1 File No. 22-116 2 3 From the Milwaukee County Comptroller, Office of the Comptroller, requesting approval of an initial authorizing resolution in an amount not-to-exceed \$90,630,000 in General 4 Obligation Corporate Purpose Bonds or Promissory Notes to finance capital projects, 5 and to reimburse expenses related to projects that occur prior to the issuances; and 6 7 approval of publication of notices to the electors, by recommending adoption of the 8 following: 9 10 INITIAL RESOLUTIONS AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF 11 \$90,630,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OR NOTES 12 13 BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Board of Supervisors of Milwaukee County, 14 Wisconsin (County Board), that there shall be issued the general obligation bonds or 15 notes of said County in an aggregate principal amount not-to-exceed \$5,162,942, for 16 the public purpose of providing for the construction, improvement, and maintenance of highways and bridges. For the purpose of paying the various installments of principal of 17 18 and interest on said bonds or notes as they severally mature, prior to the issuance and 19 delivery of said bonds or notes, there shall be levied on all taxable property in said 20 County a direct annual irrepealable tax sufficient for that purpose. 21 22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the County Board, that there shall be issued 23 the general obligation bonds or notes of said County in an aggregate principal amount 24 not-to-exceed \$1,122,438, for the public purpose of providing for a memorial for 25 soldiers, sailors, and marines by financing renovations and improvements at the War 26 Memorial Center. For the purpose of paying the various installments of principal of and 27 interest on said bonds or notes as they severally mature, prior to the issuance and 28 delivery of said bonds or notes, there shall be levied on all taxable property in said 29 County a direct annual irrepealable tax sufficient for that purpose. 30 31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the County Board, that there shall be issued 32 the general obligation bonds or notes of said County in an aggregate principal amount 33 not-to-exceed \$84,344,620, for the public purpose of providing financing for capital 34 improvement projects, including without limitation the construction, improvement, 35 renovation, and equipping of parks, recreational and cultural facilities (including zoological facilities and the Marcus Center for the Performing Arts); the construction, 36 37 improvement, and equipping of Milwaukee County (the County) buildings and County grounds, including, without limitation, the Courthouse Complex, Safety Building, the 38 39 Forensic Science Center, the North Shop, and the new Mental Health Emergency 40 Center; the acquisition of electric buses and construction of related improvements for 41 the County transit system, and the acquisition of capital equipment, including fleet equipment. For the purpose of paying the various installments of principal of and 42 interest on said bonds or notes as they severally mature, prior to the issuance and 43 44 delivery of said bonds or notes there shall be levied on all taxable property in said 45 County a direct annual irrepealable tax sufficient for that purpose. 46

47 BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED, by the County Board, that the County hereby 48 officially declares its intent, pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2, to 49 reimburse any expenditures made in connection with the projects described in these 50 initial resolutions with tax-exempt bonds or notes in an amount not-to-exceed 51 \$90,630,000, prior to the issuance of such bonds or notes.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the County Board, that the County Clerk is
directed to send certified copies of this resolution to the County's co-bond counsel,
Quarles & Brady LLP, 411 East Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202,
Attention: Brian G. Lanser, and Emile Banks & Associates, LLC, 1200 North Mayfair
Road #290, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53226, Attention: Emile Banks, and to the Office of
the Comptroller, 901 North 9th Street, Room 301, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53233,
Attention: Justin Rodriguez.

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RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PUBLICATION OF NOTICES TO THE ELECTORS REGARDING THE ADOPTION OF INITIAL RESOLUTIONS

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64 WHEREAS, the County Board of Supervisors of Milwaukee County (the County), 65 Wisconsin has adopted initial resolutions authorizing the issuance of general obligation 66 bonds or notes of the County to provide for the construction, improvement, and 67 maintenance of highways and bridges and a memorial for soldiers, sailors, and marines; 68 and

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WHEREAS, Section 67.05(4), Wisconsin State Statutes (State Statutes), permits the electors of the County to submit a petition requesting the submission of an initial resolution authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds, to provide for the construction, improvement, and maintenance of highways and bridges to the electors of the County, for approval at a referendum election, and requires that notice be given to the electors of the County of the adoption of the initial resolution and their right to submit a petition; and

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WHEREAS, Section 67.05(7)(a), State Statutes, permits the electors of the
County to submit a petition requesting the submission of an initial resolution authorizing
the issuance of general obligation bonds, to provide for a memorial for soldiers, sailors,
and marines to the electors of the County, for approval at a referendum election, and
requires that notice be given to the electors of the County of the adoption of the initial
resolution and their right to submit a petition; and

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WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of January 27, 2022,
 recommended adoption of File No. 22-116 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

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88 BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Board of Supervisors of Milwaukee County, 89 Wisconsin (County Board), that the County Clerk of the County is hereby directed to 90 publish notice of the adoption of the initial resolutions described above in *The Daily* 91 *Reporter* and in the *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*, within 15 days of the adoption of the 92 initial resolutions, such notices to be in substantially the forms attached to this 93 resolution.

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95 BE IT FURTHUR RESOLVED, by the County Board, that the County Clerk of 96 the County is directed to send certified copies of this resolution to the County's co-bond 97 counsel, Quarles & Brady LLP, 411 East Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 98 53202, Attention: Brian G. Lanser, and Emile Banks & Associates, LLC, 1200 North 99 Mayfair Road #290, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53226, Attention: Emile Banks, and to the 100 Office of the Comptroller, 901 North 9th Street, Room 301, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 101 53233, Attention: Justin Rodriguez.

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Official Notice to Electors of Milwaukee County, Wisconsin
 of Adoption of an Initial Resolution Authorizing General Obligation Bonds or
 Notes for the Construction, Improvement, and Maintenance of Highways and

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- An initial resolution was adopted at the adjourned regular meeting of the County Board of Supervisors of Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, on February 3, 2022, and promptly recorded, providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds or notes of the

Bridges

- 111 County, as follows:
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- 113 BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Board of Supervisors of Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, that there shall be issued the 114 general obligation bonds or notes of said County in an aggregate 115 principal amount not-to-exceed \$5,162,942, for the public purpose 116 of providing for the construction, improvement, and maintenance 117 of highways and bridges. For the purpose of paying the various 118 installments of principal of and interest on said bonds or notes as 119 120 they severally mature, prior to the issuance and delivery of said bonds or notes, there shall be levied on all taxable property in said 121 122 County a direct annual irrepealable tax sufficient for that purpose. 123
- Section 67.05(4), Wisconsin State Statutes, provides that the initial resolution need not be submitted to the electors unless within 30 days after adoption of the initial resolution a petition is filed in the County Clerk's office requesting a referendum. This petition must be signed by electors numbering at least 10 percent of the votes cast in the County for governor at the last general election.
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- 130 Dated: February 3, 2022

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132	/s/ George L. Christenson
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135	By order of the County Board of
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138 Official Notice to Electors of Milwaukee County, Wisconsin 139 of Adoption of an Initial Resolution Authorizing General Obligation Bonds or Notes for a Memorial for Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines 140 141 142 An initial resolution was adopted at the adjourned regular meeting of the County 143 Board of Supervisors of Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, on February 3, 2022, and 144 promptly recorded, providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds or notes of the 145 County, as follows: 146 147 BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Board of Supervisors of 148 Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, that there shall be issued the 149 general obligation bonds or notes of said County in an aggregate principal amount not-to-exceed \$1,122,438, for the public purpose 150 of providing for a memorial for soldiers, sailors, and marines, by 151 financing renovations and improvements at the War Memorial 152 153 Center. For the purpose of paying the various installments of principal of and interest on said bonds or notes as they severally 154 155 mature, prior to the issuance and delivery of said bonds or notes, 156 there shall be levied on all taxable property in said County a direct 157 annual irrepealable tax sufficient for that purpose. 158 159 Section 67.05(7)(a), Wisconsin State Statutes, provides that the initial resolution 160 need not be submitted to the electors unless within 30 days after adoption of the initial 161 resolution a petition is filed in the County Clerk's office requesting a referendum. This petition must be signed by electors numbering at least 10 percent of the votes cast in 162 the County for governor at the last general election. 163 164 165 Dated: February 3, 2022 166 167 /s/ George L. Christenson County Clerk 168 169 170 By order of the County Board of 171 **Supervisors** 172 173 174 175 176 srb 01/27/2022 S:\Committees\2022\January\FINANCE\Resolutions\22-116 Comptroller - 2022 Bond Issuances-Cap Proj.docx