RESOLUTION NO. 2014-189

SPONSOR Mr. Pry

DATE May 12, 2014 COMMITTEE Personnel

A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute a three-year agreement with the City of Akron for the County’s participation in Akron’s drug and alcohol testing agreement with SUMMA Health System, dba SUMMA Center for Corporate Health, for the period 1/1/14 through 12/31/16, for the Executive’s Department of Human Resources, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City of Akron (“Akron”) entered into an agreement with SUMMA Health System, dba SUMMA Center for Corporate Health, an Ohio non-profit corporation (“SUMMA”), for the provision of certain professional services to provide the collection, testing and medical review services for drug and alcohol testing; and

WHEREAS, Akron has offered the County the opportunity to fully participate in Akron’s drug and alcohol testing agreement with SUMMA, for the period 1/1/14 through 12/31/16, which will reduce costs and increase the efficiency of operations for both Akron and the County; and

WHEREAS, in order for the County to participate in Akron’s drug and alcohol testing services, it is necessary for the City and County to execute an agreement setting forth the duties and responsibilities of the parties and binding the County to the terms and conditions of Akron’s agreement with SUMMA; and

WHEREAS, Section 177.07(a)(10) of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit authorizes the County to participate in “[c]ontracts for the acquisition of utilities, equipment, materials, supplies or services upon the same financial terms as a contract entered into by another political subdivision of the State of Ohio provided that the contract entered into by the other political subdivision was awarded pursuant to a request for proposals or a competitive selection procedure of that political subdivision;” and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the County Executive to execute an agreement with Akron for the County’s participation in Akron’s drug and alcohol testing agreement with SUMMA for the period 1/1/14 through 12/31/16;

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

SECTION 1

The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with the City of Akron (“Akron”) for the County’s participation in Akron’s drug and alcohol agreement with SUMMA Health System, dba SUMMA Center for Corporate Health (“SUMMA”), for the period 1/1/14 through 12/31/16. The Executive is hereby authorized to pay the drug and alcohol testing fees set forth in Akron’s agreement with SUMMA for testing of County employees.
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SECTION 2

This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the County of Summit, and for the further reason to immediately authorize the Executive to execute an agreement with Akron for the County’s participation in Akron’s agreement with SUMMA for drug and alcohol testing and realize immediate savings and efficiency.

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.

INTRODUCED April 28, 2014

ADOPTED May 12, 2014

CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED May 13, 2014

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE May 13, 2014

Voice Vote: 11-0 YES: Comunale, Crawford, Feeman, Kostandaras Kurt, Lee, Prentice, Rodgers, Roemer, Schmidt, Shapiro