(ITEM ) From the Executive Director, Department on Aging, requesting authorization to execute 2019 program and service contracts for supportive social services and community programs serving Milwaukee County seniors age 60 or older.

WHEREAS, the Adopted Budget for Milwaukee County Department on Aging allocates revenues and expenditures for purchase of a variety of supportive services and community programs for Milwaukee County older persons in 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Commission on Aging was created by Chapter 53 of General Ordinances of Milwaukee County as the designated Area Agency on Aging for Milwaukee County under the Older Americans Act; and

WHEREAS, consistent with Wisconsin Statutes Chapter 59.52(31)(c) the Department on Aging must, on behalf of the Commission on Aging, bring contracts of $300,000 or more to Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors for authorization; and;

WHEREAS, the following vendors performed satisfactorily under prior contracts, and with sufficient funds included in the Department’s Adopted Budget for 2019, the Department and Commission recommend awarding the following contracts for the period January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019,

 Provider Agency Program/Service Contract Award

 1. Legal Action of Benefit Specialist/ $376, 714

Wisconsin, Inc. Legal Services

 2. United Community Programs at United $373,189

Center, Inc. Community Center

 Senior Center

 3. Interfaith Older Adult Family Caregiver Support $571,249

Programs, Inc. and Alzheimer’s Disease

Now UNISON Direct Services

 4. Goodwill Industries of Case Management and $1,162,903

Southeastern Wisconsin, Delivery Services for

Inc. Home Delivered Meals

WHEREAS, at its meetings on November 9th and 16th, 2018, the Commission on Aging recommended awarding the following purchase of service contracts, that went through a competitive solicitation, for the period January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019, with the provision that, contingent upon satisfactory performance by the vendor and inclusion of sufficient funds in the annual Adopted Budget, the vendor may be awarded up to two additional one-year contracts without a Request for Proposal [File No. 98-197(a)(a)]:

 Provider Agency Program/Service Contract Award

5. Able Access, Inc. Specialized Elderly $1,410,460

 Transportation Services

 6. UNISON, Inc. Services in Washington, $672,867

 McGovern, Wilson

Senior Centers

7. UNISON, Inc. Meal Site Supervision $360,000

8. Serving Older Services in Kelly and $450,000

 Adults, Inc. Clinton Rose Senior

Centers

 ; and

WHEREAS, the following vendor performed satisfactorily under prior contracts, have an aggregate funded amount above $300,000, and with sufficient funds included in the Department’s Adopted Budget for 2019, the Department and Commission recommend awarding the following contracts for the period January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019:

Provider Agency Program/Service Contract Award

 9. UNISON, Inc. Coordination of $ 271,232

 Neighborhood Services

WHEREAS, the contracts listed above require authorization by the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that Executive Director, Department on Aging, is hereby authorized to enter into contracts for 2019 with the above named providers and for the programs, services, and award amounts indicated.