

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2012-088

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3 SPONSOR Mr. Pry

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5 DATE March 19, 2012 COMMITTEE Planning

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7 **A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute any documents necessary for the**
8 **County to act as an agent for the distribution of fuel fund assistance through the 2012-2014**
9 **Fuel Fund Grant Program established by the Ohio Edison Company, the Cleveland**
10 **Electric Illuminating Company and the Toledo Edison Company to assist low income**
11 **electric customers, for the Executive's Department of Community and Economic**
12 **Development, and declaring an emergency.**

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14 WHEREAS, the Ohio Edison Company, the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company
15 and the Toledo Edison Company have agreed to provide funding, as approved by the Public
16 Utilities Commission of Ohio in Case No. 08-935-EL-SSO, to implement and support a fuel fund
17 program to provide financial assistance to eligible customers toward payment of their electric
18 bill; and

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20 WHEREAS, the County Executive, through the Department of Community and
21 Economic Development, desires to serve as an agent for the Fuel Fund Grant Program
22 established by the companies in order to assist low income electric customers with credits from
23 the companies of up to \$300.00 per year toward their electric bill; and

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25 WHEREAS, this Council has determined by reviewing all pertinent information that it is
26 necessary and in the best interest of the County to authorize the County Executive to execute any
27 documents necessary for the County to act as an agent for the distribution of fuel fund assistance
28 through the 2012-2014 Fuel Fund Grant Program;

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

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33 SECTION 1

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35 The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary for the
36 County to act as an agent for the distribution of fuel fund assistance through the 2012-2014 Fuel
37 Fund Grant Program established by the Ohio Edison Company, the Cleveland Electric
38 Illuminating Company and the Toledo Edison Company to assist low income electric customers.

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40 SECTION 2

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42 This Resolution is declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare
43 of the citizens of the County of Summit and for the further purpose of immediately authorizing
44 the Executive to execute any documents for the County to act as an agent for the distribution of
45 fuel fund assistance through the 2012-2014 Fuel Fund Grant Program.

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47 SECTION 3

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

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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 of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

INTRODUCED March 5, 2012

ADOPTED March 19, 2012

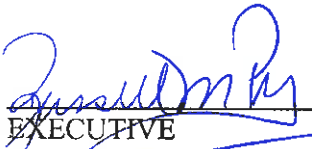


CLERK OF COUNCIL



PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED March 19, 2012



EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE March 19, 2012

Voice Vote: 8-0 YES: Feeman, Kostandaras, Kurt, Lee
Rodgers, Roemer, Schmidt, Shapiro. ABSENT: Comunale, Crawford, Prentice