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Action: Tri-Party Research Collaboration Agreement

Pursuant to the authority described in and attendant to the City of Racine's COVID-19 Emergency Declaration, dated March 18, April 9, and April 20, 2020, I authorize and direct the below-described action be taken.

The Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to execute the Tri-Party Research Collaboration Agreement among The Medical College of Wisconsin, the Joan & Sanford I. Weill Medical College of Cornell University, and the City of Racine to conduct a study intended to validate a novel rapid diagnostic approach to tracking the presence of SARS-CoV-2 and diagnose COVID-19 from saliva samples.

Further, the Chief of the Racine Fire Department is authorized and directed to execute a Letter of Agreement regarding COVID 19 Research Testing between the City of Racine Fire Department and IAFF Local 321, which will provide for Racine Fire Department personnel to aid in the Tri-Party Research study.

<u>Fiscal Note</u>: Funding for this work is available in the Org-Object 45040-57200 - Building Improvements.

Dated at Racine, Wisconsin, this 26th day of June, 2020.

Office of the Mayor

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ATTEST:

By:

Tara Coolidge City Clerk