From the Director, Department on Aging, requesting authorization to submit the 2019-2021 Milwaukee County Area Plan for Older People to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services – Bureau on Aging and Disability Resources, and to accept \$5,247,886 in anticipated Federal and State funding for 2019, by recommending adoption of the following:

A REVISED RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Commission on Aging (Commission) was created in Chapter 53 of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, and is the designated area agency on aging for Milwaukee County (the County) under the Federal Older Americans Act; and

WHEREAS, the Older Americans Act requires each area agency on aging to periodically submit an "area plan" to the state unit on aging; and

WHEREAS, the Department on Aging, as staff to the Commission, prepared the 2019-2021 Milwaukee County Area Plan for Older People (the Plan); and

WHEREAS, the Plan was prepared based on instructions from the State, and comments and suggestions from the public gathered throughout the County at nine listening sessions and two public hearings, as well as through a written and online survey that received 441 responses; and

WHEREAS, on November 9, 2018, the Commission approved the 2019-2021 Plan, and seeks authorization from the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors to submit the Plan to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services – Bureau on Aging and Disability Resources, Wisconsin's state unit on aging; and

WHEREAS, under the Plan, the County will receive \$5,920,600 in Older Americans Act grant funds for aging programs in 2019; and

WHEREAS, those revenues are included in the 2019 Adopted Budget; and

WHEREAS, all local match required for those revenues comes from tax levy in the Department's 2019 Adopted Budget and in-kind or cash match by service providers as a condition of their contract with the County; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Health and Human Needs, at its meeting of December 5, 2018, considered File No. 18-878 for informational purposes only; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance and Audit, at its meeting of December 6,
2018, recommended adoption of File No. 18-878 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,
BE IT RESOLVED, the County Executive and the Chairman of the Milwaukee
County Board of Supervisors are hereby authorized to sign, and the Director,
Department on Aging, is hereby authorized to submit, the 2019-2021 Milwaukee County
Area Plan for Older People to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services – Bureau
on Aging and Disability Resources; and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Director, Department on Aging, is hereby
authorized to accept \$5,247,886 in anticipated Federal and State funding for 2019.
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