RESOLUTION NO. 2022-011

SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

DATE January 31, 2022 COMMITTEE: Public Safety

A Resolution authorizing the Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept the award from the State of Ohio Attorney General’s Office of a Federal Fiscal Year 2022 Victims of Crime Act grant, in the amount of $205,637.00, with a 20% local cash match requirement of $51,409.25, the period 10/1/21 through 9/30/22, for the Prosecutor, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the Prosecutor has received an award from the State of Ohio Attorney General’s Office of a Federal Fiscal Year 2022 Victims of Crime Act (“VOCA”) grant for the period 10/1/21 through 9/30/22, for a VOCA award total of $257,046.25; and

WHEREAS, the VOCA is an annual grant which helps to support salary and benefits for five full-time Victim Advocates; and

WHEREAS, the Prosecutor provides for the required VOCA grant match within her annual budget; and

WHEREAS, Section 130.04 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit requires this Council’s authorization for the execution of grant agreements when the County’s local cash match requirement exceeds $25,000.00; 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 VOCA grant from the State of Ohio Attorney General’s Office;

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

SECTION 1

The Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to accept the award from the State of Ohio Attorney General’s Office of a Federal Fiscal Year 2022 Victims of Crime Act (“VOCA”) grant for the period 10/1/21 through 9/30/22, in the amount of $205,637.00, with a 20% local cash match requirement of $51,409.25.

SECTION 2

This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare of the residents 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 the Federal Fiscal Year 2022 VOCA grant.

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
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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 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 January 3, 2022

ADOPTED January 31, 2022

APPROVED February 1, 2022

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE February 1, 2022

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