

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2021-046

First Reading Passage Requested
(T. Smoot)

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE March 1, 2021

COMMITTEE Public Safety

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7 **A Resolution confirming the award by the Board of Control of a purchase contract for two**
8 **bomb suits and accessories for the Youngstown Bomb Squad and two bomb suits and**
9 **accessories for the Sheriff's Office, for a total of four bomb suits and accessories, for a total**
10 **amount not to exceed \$183,430.60, for the Executive's Department of Law and Risk**
11 **Management-Division of Public Safety, Emergency Management Agency, and declaring an**
12 **emergency.**

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14 WHEREAS, the County is the fiscal agent for the Law Enforcement State Homeland
15 Security Program ("LESHSP") grant for Ohio Homeland Security Region 5, which is comprised
16 of law enforcement agencies throughout 13 counties in northeast Ohio; and

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18 WHEREAS, expenditures for the LESHSP grant are determined by an Advisory
19 Committee, which has recommended the purchase of four bomb suits, two for the Youngstown
20 Bomb Squad and two for the Sheriff's Office; and

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22 WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Resolution No. 2020-241, which authorized
23 the Executive to advertise for bids for two bomb suits and accessories for the Youngstown Bomb
24 Squad and two bomb suits with accessories for Sheriff's Office, for a total of four bomb suits, for
25 an estimated total cost not to exceed \$200,000.00; and

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27 WHEREAS, said equipment will be fully grant-funded; and

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29 WHEREAS, after advertising for bids, the County receive one bid, from Safeware, Inc.
30 for the purchase of four bomb suits with accessories, two for the Youngstown Bomb Squad and
31 two for the Sheriff's Office, in an amount not to exceed \$183,430.60; and

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33 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held February 24, 2021, awarded a
34 purchase contract for said equipment with Safeware, Inc., in an amount not to exceed
35 \$183,430.60; and

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37 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,
38 that the aforementioned purchase contract with Safeware, Inc., is necessary and in the best
39 interest of the County of Summit; and

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

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44 SECTION 1

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46 The award by the Board of Control of a purchase contract with Safeware, Inc., for two
47 bomb suits and accessories for the Youngstown Bomb Squad and two bomb suits and accessories
48 for the Sheriff's Office, for a total of four bomb suits and accessories, for an amount not to
49 exceed \$183,430.60, is hereby confirmed and the Executive is hereby authorized to execute said
50 purchase contract and any other necessary related documents.
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4 SECTION 2

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6 This Resolution is declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety, and welfare
7 of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason that it authorizes the
8 Executive to immediately execute a purchase contract order to procure necessary equipment
9 within the grant performance period.

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11 SECTION 3

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

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17 SECTION 4

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19 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
20 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
21 deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were
22 in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section
23 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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26 INTRODUCED March 1, 2021

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28 ADOPTED March 1, 2021

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33 CLERK OF COUNCIL

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37 PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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39 APPROVED March 2, 2021

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EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE March 2, 2021

Voice Vote - YES 11-0: Darrow, DeVitis, Dickinson, Donofrio,
Feeman, McKenney, Rodgers, Schmidt, Sims, Walters, Wilhite