

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2020-312

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3 SPONSOR Ms. Shapiro

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5 DATE October 5, 2020

COMMITTEE Personnel

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7 **A Resolution, pursuant to Section 169.04(i) of the Codified Ordinances of the County of**
8 **Summit, entitled "Temporary Hiring Freeze," to authorize the County Executive to hire a**
9 **Fiscal Officer, for the County Executive, and declaring an emergency.**

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11 WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Ordinance No. 2020-095, which enacted
12 Section 169.04(i) of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit, entitled, "Temporary
13 Hiring Freeze," due to the anticipated economic crisis and related budgetary concerns resulting
14 from the COVID-19 pandemic and the State of Ohio's Stay at Home Order; and

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16 WHEREAS, Section 169.04(i) provides that if a County office is able to demonstrate that
17 the filling of an existing position by hiring an employee is necessary for the effective and
18 continued operation of the office, Council may adopt a Resolution authorizing the office to hire
19 said employees; and

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21 WHEREAS, an employee in the position of Fiscal Officer, a non-bargaining unit position
22 in the Summit County Department of Finance and Budget, will be on extended leave,
23 necessitating the filling of another existing vacancy; and

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25 WHEREAS, because of the critical functions of said position, it is necessary for the
26 County Executive to fill the vacated Fiscal Officer position in order for the Summit County
27 Department of Finance and Budget to operate effectively and efficiently; and

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29 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,
30 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the County
31 Executive to hire a new Fiscal Officer;

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

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36 SECTION 1

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38 County Council hereby determines that the County Executive has demonstrated that it is
39 necessary for the effective and continued operation of the Summit County Department of
40 Finance and Budget to authorize, pursuant to Section 169.04(i) of the Codified Ordinances, the
41 hiring of a new Fiscal Officer.

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43 SECTION 2

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45 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
46 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit and for the further reason to immediately
47 authorize the County Executive to hire a new Fiscal Officer at the Summit County Department of
48 Finance and Budget to fill a vacancy.

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4 SECTION 3


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6 Provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members, it shall take
7 effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the County Executive; otherwise it shall
8 take effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.

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10 SECTION 4

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12 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
13 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
14 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,
15 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section
16 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

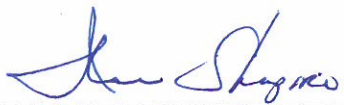
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19 INTRODUCED September 21, 2020

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25 CLERK OF COUNCIL


_____ PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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27 APPROVED October 6, 2020

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33 ENACTED EFFECTIVE October 6, 2020

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Voice Vote: YES: 11-0 Dickinson, Donofrio, Feeman, Koehler,
McKenney, Prentice, Rodgers, Schmidt, Sims, Walters, Wilhite