

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2015-367

First Reading Passage Requested

(M. Rick)

2 SPONSOR Mr. Pry

3 DATE August 31, 2015

COMMITTEE Public Safety

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7 **A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute any documents necessary to**  
8 **accept an award from the State of Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction of**  
9 **State Fiscal Year 2016 and 2017 SMART Ohio Program grants for non-violent offender**  
10 **diversion, for the period 7/1/15 through 3/30/17, in a total amount not to exceed**  
11 **\$1,000,000.00, with no local cash match requirement, for the Court of Common Pleas-**  
12 **Adult Probation Department, and declaring an emergency.**

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14 WHEREAS, the State of Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction (“ODRC”)  
15 has awarded to the County of Summit State Fiscal Year (“SFY”) 2016 and 2017 SMART Ohio  
16 Program grants, for the period 7/1/15 through 3/30/17, in a total amount not to exceed  
17 \$1,000,000.00, with no local cash match requirement, to assist in diverting non-violent, felony  
18 offenders from prison; and

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20 WHEREAS, in SFY 2016, the award consists of up to four payments, in an amount not to  
21 exceed \$600,000.00, and in SFY 2017, the award consists of up to three payments, in an amount  
22 not to exceed \$400,000.00, for a total amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 during the grant  
23 period; and

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25 WHEREAS, it is necessary for the County Executive to execute documents necessary to  
26 accept the grant award; and

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28 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,  
29 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to  
30 execute any documents necessary to accept the SFY 2016 and 2017 SMART Ohio Program  
31 grants, for the period 7/1/15 through 3/30/17, in a total amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00, with  
32 no local cash match requirement;

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

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37 SECTION 1

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39 The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to accept  
40 the award from the State of Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction of State Fiscal  
41 Year (“SFY”) 2016 and 2017 SMART Ohio Program grants to assist in diverting non-violent,  
42 felony offenders from prison, for the period 7/1/15 through 3/30/17, in a total amount not to  
43 exceed \$1,000,000.00, with no local cash match requirement.

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45 SECTION 2

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47 This Resolution is declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare  
48 of the citizens of the County of Summit and for the further purpose of immediately authorizing  
49 the Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept the SFY 2016 and SFY 2017  
50 SMART Ohio grant funds.  
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5 SECTION 3

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

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11 SECTION 4

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13 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating  
14 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all  
15 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,  
16 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section  
17 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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20 INTRODUCED August 31, 2015

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22 ADOPTED August 31, 2015

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27 CLERK OF COUNCIL

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PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED September 1, 2015

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE September 1, 2015

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