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To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Milwaukee Room 205 – City Hall

Re:

Proposed Settlement of F.K., et al. v. City of Milwaukee, et al.

Case No.: 21-CV-306

Dear Council Members:

Enclosed please find a proposed resolution authorizing the contingent borrowing necessary for payment of the settlement amount regarding the claims asserted by the plaintiff in the abovenoted case against the City of Milwaukee and several members of the Milwaukee Police Department, as well as authorizing the settlement of said case. We respectfully request that the enclosed resolution also be referred to the appropriate committees for review.

On November 12, 2018, four-year old F.K. was sleeping in the back of her mother's minivan when her mother was arrested by City of Milwaukee Police Officers for an OWI offense. The vehicle was towed to the Milwaukee City Tow Lot with F.K. still sleeping in the back of the van. The temperature was freezing and it is estimated that F.K. was in the vehicle for seven hours prior to being found by a tow lot attendant.

Because settlement in this matter is deemed expeditious, we recommend payment of the proposed settlement amount of \$50,000.00, and have enclosed an appropriate resolution for your convenience.

Very truly yours,

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