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A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to advance an additional payment of \$10,000.00 to the Northeast Ohio Trade & Economic Consortium in calendar year 2013, which will reduce the County's annual contributions to the Northeast Ohio Joint Office of Economic Development from \$25,000.00 to \$20,000.00 in calendar years 2015 and 2016, for the Executive's Department of Community and Economic Development, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 2013-008, this Council authorized the County's 2013 payment of \$25,000.00 to the Northeast Ohio Trade & Economic Consortium ("NEOTEC") for the County's annual contribution for operation of the Northeast Ohio Joint Office of Economic Development ("JOED"), which compensates NEOTEC for providing services to the JOED; and

WHEREAS, following discussions with NEOTEC and to facilitate the ongoing operation of the JOED, the County Executive has recommended that the County advance an additional payment of \$10,000.00 to NEOTEC in calendar year 2013, which will reduce the County's annual JOED contribution in calendar year 2015 and 2016 from \$25,000.00 to \$20,000.00; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County to authorize an additional payment of \$10,000.00 to NEOTEC in calendar year 2013, which will reduce the County's annual contributions for the operation of the JOED from \$25,000.00 to \$20,000 in calendar years 2015 and 2016;

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

SECTION 1

This Council hereby authorizes an additional advance payment of \$10,000.00 to the Northeast Ohio Trade & Economic Consortium ("NEOTEC") in calendar year 2013, which will reduce the County's annual contributions for the operation of the Joint Office of Economic Development ("JOED") from \$25,000.00 to \$20,000.00 in calendar years 2015 and 2016.

SECTION 2

This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the County of Summit, Ohio, and for the further reason that it will immediately authorize the aforementioned payment to be made to NEOTEC.

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.

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	6	It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
	7	to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
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١	9	deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action
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