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**2019 RES-357**

**AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT BETWEEN DANE COUNTY AND GLOBAL TEL LINK CORPORATION, FOR DANE COUNTY JAIL INMATE TELEPHONE AND VIDEO VISITATION SERVICE**

**WHEREAS**, Dane County and its Sheriff are responsible for the keeping of the Dane County Jail and caring for the inmates therein, including the provision of access to telephone and video visitation service, and,

**WHEREAS**, the existing contract for jail inmate telephone service expires on December 8, 2019, and,

**WHEREAS**, Dane County engaged in a competitive bidding process for a vendor to provide jail telephone and video visitation service to inmates in the Dane County Jail, RFP 119019, to begin on December 9, 2019, and,

**WHEREAS**, Global Tel Link Corporation, d.b.a. GTL of Falls Church, VA, was the successful respondent in the aforementioned competitive solicitation process,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that a contract be awarded to GTL of Falls Church, VA, for jail telephone and video visitation service commencing on December 9, 2019 and continuing for five (5) years.

**NOW, BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, that the Dane County Executive and the Dane County Clerk are authorized to execute the necessary documents for the contract.