

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2025-233

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE August 18, 2025 COMMITTEE Human Services

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7 **A Resolution confirming the award by the Board of Control of a professional service**
8 **contract with United Way of Summit and Medina, as a Best Practical Source, to provide**
9 **Adult Protective Services after hours call response and 2-1-1 information and referral line**
10 **services to assist low income families in accessing non-profit and government services to**
11 **meet basic needs, for the period 10/1/25 through 9/30/26, in an amount not to exceed**
12 **\$130,000.00, for the Executive's Department of Job and Family Services, and declaring an**
13 **emergency.**

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15 WHEREAS, it is crucial that Adult Protective Services call response services be provided
16 on a 24-hour basis covering all Department of Job and Family Services office closure times,
17 including weekday evenings and on weekends and holidays; and

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19 WHEREAS, 2-1-1 Information and Referral Line services assist low income families in
20 accessing nonprofit and government services to meet basic needs (such as food, affordable
21 housing, utility assistance, clothing and low cost health care services), as well as preventative
22 services and resources to attain self-sufficiency. 2-1-1 services are offered 24 hours a day, seven
23 days a week and provide information on over 16,203 different services for County residents; and

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25 WHEREAS, United Way of Summit and Medina is a Best Practical Source pursuant to
26 Sections 177.01(h)(4)D. and 177.07(a)(5) of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit
27 because it is the only organization that is able to support 24/7 call in phone lines for the above
28 referenced services and also has information on all the various programs and services offered to
29 County residents; and

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31 WHEREAS, the Executive wishes to execute a professional service contract with United
32 Way of Summit and Medina for these call in services; and

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34 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held August 13, 2025, awarded a
35 professional service contract with United Way of Summit and Medina, as a Best Practical
36 Source, to provide Adult Protective Services after hours call response and 2-1-1 information and
37 referral services to assist low income families in accessing non-profit and government services to
38 meet basic needs, for the period 10/1/25 through 9/30/26, in an amount not to exceed
39 \$130,000.00, subject to confirmation by this Council; and

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41 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information
42 that the aforementioned professional service contract with United Way of Summit and Medina is
43 necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit;

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

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4 SECTION 1

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6 The award by the Board of Control of a professional service contract with United Way of
7 Summit and Medina to provide Adult Protective Services after hours call response and 2-1-1
8 information and referral services to assist low income families in accessing non-profit and
9 government services to meet basic needs, for the period 10/1/25 through 9/30/26, in an amount
10 not to exceed \$130,000.00, is hereby confirmed and the Executive is hereby authorized to
11 execute said professional service contract and any other necessary related documents.

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13 SECTION 2

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15 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
16 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason to immediately
17 provide Adult Protective Services after hours call response and 2-1-1 information and referral
18 services to assist low income families effective 10/1/25.

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20 SECTION 3

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

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26 SECTION 4

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28 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
29 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
30 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,
31 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section
32 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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35 INTRODUCED August 18, 2025

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41 CLERK OF COUNCIL

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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