

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2024-302

**First Reading Passage Requested**

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**(T. Burns)**

3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE November 18, 2024

COMMITTEE Human Services

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7 **A Resolution authorizing the Executive, subject to the approval of the Board of Control, to**  
8 **enter into a Subaward Agreement with United Way of Summit and Medina to administer**  
9 **homeless prevention financial assistance services from remaining Emergency Rental**  
10 **Assistance 2 funds in an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00, for the Executive’s**  
11 **Department of Job and Family Services, and declaring an emergency.**

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13 WHEREAS the County received funding to assist Summit County residents with rental  
14 payments during the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) pandemic emergency; and

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16 WHEREAS, some Emergency Rental Assistance 2 funds remain under that program; and

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18 WHEREAS, the Executive’s Department of Job and Family Services (“DJFS”) wishes to  
19 enter an agreement with United Way of Summit and Medina to provide homeless prevention  
20 financial assistance services in accordance with DJFS’s homeless prevention program; and

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22 WHEREAS, DJFS’s homeless prevention program services are targeted to Summit  
23 County residents that are homeless, or at risk of becoming homeless in less than 14 days, and  
24 focus on preventing eminent homelessness and/or quickly re-housing program participants  
25 through financial assistance and case management stabilization support

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27 WHEREAS, under this agreement, United Way of Summit and Medina will dispense  
28 payments, including but not limited to housing fees, security deposits, and rents on behalf of  
29 participants. Case management stabilization services will be provided under a separate existing  
30 agreement with United Way of Summit and Medina; and

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32 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting to be held on November 20, 2024, will  
33 consider the aforementioned Agreement; and

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35 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,  
36 that the aforementioned contract with United Way of Summit and Medina, subject to the  
37 approval of the Board of Control, for the above-referenced services, is necessary and in the best  
38 interest of the County of Summit;

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

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43 SECTION 1

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45 The Executive is hereby authorized, subject to the approval of the Board of Control, to  
46 execute an agreement with United Way of Summit and Medina in substantially to form set forth  
47 in Exhibit A, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated fully herein, for the distribution  
48 of Emergency Rental Assistance 2 funds for homeless prevention financial assistance services, in  
49 an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00.

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4 SECTION 2

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6 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and  
7 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason of immediately  
8 providing necessary assistance to County residents.

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10 SECTION 3

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

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16 SECTION 4

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

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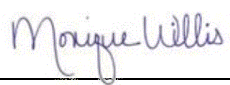
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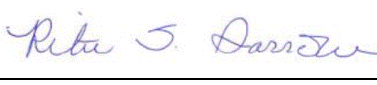
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Voice Vote – YES: 11 – 0: Darrow, Dickinson,  
Donofrio, Ford, Kacyon, McKenney, Rodgers,  
Schmidt, Wiedie Higham, Walters, Wilhite

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43 ENACTED EFFECTIVE November 19, 2024