RESOLUTION NO. 2013-496	<u>First Reading Passage Requested</u> (H. Miller)
SPONSORMr. Pry	
DATENovember 25, 2013	COMMITTEE Planning

A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept and appropriate an award from the State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency from the Household Sewage Treatment System Replacement Program, through the Ohio Water Development Authority, of supplemental reimbursing grant funds in the amount of \$56,000.00, with no local cash match requirement, for a grant period ending 12/31/14, and appropriating funds totaling \$56,000.00 for the period ending 12/31/13, for the Executive's Department of Community and Economic Development, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Resolution No. 2012-486, which authorized the County Executive to execute any documents necessary to appropriate all Household Sewage Treatment System Replacement ("HSTSR") Program grant funds, including carryover grant funds, in the amount of \$312,220.25, effective 1/1/13 through 6/30/14; and

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency ("OEPA") has advised the County of Summit that HSTSR Program supplemental reimbursing grant funds are available to the County, through the Ohio Water Development Authority ("OWDA"), for a grant period ending 12/31/14, in the amount of \$56,000.00, with no local cash match requirement; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the County Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept an award of the aforementioned HSTSR Program supplemental reimbursing funds, effective through 12/31/14, and to appropriate all HSTSR grant funds, in the amount of \$56,000.00, through 12/31/13; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept the award of the aforementioned HSTSR Program supplemental reimbursing grant funds from the OEPA, through the OWDA, in the amount of \$56,000.00, with no local cash match requirement, and to appropriate all HSTSR grant funds through 12/31/13;

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

## SECTION 1

The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to accept an award by the State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency ("OEPA") of Household Sewage Treatment System Replacement ("HSTSR") Program supplemental reimbursing grant funds, through the Ohio Water Development Authority ("OWDA"), for a grant period ending 12/31/14, in the amount of \$56,000.00, with no local cash match requirement.

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**SECTION 2** 

Funds are hereby appropriated as follows, effective through 12/31/13:

ACCOUNT NO DESCRIPTION AMOUNT

OEPA Septic Replacement Program

22028-6115-67029 Water & Sewer \$56,000.00

Grand Total – OEPA Septic Replacement Program \$56,000.00

**SECTION 3** 

The County Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized and directed to effect the within appropriation.

## **SECTION 4**

This Resolution is hereby declared 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 execute any documents necessary to accept the award of HSTSR Program supplemental reimbursing funds for the period 1/1/13 through 12/31/14 and to appropriate grant funds for the period through 12/31/13.

## **SECTION 5**

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 6**

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.

ADOPTED November 25, 2013

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

CLERK OF COUNCIL

November 26, 2013

APPROVED November 26, 2013

ENACTED EFFECTIVE

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