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AUTHORIZING A SERVICE AGREEMENT FOR VICTIM INFORMATION AND NOTIFICATION EVERYDAY (VINE) PROGRAM

Victim Information and Notification Everyday (VINE) is an automated notification system designed to provide crime victims and families up-to-date offender information. VINE allows victims of crime to use the telephone or the internet to search for information regarding their offender's custody status and register to receive telephone or e-mail notification when their offender's custody status changes. VINE notifications are one way crime victims, or the general public, can stay informed about the custody location and custody status of an offender, 24-hours a day, 7-days a week. Crime victims and concerned citizens can register to be notified by phone, email, text message (SMS) or TTY device when an offender's custody status changes. Users can also register through a toll-free number. This notification service is provided at no cost to the user.

VINE notification service is currently directly reimbursed through the inmate phone provider contract. Inmate phone service was bid late 2019 and the new contract is under negotiation. The Sheriff's Office requests authorization to reimburse Appris VINE directly for the automated notification system and when the inmate phone and video visitation contract is executed the phone vendor shall reimburse the Sheriff's Office monthly for the notification service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Executive and the Dane County Clerk are authorized to execute the necessary documents for a 5-year contract with Appris VINE for the provision of VINE automated notification service at a total cost not to exceed \$242,300 as follows:

Service Pricing: Term	Pricing
Term 1 (10/13/2019 – 10/12/2020)	\$45,634.97
Term 2 (10/13/2020 – 10/12/2021)	\$47,004.02
Term 3 (10/13/2021 – 10/12/2022)	\$48,414.14
Term 4 (10/13/2022 – 10/12/2023)	\$49,866.57
Term 5 (10/13/2023 – 10/12/2024)	\$51,362.57

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the requirement to solicit bids for this service is waived under ch. 25.08(18); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that \$45,635 is appropriated as additional revenue in the 2020 Budget in account line Sheriff's Office, Security Services Division, VINE Victim Notification (SHRFSEC NEW) and is credited to the General Fund; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that \$45,635 is transferred from the General Fund to account line Sheriff's Office, Security Services Division, VINE Victim Notification (SHRFSEC NEW).