1 2	RESOLUTION	I NO. <u>2025-256</u>			
3	SPONSOR	Executive Shapiro			
5	DATE	September 8, 2025	COMMITTEE	Finance	

A Resolution confirming the award by the Board of Control of Change Order No. 4 to a purchase contract with Brinks, Inc., as Best Practical Source, to provide countywide armored car services, for the period of 1/1/25 to 6/30/26, or until an alternative solution is implemented, in an amount not to exceed \$141,000.00 (for a cumulative increase of 606%), for a total amount not to exceed \$353,000.00, for the Executive's Department of Budget and Finance, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Resolution No. 2010-270, for Brinks, Inc. armored car services and said services have continued to the present day; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Board of Control Directive No. 139-23, the last of four renewals with Brinks, Inc., were approved to provide countywide armored car service, in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00, which expired on June 30, 2023; and

WHEREAS, this Council subsequently adopted Resolution No. 2023-304, noting that despite seeking bids for armored car services, no vendors had submitted bids, and the Executive was authorized to execute Change Order No. 1 to a contract with Brinks, Inc. to provide additional services, for a one-year term, in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00, including additional services performed during the 7/1/22 to 6/30/23 contract term, exceeding the original amount (for a cumulative increase of 100.00%) for a total amount not to exceed \$100,000.00; and

WHEREAS, this Council subsequently adopted Resolution Nos. 2024-150, confirming the award of the Board of Control of Change Order No. 2, and 2024-203, confirming the award of the Board of Control of Change Order No. 3, authorizing the Executive to execute to agreements with Brinks, Inc. to provide additional services, for a cumulative increase of 308.00%, until 12/31/24 or until bidders are found and a new contract awarded, for a total amount not to exceed \$212,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Control at its meeting held on January 15, 2025, awarded a six month extension, from 1/1/25 until 6/30/25, to Brinks, Inc., as Best Practical Source, in the amount of \$45,000.00; and

 WHEREAS, in May of 2025 Brinks, Inc. notified the county of price increases of up to fourteen percent (14%) due to the impact of tariffs and the County and Brinks, Inc. engaged in price negotiations and were able to get the increase reduced to five percent (5%) as agreed to on June 13, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held on June 25, 2025, awarded funding from July of 2025 through October of 2025, in an amount not to exceed \$32,000.00 based on the newly negotiated price increase; and

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WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held on August 20, 2025, awarded Change Order 4, pursuant to Directive No. 213-25, incorporating the last two awards and the need for such services from 1/1/25 until 6/30/26, in an amount not to exceed \$141,000.00, for a total amount not to exceed \$353,000.00, (for a cumulative increase of 606%), from 7/1/22 to 6/30/26: and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned contract is a Best Practical Source pursuant to Section 177.07(a)(5) of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit due to the need for continued and timely service with no current alternatives available to the County; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that the aforementioned change order to a contract with Brinks, Inc. is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit;

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

## **SECTION 1**

The award by the Board of Control of Change Order No. 4 to a purchase contract with Brinks, Inc., as Best Practical Source, to provide countywide armored car services, for the period of 1/1/25 to 6/30/26, or until an alternative solution is implemented, in an amount not to exceed \$141,000,00 (for a cumulative increase of 606.00%), for a total amount not to exceed \$353,000.00, for the period of 7/1/22 to 6/30/26, is hereby confirmed and the Executive is hereby authorized to execute said change order and any other necessary related documents.

## **SECTION 2**

This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of health, safety and welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason that it is necessary to continue to provide countywide armored car services.

## **SECTION 3**

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.

## **SECTION 4**

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

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