2019 Request for Waiver of Bid Procurement

I. Program Description and Current Operations: BPHCC Dental Services

Name of Service Provider currently under contract: Dr. Kurt Silberschmidt, DDS Name of Contract Manager: Bill Brotzman Division: Badger Prairie Health Care Center Current Contract Total: \$38,500 for 2018 Name of Program (program description): Dental services to the facility residents including restorations, dentures, partial plates, extractions and cleaning

II. Chapter 25 of Dane County Ordinance codifies the County's purchasing and contracting process. Included in this chapter, 25.11(20) allows for exceptions to the competitive bidding process for a variety of reasons.

_X__ When unique and specific technical qualifications are required

III. State your rationale for request for waiver. Please be specific.

The facility is required to provide dental services on a regular basis pursuant to Federal and State statutes. Dr. Silberschmidt has been providing dental services since April, 2007 and has formed a therapeutic relationship with the facility's residents and continuing his service contract will ensure continuity of care.

The last RFP for the 2014 – 2018 contract period resulted in only one proposal, that being from the current provider. BPHCC residents require clinicians with specialized skills in dealing with various behavioral displays.