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From the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, requesting authorization to apply for a 2017 State of Wisconsin Recreational Boating Facilities Program grant, for the redesign and reconstruction of the Bender Park Harbor Access Channel, and to execute an administrative fund transfer to recognize receipt of revenue, by recommending adoption of the following:

AN AMENDED RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin (the State) Recreational Boating Facilities Program (RBF) encourages the development of recreational boating facilities and related activities by providing State cost-sharing assistance to governmental units and qualified lake associations; and

WHEREAS, eligible projects include feasibility studies, engineering studies, construction projects such as ramps, boarding docks, and bulkheads, dredging, and boating support facilities; and

WHEREAS, RBF grants are awarded on a 50/50 state-local cost-share basis; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture (DPRC) is seeking authorization to submit an RBF grant application for the redesign and reconstruction of the Bender Park Harbor access channel; and

WHEREAS, the design and construction of the existing channel failed to take into account the regular buildup of sediment which can prevent boats from entering or leaving the harbor; and

WHEREAS, the Bender Park Harbor is considered a harbor of safe refuge and, as such, it is incumbent upon Milwaukee County (the County) to keep it open during the boating season so that boaters have a secure place to shelter when severe weather conditions arise; and

WHEREAS, a budget request for County funds to serve as match for this project has been prepared for consideration in the 2018 Requested Budget; and

WHEREAS, the Director, DPRC recommends authorization to apply for a 2017 RBF grant for the redesign and reconstruction of the Bender Park Harbor access channel; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Parks, Energy, and Environment, at its meeting of May 16, 2017, recommended adoption as amended of File No. 17-383; (vote 5-0); now, therefore,

47 BE IT RESOLVED, the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture (DPRC) is
48 hereby authorized to apply for the 2017 State of Wisconsin Recreational Boating
49 Facilities (RBF) grant funding for the redesign and reconstruction of the Bender Park
50 Harbor access channel.

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