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**AMENDING POS CONTRACT TO THE MOORING PROGRAMS FOR ROOM AND BOARD
EXPENSES
DCDHS – BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DIVISION**

Wisconsin Medicaid funds residential treatment for substance use disorder for its members, however, the benefit only extends to the treatment activities. The room and board costs associated with residential treatment are not Medicaid reimbursable. Federal policy governing Medicaid does not allow for the reimbursement of anything other than what are classified as treatment expenses. The cost of the room and board at these providers is often a barrier to treatment for Medicaid members. Therefore, Dane County Department of Human Services has a number of contracts in place with Medicaid-approved residential treatment providers to pay for the room and board costs for Medicaid members and are Dane County residents. Due to the rate of utilization to date, the department must increase the contract with The Mooring Programs to an amount that is more than \$100,000. The room and board rate at The Mooring Programs is \$87.00 per day.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that The Mooring Programs POS contract be amended by \$83,862 to \$158,862, and that the County Executive and County Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to sign the amendment on behalf of Dane County, and that the Controller is authorized to issue payments related to the execution of the contract.