RESOLUTION ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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Brent Sutherland- Director of Facilities Management DRAFTED BY

April 9, 2018 DATE DRAFTED

Retaining Architectural/Engineering Firm to Develop a Facilities Master Plan

WHEREAS, funds were budgeted in 2018 to develop a Facilities Master Plan addressing several departments that utilize a majority of the facilities square footage; and,

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Facilities Management Association recommended three companies that have developed similar County Facilities Master Plans in which they were pleased with the results; and,

WHEREAS, these three firms were invited to Rock County be interviewed and give a presentation to a panel consisting of members of Facilities Management, Sheriff's Office, Purchasing, Human Services and Administration; and,

WHEREAS, Venture Architects from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was the firm unanimously chosen based on experience conducting similar projects, team experience and bill rates.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an \$8,000 contingency also be approved to cover any needed changes in the scope of service.

Respectfully submitted,

GENERAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

Henry Brill, Chair

Jeremy Zanac, Wice Chair

Bob Yeomans

J. Russell Podzilni

Dave Homan

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FISCAL NOTE:

Sufficient funds were included in the 2018 for the cost of the Facilities Master Plan. This project is being funded by sales tax revenue.

Sherry Oja Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to take this action pursuant to secs. 59.01 and 59.51, Wis. Stats. Professional services are not subject to bidding requirements of § 59.52(29), Stats.

Richard Greenlee Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Josh Smith County Administrator

Executive Summary

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The resolution before you awards a contract to Venture/Architects of Milwaukee Wisconsin, to develop a County facilities Master Plan.

The plan will cover the departments that account for a large number of square footage and needs such as: Sheriff's Office, Human Services, Fairgrounds, 911, Information Technology, Medical Examiner, Council on Aging and Health Department.

Three firms were recommended by Wisconsin Facilities Management Association members who recently completed a County Facilities Master Plan in which they were pleased with the results.

These three firms were interviewed by a Rock County management team and Venture/Architects was chosen based on experience developing County Facilities Master Plans, staff qualifications and bill rate.