

A report from the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, requesting authorization to retroactively amend a 2022 professional services contract by \$3,500 from \$74,500 to \$78,000, to coordinate Evidence-Based Prevention Programs (EBPP) for older adults, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Aging Division (Aging), Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), provides Evidence-Based Programming as mandated by the Older Americans Act and in partnership with the Wisconsin Institute for Healthy Aging; and

WHEREAS, Evidence-Based Prevention Programs (EBPP) are interventions that are demonstrated to reduce the need for more costly medical interventions, and the programs facilitated by Ms. Jennifer Lefebber cover a broad range of topics that are of concern for older adults in Milwaukee County (the County), including: falls prevention, chronic disease management, diabetes prevention, and pain management; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Lefebber has provided EBPP for the County for over a decade, and DHHS is requesting an increase in her contract in recognition of her quality of services and expertise, an increase in responsibilities in community coalitions, her work as a master trainer, and expansion of the subject matter of the evidence-based prevention projects offered; and

WHEREAS, consistent with Section 59.52(31)(c), Wisconsin State Statutes, Aging, DHHS, must, on behalf of the Commission on Aging, bring contracts with a value or aggregate value of \$300,000 or more to the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors for authorization; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of March 17, 2022, recommended adoption of File No. 22-370 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, or her designee, to retroactively amend a 2022 Professional Services Contract by \$3,500, from \$74,500 to \$78,000, with Jennifer Lefebber, to coordinate and facilitate Evidence Based Prevention Programs for the period of January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022.

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