(ITEM) From the Sheriff requesting authorization to execute a short term professional services contract with State Process Service, Inc. to provide limited, contracted civil process service in Milwaukee County from March 19, 2017 and not to exceed August 31, 2017:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Wisconsin State Statute 59-27(4) requires the Sheriff to execute all service of civil process papers in Milwaukee County as civil process papers are time sensitive and need to be executed in accordance with State Statute Chapters 801 & 847 depending upon the paper type, and

WHEREAS, State Process Service, Inc. provided limited, contracted civil process paper service for the Office of the Milwaukee County Sheriff from March 19, 2012 until March 18, 2017, and now a Request for Proposal has been published to award a new contract utilizing current technology at effective rates; and

WHEREAS, due to the impending expiration of the contract with State Process Service, Inc. a Request for Proposal was prepared and published on February 2, 2017, and

WHEREAS, only one response to the Request for Proposal was received and was deemed not compliant in regards to the requirements of the RFP, and

WHEREAS, response to the RFP was considered inadequate, the respondent notified, and the Request for Proposal withdrawn until a new document could be prepared and issued to solicit additional responses, and

WHEREAS, State Process Service, Inc. has agreed to continue the civil process paper service until such time that a new contract is awarded based upon the results of the subsequent RFP; and

WHEREAS, the vendor shall continue to be paid \$34.00 for each civil process paper service with each service consisting of three (3) service attempts; and

WHEREAS, based upon historical volume the maximum amount to be expended will be \$94,850.00; and

WHEREAS, the contract will be effective March 19, 2017 and terminate no later than August 31, 2017 as this is considered ample time to evaluate the results of the RFP and award a new contract; and

WHEREAS, upon the award of a new contract the Unrestricted Right of Termination will allow the Sheriff to cancel this contract in whole by providing (14) days written notice before the termination date of this agreement; and

WHEREAS, all covenants, insurance requirements, and independent contractor provisions as stipulated in the previous contract remain in force; and

BE IT RESOLVED, the Sheriff is hereby authorized to execute a short term contract from March 19, 2017 and not to exceed August 31, 2017 and if prior to the ending date a contract is awarded as a result of the RFP this contract will be terminated by (14) day written notification.

54	FISCAL NOTE
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56	The 2017 Adopted Budget for the Office of the Sheriff includes expenditure authority of
57	\$94,850 for the contract period of March 19, 2017 to August 31, 2017.
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