

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2020-306 First Reading Passage Requested
2 (P. Montgomery)
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4 SPONSOR Ms. Shapiro & Council of the Whole
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6 DATE September 21, 2020 COMMITTEE Human Services
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8 **A Resolution confirming an award by the Board of Control of Change Order No. 1 to a**
9 **professional service contract with the United Way of Summit and Medina fka United Way**
10 **of Summit County to provide 2-1-1 information and referral services to assist low income**
11 **families in accessing non-profit and government services to meet basic needs, for the period**
12 **10/1/19 through 9/30/20, in an amount not to exceed \$72,000.00 (for a cumulative increase**
13 **of 72%) for a total amount not to exceed \$172,000.00, for the Executive's Department of**
14 **Job and Family Services, and declaring an emergency.**
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16 WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Resolution No. 2019-333, which confirmed
17 an award by the Board of Control of a professional service contract with the United Way of
18 Summit and Medina fka United Way of Summit County (the "United Way"), as a Best Practical
19 Source, to provide 2-1-1 information and referral services to assist low income families in
20 accessing non-profit and government services to meet basic needs, for the period 10/1/19 through
21 9/30/20, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00; and
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23 WHEREAS, pursuant to the professional service contract, the United Way provides 2-1-1
24 information and referral services to assist low income families in accessing nonprofit and
25 government services to meet basic needs (such as food, affordable housing, utility assistance,
26 clothing and low cost health care services), as well as preventative services and resources to
27 attain self-sufficiency; and
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29 WHEREAS, 2-1-1 services are offered 24 hours a day, seven days a week and provide
30 information on over 10,300 different services for Summit County residents; and
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32 WHEREAS, the amount of calls for rent and utility assistance have increased
33 significantly due to the Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic; and
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35 WHEREAS, because these additional services are required, it is necessary to increase the
36 amount of the contract; and
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38 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held September 16, 2020, awarded
39 Change Order No. 1 to the professional service contract with the United Way, in an amount not
40 to exceed \$72,000.00 (for a cumulative increase of 72%) for a total amount not to exceed
41 \$172,000.00, subject to confirmation by this Council; and
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43 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information
44 that Change Order No. 1 to the aforementioned professional service contract with United Way is
45 necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit;
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47 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Summit, State
48 of Ohio, that:
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4 SECTION 1

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6 The award by the Board of Control of Change Order No. 1 to a professional service
7 contract with the United Way of Summit and Medina fka United Way of Summit County, as a
8 Best Practical Source, to provide 2-1-1 information and referral services to assist low income
9 families in accessing non-profit and government services to meet basic needs, for the period
10 10/1/19 through 9/30/20, in an amount not to exceed \$72,000.00 (for a cumulative increase of
11 72%) for a total amount not to exceed \$172,000.00, is hereby confirmed and the Executive is
12 hereby authorized to execute said professional service contract and any other necessary related
13 documents.

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15 SECTION 2

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17 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
18 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason to immediately
19 provide additional 2-1-1 information and referral services to assist low income families.

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21 SECTION 3

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

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27 SECTION 4

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29 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
30 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
31 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,
32 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section
33 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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36 INTRODUCED September 21, 2020

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38 ADOPTED September 21, 2020

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43 CLERK OF COUNCIL

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48 PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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50 APPROVED September 22, 2020

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54 EXECUTIVE

55 ENACTED EFFECTIVE September 22, 2020

Voice Vote: YES 10-0 - Dickinson, Donofrio, Feeman, Koehler,
McKenney, Rodgers, Schmidt, Sims, Walters, Wilhite
ABSENT: Prentice