From the Director, Department of Administrative Services (DAS), requesting a waiver of Section 9.05(3)(a) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, allowing Mr. Al Klatt to return to the Central Business Office, DAS, to assist with financial matters related to facilities management and the water utility on a temporary contract basis for the duration of 2019, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Central Business Office, Department of Administrative Services (CBO-DAS), has experienced a high level of staff turnover during calendar year 2019; and

WHEREAS, four out of nine positions have vacated the CBO in 2019, including the Director of the division, and three of four staff that work in the Facilities Management Division (Facilities Management), DAS; and

WHEREAS, while the CBO looks to replace staff, additional interim assistance is needed with accounting, budgeting, and analytical tasks; and

WHEREAS, accounting and financial assistance is particularly needed in Facilities Management, and Water Utility; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Al Klatt retired and ceased to be a Milwaukee County (County) employee effective January 11, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the departure of several staff from CBO-DAS has had a negative impact on workloads, including a loss of knowledge and deep understanding of County processes, systems, and financial matters; and

WHEREAS, CBO-DAS believes the best solution is for Mr.Klatt to return to work on a limited term and temporary contract basis for up to 20 hours per week, for a length of time up to the duration of 2019, in order to assist with accounting and financial matters related to the Facilities Management and Water Utility; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance and Audit, at its meeting of March 14, 2019, waived Section 9.05(3)(a) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances (vote 5-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, a waiver of Section 9.05(3)(a) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances is granted, and the Central Business Office, Department of Administrative Services, is hereby authorized to retain the contract services of Mr. Al Klatt through a temporary agency for a term limited to 20 hours per week for the duration of 2019.

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