

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2024-021

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE January 29, 2024

COMMITTEE: Public Works

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7 **A Resolution authorizing the Executive to establish the intersection of Riverview Road and**
8 **Boston Mills Road, located in Boston Township, in Council District 1, a 4-way stop**
9 **intersection from April 5, 2024, to April 9, 2024, and thereafter said intersection shall**
10 **revert to a 2-way stop intersection with the stop signs installed for the eastbound and**
11 **westbound Boston Mills Road traffic, for the Engineer, and declaring an emergency.**

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13 WHEREAS, Section 5553.02 of the Ohio Revised Code grants authority to locate, alter,
14 or vacate roads to the board of county commissioners; and

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16 WHEREAS, Section 5553.04 of the Ohio Revised Code establishes the procedure for
17 establishing, altering, or vacating roads; and

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19 WHEREAS, Cuyahoga Valley National Park has asked the Engineer to assist in traffic
20 control by establishing a 4-way stop at the intersection at Riverview Road and Boston Mills
21 Road due to the increased vehicular and pedestrian traffic anticipated during the 2024 solar
22 eclipse; and

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24 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines after reviewing all pertinent information,
25 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County to authorize the Executive to establish
26 the intersection of Riverview Road and Boston Mills Road, located in Boston Township, in
27 Council District 1, a 4-way stop intersection from April 5, 2024, to April 9, 2024, and thereafter
28 said intersection shall revert to a 2-way stop intersection with the stop signs installed for the
29 eastbound and westbound Boston Mills Road traffic;

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

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34 SECTION 1

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36 The Executive is hereby authorized to establish the intersection of Riverview Road and
37 Boston Mills Road a temporary 4-way stop intersection for a period limited of April 5, 2024, to
38 April 9, 2024, after which said intersection shall revert to a 2-way stop intersection with the stop
39 signs installed for the eastbound and westbound Boston Mills Road traffic.

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41 SECTION 2

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43 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
44 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason that it ensure safe
45 travel for pedestrians, cyclists, motorists, and Cuyahoga Valley National Park employees during
46 the 2024 solar eclipse.

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48 SECTION 3

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50 Provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight (8) members, it shall take
51 effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Executive; otherwise, it shall take
52 effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.

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4 SECTION 4

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6 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
7 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
8 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,
9 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section
10 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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14 INTRODUCED January 29, 2024

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17 ADOPTED February 12, 2024

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24 APPROVED February 12, 2024

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30 February 13, 2024

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PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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EXECUTIVE

Voice Vote – YES: 9 – 0: Darrow,
Dickinson, Donofrio, McKenney,
Rodgers, Schmidt, Walters, Wiedie
Higham, Wilhite
Absent: DeVitis