RESOLUTION NO. 2015-186			
SPONSOR Mr. Pry			
DATE May 11, 2015	COMMITTEE	Public Works	

A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute an agreement with the Ohio Department of Transportation for participation in the Credit Bridge Program for the Van Buren Road Bridge over the Tuscarawas River, at an estimated cost of \$342,000.00, for the Engineer, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the County Engineer finds a public need for the rehabilitation of the Van Buren Road Bridge over the Tuscarawas River, No. FRA-060-0372, located in the City of New Franklin, in Council District 7 ("Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Transportation ("ODOT"), in a letter dated April 8, 2015, deemed the Project to be eligible for the Credit Bridge Program; and

WHEREAS, the County Executive must execute the Credit Bridge Program scope of services form and adhere to ODOT Credit Bridge Program guidelines to remain eligible for the program; and

WHEREAS, the Credit Bridge Program allows counties to replace or rehabilitate a bridge that is not on a federal-aid highway and receive credit for up to 80 percent of the eligible construction costs and said credit can be used for future construction costs on a federal-aid bridge; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to execute an agreement with ODOT to participate in the Credit Bridge Program for the Van Buren Road Bridge over the Tuscarawas River;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Summit, State of Ohio, that;

SECTION 1

The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with the Ohio Department of Transportation ("ODOT") to participate in the Credit Bridge Program for the Van Buren Road Bridge over the Tuscarawas River, at an estimated cost of \$342,000.00. A copy of said agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

SECTION 2

This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the County of Summit, and for the further purpose to immediately allow the Executive to execute said agreement and allow the Engineer to receive credit towards a future bridge rehabilitation project in the City of New Franklin.

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SECTION 3
Provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members, it shall take effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Executive; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.
SECTION 4
It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.
INTRODUCEDApril 27, 2015
ADOPTED May 11, 2015 Lon Shogino
CLERK OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL
APPROVED May 12, 2015

ENACTED EFFECTIVE May 12, 2015

Voice Vote: 11-0 YES: Comunale, Crawford, Donofrio, Feeman, Kostandaras, Kurt, Lee, Prentice, Rodgers, Schmidt, Shapiro