RESOLUTION NO. 2014-399

SPONSOR Mr. Pry

DATE September 8, 2014

COMMITTEE Public Safety

A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute an amendment to a professional service contract with the County of Summit Court of Common Pleas Domestic Relations Division, subject to the approval of the Board of Control, for a IV-D provider contract to allow the Child Support Enforcement Agency to reimburse the Court for expenses related to magistrate services, for the period 7/1/14 through 12/31/14, for a new unit rate of $83.29, in an amount not to exceed $408,129.68, with a federal participation rate of $269,365.59 and a local cash match requirement of $138,764.09, for the Prosecutor – Child Support Enforcement Agency, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Resolution No. 2014-123, which confirmed an award by the Board of Control of a professional service contract with the Court of Common Pleas Domestic Relations Division for a IV-D provider contract to allow the Child Support Enforcement Agency to reimburse the court for expenses related to magistrate services, for the period 1/1/14 through 12/31/14, with a unit rate of $66.34, in an amount not to exceed $663,107.46, with a federal participation rate of $417,850.93 and a local cash match requirement of $215,256.53 (the “IV-D contract”); and

WHEREAS, the unit rate of $66.34 was preliminary based on the completion of a time study; and

WHEREAS, the time study has since been finalized and produced a higher unit rate of $83.29, which will allow the Domestic Relations Division to receive greater reimbursement for the provided services during the period 7/1/14 through 12/31/14; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the County Executive to execute an amendment to the IV-D contract with the Domestic Relations Division, subject to the approval of the Board of Control, to implement the new unit rate of $83.29, for the period 7/1/14 through 12/31/14, for a new unit rate of $83.29, in an amount not to exceed $408,129.68, with a local cash match requirement of $138,764.09; 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 Executive to execute the amendment to the IV-D contract with the Domestic Relations Division, subject to the approval of the Board of Control, for the aforementioned reason;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Summit, State of Ohio, that:
RESOLUTION NO. 2014-399
PAGE TWO

SECTION 1

The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute an amendment to a professional service contract with the County of Summit Court of Common Pleas Domestic Relations Division, subject to the approval of the Board of Control, for a IV-D provider contract to allow the Child Support Enforcement Agency to reimburse the Court for expenses related to magistrate services, for the period 7/1/14 through 12/31/14, for a new unit rate of $83.29, in an amount not to exceed $408,129.68, with a federal participation rate of $269,365.59 and a local cash match requirement of $138,764.09 (the “IV-D contract amendment”).

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 the IV-D contract amendment to increase the unit for the reimbursement of magistrate services effective 7/1/14.

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 September 8, 2014

ADOPTED September 8, 2014

CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED September 9, 2014

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE September 9, 2014

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