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From the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, requesting authorization to grant waivers to various special event organizers for events that impede access to Lincoln Memorial Drive on various dates in 2019, pursuant to Section 47.031(5) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 47.031(5) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances (the Code) requires any event sponsor who wishes to conduct an event that impedes access to Lincoln Memorial Drive (LMD) to petition the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors, through the Committee on Parks, Energy, and Environment (PE&E), for a waiver if their event does not conform to one or more conditions or restrictions listed in Sections 47.031(1) through (4) of the Code; and

WHEREAS, five event organizers have applied to the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture (DPRC) for special event permits that would impede access to LMD on various dates in 2019; and

WHEREAS, three events have been held annually for over 35 years, including the United Performing Arts Fund Ride for the Arts, Northwestern Mutual Roots & Wings Run, and the Briggs & Al's Run & Walk; and

WHEREAS, these events bring awareness and provide a mechanism for fundraising for specific charitable organizations or causes through their events; and

WHEREAS, other, newer events have brought thousands of participants and visitors to Milwaukee that increase exposure and contribute directly to our local economy; and

WHEREAS, event organizers are required to pay all fees required by DPRC for closing LMD, and for permits to host its event on park property; and

WHEREAS, event organizers must also apply for and receive permits from the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, discussions with lakefront stakeholders will occur, and every effort will be made to minimize business interruption along the routes; and

WHEREAS, access to lakefront venues will be coordinated with the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on PE&E, at its meeting of January 29, 2019, recommended adoption of File No. 19-63 (vote 3-0); now, therefore,

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BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director, Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, to grant waivers, in the form of special event permits, for the following events that impede access to portions of Lincoln Memorial Drive in 2019:

Milwaukee Marathon	April 06, 2019	6:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.
United Performing Arts Fund Ride for the Arts	June 02, 2019	6:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.
Northwestern Mutual Roots and Wings Run	July 21, 2019	6:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.
Briggs and Al's Run & Walk	September 14, 2019	9:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
Milwaukee Turkey Trot	November 28, 2019	8:00 A.M. - 10:30 A.M.

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