LRB-FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

ITEM 26, FILE # 060380

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File # 060380 is a resolution relative to acceptance and funding of the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Grant.

Background

- 1. This resolution authorizes the Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) to accept and fund a Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Grant project from the Centers for Disease Control through the State of Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services.
- 2. MHD has set the strategic goal of eliminating lead poisoning by 2010.
- 3. This is a continuing grant.

Discussion

- 1. The purpose of this grant project is to support comprehensive and coordinated service delivery to lead-poisoned children and their families as well as to advance primary prevention initiatives.
- 2. Services funded through this grant include:
 - Screening
 - Laboratory analysis
 - Nursing case management
 - Environmental inspections
 - Community health education
 - Program management
- 3. This grant encompasses the period of July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

Fiscal Impact

- 1. The total of this grant is \$692,054, entirely from the grantor, and is a 6% increase over 2005 funding.
- 2. This grant (98%) funds the following 11 existing MHD positions with salary and fringe benefits:
 - 1 Home Environmental Health Manager (0.5 FTE), SG 09
 - 1 Environmental Health Field Supervisor, SG 05

- 3 Lead Risk Assessors II, SG 541
- 1 Office Assistant III, SG 425
- 2 Health Services Assistants, SG 425
- 1 Program Assistant II, SG 530
- 1 Lead Program Information Specialist, SG 558
- 1 Public Health Educator II, SG 593
- 3. Remaining grant funding (2%) is applied to office expenses including supplies and telephone and the required auto and uniform allowances.

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