

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2015-017

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3 SPONSOR Mr. Pry, Ms. Shapiro

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5 DATE January 26, 2015 COMMITTEE Public Safety

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7 **A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute any documents necessary to**
8 **accept the award of a Violence Against Women Act grant from the Ohio Office of Public**
9 **Safety/Office of Criminal Justice Services, for the period 1/1/15 through 12/31/15, in the**
10 **amount of \$38,715.33 in federal funding, with a 25% local cash requirement, in the amount**
11 **of \$12,905.11, for a grant total of \$51,620.44, and appropriating supplemental funds, in the**
12 **amount of \$7,157.04, for a total program appropriation in the amount of \$58,777.48 for**
13 **2015, for the Prosecutor, and declaring an emergency.**

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15 WHEREAS, the Ohio Office of Public Safety/Office of Criminal Justice Services
16 (“OCJS”) has awarded a Violence Against Women Act (“VAWA”) grant of federal funds to the
17 County Prosecutor, in the amount of \$38,715.33, which requires a 25% local cash match
18 requirement in the amount of \$12,905.11, for the period 1/1/15 through 12/31/15; and

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20 WHEREAS, the grant award, in a total amount of \$51,620.44, reflects a decreased
21 amount due to reductions in the federal budget and accordingly, the VAWA program will require
22 supplemental funding, in the amount of \$7,157.04, to be paid from the Prosecutor’s General
23 Fund budget, for a total program operating budget of \$58,777.48; and

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25 WHEREAS, the local cash match requirement and supplemental funding have been
26 provided for in appropriations within the Prosecutor’s 2015 General Fund budget, as set forth in
27 Resolution No. 2014-515; and

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29 WHEREAS, VAWA program funding supports a victim advocate position, in order to
30 provide the mandated services to victims of crime; and

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32 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,
33 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to
34 execute any documents necessary to accept the awards of the aforementioned grant from OCJS
35 and to appropriate these grant funds and the required local cash match;

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

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40 SECTION 1

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42 The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to accept
43 the award of a Violence Against Women Act (“VAWA”) grant from the Ohio Office of Public
44 Safety/Office of Criminal Justice Services (“OCJS”), for the period 1/1/15 through 12/31/15, in
45 the amount of \$51,620.44, which includes a grant in the amount of \$38,715.33 and a local cash
46 match requirement in the amount of \$12,905.11. The expenditure of supplemental funds, in the
47 amount of \$7,157.04, to cover a decrease in the amount of grant funding for 2015 is hereby
48 authorized.

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4 SECTION 2

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6 Funds are hereby appropriated as follows:

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8 ACCOUNT No. DESCRIPTION AMOUNT
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PR VAWA 2015 Grant
23715-2619-13242 Grant Federal-State Pass-Thru \$38,715.33
23715-2619-13230 Local Match Funding \$20,062.15
Total PR VAWA 2015 Funding \$58,777.48

23715-2619-20501 Salaries – Pool Budget \$44,569.02
23715-2619-25501 Benefits - Pool Budget \$14,208.46
Total PR VAWA 2015 Expenditures \$58,777.48

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11 SECTION 3

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13 The County Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized and directed to effect the within
14 appropriations.

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16 SECTION 4

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18 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
19 welfare of the citizens of the County of Summit and for the further reason to immediately
20 authorize the Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept the award of a VAWA
21 grant from OCJS and to appropriate these 2015 VAWA grant funds, the local cash match
22 requirement and supplemental funds to cover a decrease in grant funding for 2015.
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24 SECTION 5

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

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32 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
33 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
34 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,
35 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section
36 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.
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5 INTRODUCED January 5, 2015

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7 ADOPTED January 26, 2015

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11 CLERK OF COUNCIL


12 PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

13 APPROVED January 27, 2015

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16 EXECUTIVE

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18 ENACTED EFFECTIVE January 27, 2015

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