

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2026-085

**First Reading Passage Requested**

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**(S. Byrne)**

3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE March 30, 2026

COMMITTEE Finance

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7 **A Resolution, subject to approval by the Board of Control, of a blanket purchase order**  
8 **with MNJ Technologies Direct, Inc., at State Term Pricing, subject to ratification by the**  
9 **Information Technology Board, for information technology equipment, in an amount not**  
10 **to exceed \$343,000.00, for the Office of Information Technology, and declaring an**  
11 **emergency.**

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13 WHEREAS, the Office of Information Technology desires to ensure that the County has  
14 sufficient information technology equipment for use by its employees and recommends the  
15 approval of a blanket purchase order with MNJ Technologies Direct, Inc., at State Term Pricing,  
16 subject to ratification by the Information Technology Board, for said equipment, in an amount  
17 not to exceed \$343,000.00; and

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19 WHEREAS, due to fluctuating pricing, the Office of Information is requesting a blanket  
20 purchase order of \$343,000.00 in order to purchase an annual asset refresh for the County,  
21 including Lenovo laptops to replace outdated equipment; and

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23 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting to be held on April 1, 2026, will  
24 consider the aforementioned purchase contract; and

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26 WHEREAS, the Information Technology Board, at its meeting to be held on April 9,  
27 2026, will consider the aforementioned purchase contract; and

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29 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,  
30 that the aforementioned blanket purchase order with MNJ Technologies Direct, Inc., is necessary  
31 and in the best interest of the County of Summit;

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

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36 SECTION 1

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38 The Executive is hereby authorized to execute, subject to approval by the Board of  
39 Control, a blanket purchase order and any other necessary related documents with MNJ  
40 Technologies Direct, Inc., at State Term Pricing, subject to ratification by the Information  
41 Technology Board, for information technology equipment, in an amount not to exceed  
42 \$343,000.00.

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44 SECTION 2

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46 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and  
47 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason to immediately  
48 provide for necessary information technology equipment for County employees to continue to  
49 provide services to the residents of Summit County.

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4 SECTION 3

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

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10 SECTION 4

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12 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating  
13 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all  
14 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,  
15 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section  
16 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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19 INTRODUCED March 30, 2026

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21 ADOPTED March 30, 2026

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23 Signed by:  
24 Monique Willis

25 CLERK OF COUNCIL

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27 APPROVED March 30, 2026

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29 Signed by:  
30 Gene Shapiro

31 EXECUTIVE

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33 ENACTED EFFECTIVE March 31, 2026

Signed by:  
Erin Dickinson

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

Voice Vote – YES: 9 – 0: Darrow, Donofrio,  
Higham, Kacyon, Licate, McKenney, Schmidt,  
Walters, Wilhite  
Absent: Dickinson, Ford