ORDINANCE NO. 2014-570

SPONSOR Mr. Pry

DATE December 8, 2014

COMMITTEE Rules

First Reading Passage Requested
(J. Dodson)

An Ordinance amending Sections 177.05, 177.06, and 177.08 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit to allow for an online/electronic bid procurement process or system for the solicitation of competitive bids and proposals, for the Executive’s Department of Finance and Budget – Division of Purchasing, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the County Executive has recommended certain revisions to Chapter 177 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit, entitled “Board of Control; Contract Procedures;” to allow for the solicitation of bids and proposals through an online/electronic bid procurement process or system; and

WHEREAS, such online/electronic bid procurement process or system should provide efficiencies in the Division of Purchasing’s purchasing process and provide for a streamlined and less costly process for potential vendors; 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 amend Sections 177.05, 177.06, and 177.08 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit as recommended by the Executive;

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

SECTION 1

Sections 177.05, 177.06, and 177.08 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit are hereby amended as set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2

The Ordinance 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 of immediately amending Chapter 177 in order to immediately implement a more efficient purchasing system in the County.

SECTION 3

Provided this Ordinance 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.
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SECTION 4

It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance 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 December 8, 2014

ADOPTED December 8, 2014

CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED December 9, 2014

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE December 9, 2014

Voice Vote: 8-0 YES: Comunale, Crawford, Feeman, Kurt, Lee, Roemer, Schmidt, Shapiro
ABSENT: Kostandaras, Prentice, Rodgers