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RESOLUTION NO.	2011-096	LATE FILING	
SPONSOR	Mr. Pry		
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A Resolution authorizing the Executive to execute an Agreement with the City of Tallmadge whereby the County of Summit Division of Building Standards will enforce Part Thirteen of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit, entitled "Building Code," which incorporates the 2006 Residential Code of Ohio and the 2007 Ohio Building Code, on behalf of and within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Tallmadge, for the Executive's Department of Community and Economic Development, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, in the interest of providing uniform building regulations throughout the State, has adopted the 2006 Residential Code of Ohio, which regulates residential structures, and the 2007 Ohio Building Code, which regulates non-residential structure; and

WHEREAS, the County of Summit Division of Building Standards, through Part Thirteen of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit, entitled "Building Code," (hereinafter "County Building Code") has adopted both the 2006 Residential Code of Ohio and the 2007 Ohio Building Code; and

WHEREAS, the County of Summit Division of Building Standards has been certified by the State of Ohio Board of Building Standards to exercise enforcement, inspecting and permitting authority pursuant to the County Building Code on behalf of and within townships and certain municipalities throughout Summit County; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tallmadge desires to enter into an agreement with the County setting forth the scope of duties, manner of performance and all essential terms and conditions whereby the County of Summit Division of Building Standards will enforce the County Building Code on behalf of and within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Tallmadge, and whereby the County of Summit Division of Building Standards shall have the authority to (i) accept and approve plans and specifications for residential and non-residential buildings, (ii) permit the erection, construction, repair and alteration of residential and non-residential structures, (iii) inspect the erection, construction, repair and alteration of residential and non-residential structures and (iv) enforce the provisions of the County Building Code as they pertain to residential and non-residential structures; and

WHEREAS, on or about March 10, 2011, the City of Tallmadge enacted Ordinance No. 33-2011 which authorized the Mayor to enter into an agreement with the County to authorize the County of Summit Division of Building Standards to enforce the County Building Code on behalf of and within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Tallmadge; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the Ohio Board of Building Standards will grant the application of the City of Tallmadge for certification of the County of Summit Division of Building Standards, pursuant to Section 3781.10(A) of the Ohio Revised Code, to enforce the County Building Code on behalf of and within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Tallmadge and to exercise all authority under Chapters 3781 and 3791 of the Ohio Revised Code on behalf of and within the City of Tallmadge; and

WHEREAS, given the uniformity of both the residential and non-residential building codes throughout the State of Ohio with the adoption of the 2006 Residential Code of Ohio and the 2007 Ohio Building Code, the actions contemplated by this Resolution will improve governmental efficiency and economy through consolidation of multiple governmental entities that perform the same code enforcement functions within the County; 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 the Executive to enter into an Agreement with the City of Tallmadge whereby the County shall enforce the County Building Code on behalf of and within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Tallmadge.

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

## **SECTION 2**

The County Executive is hereby authorized to enter into a comprehensive Agreement with the City of Tallmadge setting forth the scope of duties, manner of performance and all essential terms and conditions whereby the County of Summit Division of Building Standards will enforce the County Building Code on behalf of and within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Tallmadge, and whereby the County of Summit Division of Building Standards shall have the authority to (i) accept and approve plans and specifications for residential and non-residential buildings, (ii) permit the erection, construction, repair and alteration of residential structures, (iii) inspect the erection, construction, repair and alteration of residential and non-residential structures and (iv) enforce the provisions of the County Building Code as they pertain to residential and non-residential structures.

## **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 and for the further reason to immediately authorize the Executive to enter into the aforementioned agreement so that the consolidation with the City of Tallmadge may take place as expeditiously as possible.

## **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.

## **SECTION 4**

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

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