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SPONSOR Ms. Shapiro		
DATE January 30, 2017	COMMITTEE	Public Works
A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute a sanitary sewer Master Meter		

A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute a sanitary sewer Master Meter Agreement with the City of Akron, for the Executive's Department of Sanitary Sewer Services, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City of Akron ("Akron") provides treatment and disposal of sanitary sewer wastewater to substantial areas in the County's sanitary sewer service area; and

WHEREAS, the former sewage treatment agreement between Akron and the County has expired, and Akron is now contracting with each of its municipal sanitary sewer customers under a Master Meter Agreement ("Agreement") that contains the same term, rates and methodology for all those communities; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement shall set bulk sanitary sewer rates for treatment and disposal of sanitary sewer wastewater that shall be calculated according to an agreed methodology with yearly rates set every 4 years, starting at \$2.869/1,000 gallons of flow; and

WHEREAS, the term of the Agreement shall be until January 1, 2040; 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 County Executive to execute said Master Meter Agreement with Akron for the aforementioned reason;

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 the Master Meter Agreement ("Agreement") with the City of Akron ("Akron") that provides for treatment and disposal of sanitary sewer wastewater from defined areas in the County of Summit's sanitary sewer service area by Akron until January 1, 2040. The Executive is hereby authorized to execute said Agreement in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.

## **SECTION 2**

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 to immediately authorize the Executive to execute the Master Meter Agreement to treat and dispose of the sanitary sewer waste from certain areas in the County's sanitary sewer system.

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## **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 all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

INTRODUCED January 9, 2017	
ADOPTED January 30, 2017	
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CLERK OF COUNCIL	PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL
APPROVED January 31, 2017	

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE January 31, 2017

Voice Vote: YES 11-0 Crawford, Dickinson, Donofrio, Feeman, Hamilton, Koehler, Prentice, Rodgers, Schmidt, Walters, Wilhite