ONDINANCE NO.	2012-007	
SPONSOR	Mr. Pry and Council of the Whole	
DATEMarch	5, 2012 COMMITTEE	Planning

An Ordinance amending Chapter 164A of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit, entitled "Port Authority," to change the name of the Summit County Port Authority to the Development Finance Authority of Summit County, effective April 1, 2012, to more accurately reflect its economic development activities, for the Executive, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, Chapter 164A of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit, entitled "Port Authority" created the Summit County Port Authority ("Port Authority") and sets forth the composition, roles, responsibilities and duties of the Port Authority; and

WHEREAS, since the adoption of Chapter 164A and the creation of the Port Authority thereunder, the Port Authority has accelerated its focus on economic development and economic development finance activities while eliminating its initial function of acquiring abandoned railroad lines located in the County of Summit; and

WHEREAS, in order to reflect its economic development finance activities, the County Executive recommends that the official name of the Summit County Port Authority be changed to the Development Finance Authority of Summit County effective April 1, 2012; and

WHEREAS, in order to implement the name change it is necessary to amend Chapter 164A; 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 amend Chapter 164A to change the name of the Summit County Port Authority to the Development Finance Authority of Summit County, effective April 1, 2012, to more accurately reflect its focus on economic development activities;

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

SECTION 1

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Chapter 164A of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit, entitled "Port Authority," is hereby amended as set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein as if fully restated.

SECTION 2

All other references to the Summit County Port Authority in the Codified Ordinances are hereby amended, effective April 1, 2012, to refer to the Development Finance Authority of Summit County and the Clerk of Council is authorized and directed to make said changes. All prior references to the Summit County Port Authority shall, effective April 1, 2012, mean the Development Finance Authority of Summit County.

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SECTION 3

This Ordinance 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 reason of immediately amending Chapter 164A to change the name of the Summit County Port Authority to the Development Authority of Summit County to allow the Development Authority to immediately begin using the new name on April 1, 2012.

SECTION 4

Provided this Ordinance 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 5

EXECUTIVE

It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance 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.

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ENACTED EFFECTIVE _____ March 5, 2012

Voice Vote: 2-0 YES: Comunale Cawford Frencisco, Kostandaras, Kurt Rodgers, Roemer, Schmidt ABSENT: Lee, Prentice, Shapiro

Voice Vote: 8-0 YES: Comunale, Crawford, Feeman, Kostandaras, Kurt Rodgers, Roemer, Schmidt ABSENT:Lee, Prentice, Shapiro