------------------|
| AFRICAN AMERICAN CHILDREN'S THEATRE | \$4,969.55 |
| BEL CANTO CHORUS | \$7,689.55 |
| BOULEVARD THEATRE | \$3,688.77 |
| CONCORD CHAMBER ORCHESTRA | \$2,917.48 |
| DANCE CIRCUS | \$1,761.88 |
| DANCEWORKS | \$11,739.56 |
| EARLY MUSIC NOW | \$6,751.68 |
| FESTIVAL CITY SYMPHONY | \$6,520.71 |
| FIRST STAGE CHILDREN'S THEATER | \$25,332.34 |
| FLORENTINE OPERA | \$16,526.16 |
| FRANKLY MUSIC | \$4,162.57 |
| IN TANDEM | \$7,407.28 |
| LATINO ARTS | \$7,656.31 |
| MIDWEST VOCAL EXPRESS | \$2,020.79 |
| MILWAUKEE BALLET | \$27,555.81 |
| MILWAUKEE CHAMBER THEATER | \$11,043.90 |
| MILWAUKEE CHILDREN'S CHOIR | \$7,640.44 |
| MILWAUKEE OPERA THEATRE | \$3,869.08 |
| MILWAUKEE REPERTORY THEATER | \$53,017.53 |
| MILWAUKEE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA | \$81,856.99 |
| MILWAUKEE YOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA | \$13,832.92 |
| NEXT ACT THEATRE | \$9,908.82 |
| OPTIMIST | \$4,681.25 |
| ORGANIC ARTS | \$1,713.46 |
| PRESENT MUSIC | \$7,988.93 |
| RENAISSANCE THEATERWORKS | \$9,006.81 |

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| RUACH | \$4,761.77 |
| SKYLIGHT MUSIC THEATRE | \$16,997.74 |
| SOULSTICE | \$3,259.48 |
| THEATRE GIGANTE | \$4,225.73 |
| WALKER'S POINT CENTER FOR THE ARTS | \$6,094.30 |
| WILD SPACE DANCE COMPANY | \$5,127.57 |
| WOODLAND PATTERN | <u>\$7,767.18</u> |
| TOTAL | \$389,494.34 |

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66 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an amount of \$13,000 is authorized for
67 Milwaukee County Artistic, Cultural, and Musical Programming Advisory Council
68 administration in 2016.

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