

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2022-044

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

4  
5 DATE February 28, 2022

6 COMMITTEE Finance

7 **A Resolution authorizing the Executive to execute, subject to the approval of the Board of**  
8 **Control and the Information Technology Board, a purchase contract with AT&T Mobility**  
9 **National Accounts, LLC, at State Term Pricing, for wireless voice, texting and data service**  
10 **plans, for a twenty-nine month term, from 3/1/22 through 7/31/24, with two options to**  
11 **renew for an additional two-year term, in an amount not to exceed \$625,000.00, for the**  
12 **Executive, and declaring an emergency.**

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14 WHEREAS, AT&T Mobility National Accounts, LLC (“AT&T”) provides wireless  
15 voice, texting and data service plans along with ancillary equipment services under the authority  
16 granted to it by the First Responder Network Authority (“FirstNet”) created by the United States  
17 Department of Commerce. FirstNet is designed to maximize the utility and dependability of  
18 wireless communications between first responders and the personnel and entities that support  
19 them; and

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21 WHEREAS, AT&T provides a wireless broadband network infrastructure dedicated  
22 solely to public safety entities and qualified users classified as FirstNet Primary Users and  
23 FirstNet Extended Primary Users; and

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25 WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 2020-40, the Executive entered into a purchase  
26 contract with AT&T, at National Association of State Procurement Officials (“NASPO”) pricing,  
27 for wireless voice, texting and data service plans for FirstNet Primary Users, FirstNet Extended  
28 Primary Users and other users, from 3/1/20 through 2/28/22, for a total amount not to exceed  
29 \$400,000.00, for the two-year term of the contract; and

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31 WHEREAS, AT&T has terminated the NASPO pricing term contract and entered into a  
32 Master Service Agreement (“MSA”) with the State of Ohio’s Department of Administrative  
33 Services (“DAS”) for a state term pricing contract for wireless voice, texting and data service  
34 plans for FirstNet Primary Users, FirstNet Extended Primary Users and other users; and

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36 WHEREAS, due to the COVID Pandemic, the Executive increased the number of  
37 FirstNet Primary Users and FirstNet Extended Primary Users from the original NASPO pricing  
38 contract; and

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40 WHEREAS, the Executive recommends that the County enter into a new purchase  
41 contract with AT&T, at DAS pricing, for a twenty-nine month term, from 03/1/22 through  
42 7/31/24, with two options to renew for an additional two-year term with each renewal, for a total  
43 amount not to exceed \$625,000.00, for the initial twenty-nine month term of the contract; and

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45 WHEREAS, the purchase contract with AT&T, at DAS pricing, is exempt from  
46 competitive bidding pursuant to Section 177.07(a)(6) of the Codified Ordinances of the County  
47 of Summit; and

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49 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,  
50 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to  
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4 execute, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and the Information Technology Board,  
5 the aforementioned purchase contract with AT&T;

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

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10 SECTION 1

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12 The Executive is hereby authorized to execute, subject to the approval of the Board of  
13 Control and the Information Technology Board, a purchase contract and any other necessary  
14 related documents with AT&T Mobility National Accounts, LLC, at the State of Ohio's  
15 Department of Administrative Services pricing, for wireless voice, texting and data service plans,  
16 along with ancillary equipment services, for a twenty-nine month term, from 3/1/22 through  
17 7/31/24, with two options to renew for an additional two-year term with each renewal, in an  
18 amount not to exceed \$21,551.72 per month, for a total amount not to exceed \$625,000.00 for  
19 the initial twenty-nine month term of the contract.

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21 SECTION 2

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23 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety, and  
24 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason that it immediately  
25 provides for wireless voice, texting and data service plans, along with ancillary equipment  
26 services, to employees of the County without interruption effective 3/1/22.

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28 SECTION 3

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

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34 SECTION 4


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36 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating  
37 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all  
38 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,  
39 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section  
40 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.  
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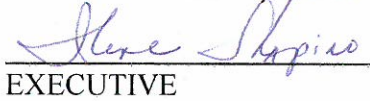
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5 INTRODUCED February 7, 2022

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7 ADOPTED February 28, 2022

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10 CLERK OF COUNCIL

  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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12 APPROVED February 28, 2022

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15 EXECUTIVE

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17 March 3, 2022

18 ENACTED EFFECTIVE

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