From the Executive Director of Milwaukee of Parks, requesting authorization to grant rent relief to South Shore Yacht Club in the amount of \$78,815.56 due to the impacts of COVID-19 in 2020 and the ongoing effects of the damaged north breakwater, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, in 2020, the spread of the novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) was, and continues to be, a serious public health threat that has resulted in the declaration of emergencies at the Federal, State, and local level; and

WHEREAS, the impacts of COVID-19 caused significant operational disruptions across the entire park system in Milwaukee County, including cancellations of events, closures of buildings, prohibitions of gatherings, and more; and

WHEREAS, many partners of the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture (DPRC), saw significant impacts to their operations, due to buildings being closed, government regulations prohibiting or restricting gatherings, capacity limits, public safety and health concerns, and other issues as a result of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, South Shore Yacht Club (the Club) was among the DPRC partners that were impacted; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the impacts of COVID-19, the Club is also dealing with the ongoing effects of the January 2020 storm, that was declared a Federal disaster, and destroyed nearly all of the Club's piers; and

WHEREAS, the combined effects of COVID-19, and the unrepaired North breakwater that results in ongoing damage to several piers, rendering them unusable to mooring, has led to a collateral loss of pier rentals and memberships; and

WHEREAS, the Club has requested rent relief in the amount of \$78,815.56, which was paid in 2020, and would be granted as a credit in 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance, at its meeting of September 17, 2021, recommended adoption of File No. 21-767 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture (DPRC), is hereby authorized to grant a credit to South Shore Yacht Club, in the amount of \$78,815.56 for 2021, due to the impacts of the Coronavirus Disease, and the continuing effects of the damaged North breakwater; and

BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes DPRC, the Department of Administrative Services, the Office of Corporation Counsel, the Comptroller, Office of the Comptroller, and any other department that may be necessary, to perform all actions required to carry out the actions authorized by this resolution.

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