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From the Milwaukee County Comptroller, Office of the Comptroller, requesting authorization to waive Section 9.05(3)(a) of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, to allow Ms. Susan Walker to return to work within the Office of the Comptroller to assist with financial matters related to the yearend closing process on a temporary contract basis from approximately December 21, 2020, through February 28, 2021, by recommending adoption of the following:

**A RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, in late July 2020, Susan Walker, the Accounts Payable Manager for the Office of the Comptroller (Comptroller), retired with over 32 years of service in the position; and

WHEREAS, the position of Accounts Payable Manager is instrumental in the design and implementation of the Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system, and plays a crucial role in Milwaukee County’s year-end closing process; and

WHEREAS, as the implementation of the ERP evolves, the future roles and responsibilities of the Accounts Payable Manager, or similar position, have not yet been determined, and consequently the Comptroller prefers to hold on filling the position until the needs of the Comptroller can be determined under the fully implemented ERP, hopefully by early 2021; and

WHEREAS, in order to effectively and efficiently move forward with the 2020 year-end closing processes, the Comptroller will require assistance since this position remains vacant, and Ms. Walker has agreed to provide such assistance; and

WHEREAS, the Comptroller has determined that the best solution is for Ms. Walker to return to work on a limited term and temporary contract basis beginning approximately December 21, 2020, through February 28, 2021, which will require a waiver of Section 9.05(3)(a), Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of December 10, 2020, approved File No. 20-898 (vote 6-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby grants a waiver of Section 9.05(3)(a), Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances, and authorizes the Office of the Comptroller to retain the contract services of Ms. Susan Walker through a temporary agency for a term from approximately December 21, 2020, through February 28, 2021.