Report from the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, requesting authorization to execute non-professional service contracts with caterers supporting the Senior Congregate Dining Program and minority owned restaurants preparing meals for the Dine-Out Program for a total of \$2,992,000, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Division on Aging (Aging), Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), administers the Milwaukee County Senior Meal Program, which brings delicious, nutritious meals to older adults; and

WHEREAS, Title III-C of the Older Americans Act provides funding for programs that reduce hunger and food insecurity, promote the socialization of older adults, and promote the health and well-being of older adults by assisting them to access nutrition and other disease prevention and health promotion services to delay the onset of adverse health conditions; and

WHEREAS, Aging, DHHS, as an expansion to its existing Meals on Wheels and congregate dining programs, piloted the Dine Out Program (the Program) beginning in April 2021 during the Coronavirus Disease pandemic, partnering with four local minority-owned restaurants, and a new meal-site supervisor; and

WHEREAS, the Program has served over 4,000 meals from the end of April through September, while expanding the dietary appeal of older adult meal programming by offering more ethnically diverse meal choices; and

WHEREAS, the congregate dining programs provide the majority of meals to older adult diners, and these caterers are on pace to prepare over half a million meals to be distributed at congregate dining sites in 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of December 9, 2021, recommended adoption of File No. 21-1026 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, to execute 2022 non-Professional Service Contracts, for the period beginning January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022, with the providers and for the terms as listed below for a total cost not-to-exceed \$2,992,000:

Caterers for Congregate Dining	Price per meal	Meal location
Anmol, LLC	\$7.25	Muslim Community and Health
		Center
Aramark	\$5.06	Zone 1
D&S Food Services, Inc.	\$5.35	Zone 2
Jimbo's Lodge Catering, LLC	\$6.25	Milwaukee Elks Lodge #46
Sweet Fix, Inc.	\$7.25	Muslim Community and Health
		Center

Caterers to the Dine Out Program	Price per meal
Antigua-Latin Inspired Kitchen	\$7.75
Daddy's Soul Food & Grille, Inc.	\$7.75
Leva Enterprises, LLC/Orenda Café	\$7.75

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