

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2026-135

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE April 27, 2026 COMMITTEE Public Safety

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7 **A Resolution confirming the award by the Board of Control of Change Order No. 2 to a**
8 **purchase contract with Avertest, LLC dba Averhealth for on-site drug screen testing**
9 **services, from 12/15/24 through 12/14/25, with an amount not to exceed \$16,919.90, (for a**
10 **cumulative increase of 37.84%), for a total amount not to exceed \$297,485.90, for the Court**
11 **of Common Pleas-General Division, Adult Probation Department, and declaring an**
12 **emergency.**

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14 WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Resolution No. 2024-314, which authorized
15 the Executive to execute a contract for drug testing services with Avertest, LLC dba Averhealth
16 (“Averhealth”), for the Court of Common Pleas (the “Court”), for a one-year term, from
17 12/14/24 through 12/15/25, in an amount not to exceed \$215,820.00; and

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19 WHEREAS, this Council subsequently adopted Resolution No. 2025-302, which
20 authorized the Executive to execute Change Order No. 1 to a contract with Averhealth, to
21 provide drug testing services to criminal defendants, from 12/15/24 through 12/14/25, in an
22 amount not to exceed \$64,746.00, (for a cumulative increase of 30.00%), for a total amount not
23 to exceed \$280,556.00; and

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25 WHEREAS, the Court utilized Averhealth drug testing services for criminal defendants
26 more than previously anticipated; therefore, the Court exceeded the original not to exceed
27 amount; and

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29 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held on April 15, 2026, awarded
30 Change Order No. 2 to a contract with Averhealth, to provide drug testing services to criminal
31 defendants, from 12/15/24 through 12/14/25, in an amount not to exceed \$16,919.90, (for a
32 cumulative increase of 37.84%), for a total amount not to exceed \$297,485.90, subject to
33 confirmation by this Council; and

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35 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,
36 that the aforementioned change order to a purchase contract with Avertest, LLC dba Averhealth
37 is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit;

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

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42 SECTION 1

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44 The award by the Board of Control of Change Order No. 2 of a purchase contract with
45 Avertest, LLC dba Averhealth for on-site drug screen testing services, from 12/15/24 through
46 12/14/25, in an amount not to exceed \$16,919.90, (for a cumulative increase of 37.84%), for a
47 total amount not to exceed \$297,485.90, is hereby confirmed and the Executive is hereby
48 authorized to execute said change order and any other necessary related documents.

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4 SECTION 2

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6 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
7 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason to immediately
8 provide and pay for necessary drug screen testing services for the Court of Common Pleas-
9 General Division, Adult Probation Department.

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11 SECTION 3

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

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17 SECTION 4

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19 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
20 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
21 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,
22 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section
23 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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26 INTRODUCED April 27, 2026

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28 ADOPTED May 11, 2026

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Signed by:
Monique Willis

CLERK OF COUNCIL

Signed by:
Erin Dickinson

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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35 APPROVED May 11, 2026

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Signed by:
Steve Shapiro

EXECUTIVE

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

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42 ENACTED EFFECTIVE May 12, 2026