File No. 21-602

From the Director, Department of Transportation, Requesting Authorization to Create One (1.0) FTE Transportation and Planning Manager in the Director's Office, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation (DOT) has recognized the need to create a high-level transportation planning-related position, due to ongoing transportation needs, as well as those with increased complexity; and

WHEREAS, grant compliance duties have increased due to increased Federal funding and administration of State programs; and

WHEREAS, DOT indicates that increases in duties, responsibilities, and complexity can only be handled by the addition of a full-time employee; and

WHEREAS, ongoing planning of an expanded and enhanced transportation network; and the study, analysis, and planning of latent transportation issues require transportation planning expertise within the department; and

WHEREAS, issues the DOT is currently unable to address include: micro-transit solutions and integration, and implementation of regional transportation recommendations; and

 WHEREAS, this position will develop and implement work plans for complex transportation programs and planning projects funded by Federal grants, and will also be a liaison with the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, the State of Wisconsin, Milwaukee County Transit System, and the public; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of July 26, 2021, recommended adoption of File No. 21-602 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors (County Board) hereby authorizes and approves the following position action for the Department of Transportation, to be filled no earlier than October 1, 2021:

Action	Title	Number of Positions	Title Code	Pay Grade
Create	Transportation Program and Planning Manager	1.0	To Be Determined	36M (\$83,027 - \$98,238)

 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the County Board hereby authorizes and approves an administrative transfer to be carried out by the Office of Performance, Strategy, and Budget, Department of Administrative Services, and the Office of the Comptroller, for the purpose of covering the cost in 2021.

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