File No.

(Journal, )

(ITEM) From the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, requesting authorization to enter into a State/County contract for Community Youth and Family Aids for 2016 by recommending adoption of the following:

# A RESOLUTION

 WHEREAS, Section 301.031 of the Wisconsin Statutes requires counties to execute an annual contract with the State Department of Children and Families (DCF) for the “Community Youth and Family Aids Program,” and departments must obtain authorization from the County Board in order to execute contracts in excess of $300,000; and

 WHEREAS, the Director, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), is requesting authorization to enter into the 2016 contract with the State DCF for the provision of juvenile justice services mandated by State law, and the County cannot receive 2016 revenue from the State until this contract is signed; and

 WHEREAS, the State will provide Milwaukee County with $35,668,256 of Youth Aids funding in 2016 (excluding Corrective Sanctions) which is $137,242 more revenue than budgeted in 2016 for State Charges and County community-based programs; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Director, Department of Health and Human Services, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the State Department of Corrections covering Community Youth and Family Aids for the period of January 1 through December 31, 2016, and any addendum thereto.