

MILWAUKEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

DATE: March 21, 2019

AMENDMENT NO. 2 to Item #28

Resolution File No. 19-273

Ordinance File No.

COMMITTEE: Judiciary, Safety and General Services

OFFERED BY SUPERVISOR(S): Ortíz-Velez

ADD AND/OR DELETE AS FOLLOWS:

(Note: This amendment is reflected by double underline or ~~double strikethrough~~)

Delete the WHEREAS clause at or near line 55 as follows:

~~WHEREAS, under Section 343.05(3-5), Wisconsin State Statutes, drivers penalized without a license may incur hundreds of dollars in misdemeanor fines; and according to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation, in 2017 the state suspended more than 200,000 Wisconsin drivers for failing to pay fines, and otherwise law abiding and taxpaying residents need not help clog an overburdened court system; and~~

Amend the WHEREAS clause at or near line 65 as follows:

WHEREAS, all residents of Wisconsin should have equal access to driver's licenses, and the Governor of Wisconsin has proposed in Assembly Bill 56, the 2019-2021 Wisconsin Executive Budget, to extend eligibility for driver licenses and identification cards for undocumented individuals subsequent to fulfillment of State skills and knowledge standards; and

Amend and delete the BE IT RESOLVED clauses beginning at or near line 72 as follows:

~~BE IT RESOLVED, Milwaukee County (the County) requests the Governor of the State of Wisconsin (the State) and the State Legislature include provisions in the 2019-2021 Biennial State Budget, or introduce a standalone bill, regarding: restoration of access to driver's licenses for all Wisconsin residents regardless of immigration status~~

- ~~• Restoration of access to driver's licenses for all Wisconsin residents regardless of immigration status~~
- ~~• Cessation of suspending driver's licenses for those unable to pay fines for minor non-driving offenses~~

~~;~~ and

BE IT ~~FURTHER~~ RESOLVED, ~~the~~ Milwaukee County (the County) supports the proposal by the Governor of the State of Wisconsin in Assembly Bill 56, the 2019-2021 Wisconsin Executive Budget, to extend eligibility for driver licenses and identification cards for undocumented individuals subsequent to fulfillment of State skills and knowledge standards; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the County requests the County Clerk to forward copies of this resolution to the offices of the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the Assembly, the Assembly Minority Leader, the Senate Majority Leader, the Senate Minority Leader, and any State Legislator who represents all or part of the County.