

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-177

SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

DATE June 2, 2025

COMMITTEE Committee of the Whole

An Amended Resolution determining to proceed with the submission to the voters of the County of Summit the question of the renewal and increase of an existing tax levy for the purpose of mental health and recovery programs for children, adults, and families for the County service district, and for the acquisition, construction, renovation, financing, maintenance and operation of the Summit Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services (ADM) Board facilities, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1

This Council makes the following findings and determinations:

- (a) On April 28, 2025, this Council adopted Resolution No. 2025-139 (the “Resolution of Necessity”) declaring the necessity of submitting to the voters of the entire territory of the County the question of a tax levy in excess of the ten-mill limitation for the purpose of the renewal of an existing 2.95 mill tax levy and an increase of .5 mills, constituting a 3.45 mill levy (the “Tax Levy”) for the purpose of mental health and recovery programs for children, adults, and families for the County service district, and for the acquisition, construction, renovation, financing, maintenance and operation of the Summit Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services (ADM) Board facilities.
- (b) The Fiscal Officer has certified to this Council that the total current tax valuation of the County is \$18,475,205,110 and the 3.45 mills per each dollar of tax valuation specified in the Resolution of Necessity will generate \$46,539,037 of revenue per year in accordance with Section 5705.03 of the Ohio Revised Code.
- (c) This Council determines to proceed with the submission of the question of the Tax Levy to the voters of the entire territory of the County at the November 4, 2025 general election.
- (d) All formal actions of this Council relating to the enactment of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council, and all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 2

This Council authorizes and directs the Clerk of Council to deliver to the Board of Elections of Summit County a certified copy of this Resolution, a certified copy of the Resolution of Necessity, and the Fiscal Officer’s certificate no later than August 6, 2025, the 90th day before the November 4, 2025 general election.

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SECTION 3

The ballot form for this question will be substantially as follows:

A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.

A renewal of 2.95 mills and increase of .5 mills for each \$1 of taxable value to constitute a tax for the benefit of the County of Summit Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services (ADM) Board for the purpose of mental health and recovery programs for children, adults, and families for the County service district, and for the acquisition, construction, renovation, financing, maintenance and operation of the County of Summit Alcohol, Drug Addiction, and Mental Health Services (ADM) Board facilities, that the County Fiscal Officer estimates will collect \$46,539,037 annually, at a rate not exceeding 3.45 mills for each \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to ~~\$75.90~~ for each \$100,000.00 of the County Fiscal Officer's appraised value, for a period of six (6) years.

	FOR THE TAX LEVY
	AGAINST THE TAX LEVY

SECTION 4

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 timely certify the question to the Board of Elections in time for the November 4, 2025 election.

SECTION 5

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 effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.

INTRODUCED June 2, 2025

ADOPTED June 16, 2025

Signed by:

Monique Willis

~~CLERK OF COUNCIL~~

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Rita J. Darrow

~~PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL~~

APPROVED June 16, 2025

Signed by:

Gene Shapiro

~~EXECUTIVE~~

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

ENACTED EFFECTIVE June 17, 2025