

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2026-035

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE February 9, 2026 COMMITTEE Public Safety

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7 **A Resolution authorizing the Executive to execute a Mutual Aid Agreement with the City**  
8 **of Norton, and other governmental entities within the County of Summit, for the provision**  
9 **of services by the Sheriff's Major Crime Scene Investigative Unit, for the Sheriff, and**  
10 **declaring an emergency.**

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12 WHEREAS, Section 311.29 of the Ohio Revised Code authorizes a county to enter into  
13 an agreement with a municipality for the provision of police services by a county sheriff; and

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15 WHEREAS, through Resolution No. 2022-159, Council authorized the execution of a  
16 Mutual Aid Agreement for the provision of services by the County Sheriff's Major Crime Scene  
17 Investigative Unit with the Cities of Tallmadge and Twinsburg; and

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19 WHEREAS, the County and the City of Norton wish to execute a Mutual Aid  
20 Agreement, for the services described above in a form similar to Exhibit A attached hereto; and

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22 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,  
23 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to  
24 execute the aforementioned Mutual Aid Agreement with the City of Norton and other  
25 municipalities as deemed appropriate;

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

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30 SECTION 1

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32 The Executive is hereby authorized to execute a Mutual Aid Agreement with the City of  
33 Norton, and other governmental entities within the County of Summit, for the provision of  
34 services by the Sheriff's Major Crime Scene Investigative Unit. The Executive is hereby  
35 authorized to execute said Mutual Aid Agreements in substantially the same form as attached to  
36 this Resolution as Exhibit A.

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38 SECTION 2

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40 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and  
41 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit and for the further reason to immediately  
42 authorize the Executive to execute any documents necessary for the aforesaid Mutual Aid  
43 Agreements.

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45 SECTION 3

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

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5 SECTION 4

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8 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating  
9 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all  
10 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,  
11 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including section  
12 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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14 INTRODUCED February 9, 2026

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CLERK OF COUNCIL

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PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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EXECUTIVE

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