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3 (ITEM ) From the Chief Judge, requesting authorization to accept John D. and  
4 Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation Safety and Justice Challenge Stage 1 grant funds in  
5 the amount of \$149,500 for the period from May 11, 2015, to January 6, 2016, by  
6 recommending adoption of the following:  
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8 **A RESOLUTION**  
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10 WHEREAS, on May 11, 2015, Milwaukee County received from the John D. and  
11 Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation a funding award notice in a maximum amount of  
12 \$150,000 in support of the Foundation's Safety and Justice Challenge, and the award  
13 period is from May 11, 2015, to January 6, 2016; and  
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15 WHEREAS, the Safety and Justice Challenge is a two-stage competitive grant  
16 process to address communities' use of incarceration; and  
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18 WHEREAS, Milwaukee County was selected as one of 20 sites from the 191  
19 applicants for the five phases of Stage 1; and  
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21 WHEREAS, Planning Stage Phase I - Getting Started - will assemble an  
22 interdisciplinary planning team; and  
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24 WHEREAS, Planning Stage Phase 2 - Investigate and Understand the Facts -  
25 will be a comprehensive mapping of the criminal justice system decision targets; and  
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27 WHEREAS, Planning Stage Phase 3 - Develop a Reform Response - will  
28 construct a logic model and strategy to address identified decision/change targets; and  
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30 WHEREAS, Planning Stage Phase 4 - Implementation Planning - will generate a  
31 roadmap for the proposed reform strategies; and  
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33 WHEREAS, Planning Stage Phase 5 - Application for Implementation Funding -  
34 will be the development and application submission for the next stage of the John D.  
35 and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation's Safety and Justice Challenge; and  
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37 WHEREAS, the Committee on Judiciary, Safety, and General Services, at its  
38 meeting of June 11, 2015, recommended adoption of the Chief Judge's request (vote  
39 7-0); and  
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41 WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, Personnel, and Audit, at its meeting of  
42 June 18, 2015, also recommended adoption of the Chief Judge's request (vote 9-0);  
43 now, therefore,

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BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Chief Judge to accept John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation Safety and Justice Challenge Stage 1 grant funds in the amount of \$149,500 for the period from May 11, 2015, to January 6, 2016.

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