## COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE Inter-Office Communication

Date: November 22, 2021

To: Marceila Nicholson, Milwaukee County Board Chairwoman

From: Jennifer L. Folliard, Director of Audits

Subject: External Quality Review of the Office of the Comptroller's Audit Services Division

Wisconsin State Statute §§ 59.255(i) requires our office to perform our work in compliance with government auditing standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that our office undergo a periodic external quality review. The enclosed report represents the results of that review for the period July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2019.

The review was conducted under the auspices of the Association of Local Government Auditors by a team of seasoned professionals from two respected local government audit offices.

We are proud of the fact that the review team has given us a 'clean' opinion. The team also made one observation in its management letter. We agree with the observation and will implement the corresponding suggestions.

Please refer the attached review packet to the Audit Committee.

Sincerely,

Jennifer L. Folliard

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Attachment

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