

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2015-493

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3 SPONSOR Mr. Pry

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5 DATE NOVEMBER 23, 2015

COMMITTEE: Public Safety

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7 **A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to execute any documents necessary to**
8 **accept the award from the State of Ohio Attorney General's Office of a Federal Fiscal Year**
9 **2015 Victims of Crime Act grant, in the amount of \$269,402.86, with a local cash match**
10 **requirement of \$67,350.73, and a State Victims Assistance Act grant in the amount of**
11 **\$3,470.00, with no local cash match requirement, both for the period 10/1/15 through**
12 **9/30/16, and appropriating funds, for the Prosecutor, and declaring an emergency.**

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14 WHEREAS, the County Prosecutor's Office has received an award from the State of
15 Ohio Attorney General's Office of a Federal Fiscal Year 2015 Victims of Crime Act ("VOCA")
16 grant for the period 10/1/15 through 9/30/16, in the amount of \$269,402.86, which has a 20%
17 local cash match requirement of \$67,350.73, for a VOCA award total of \$336,753.59; and

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19 WHEREAS, the Prosecutor's Office has also received an award from the State of Ohio
20 Attorney General's Office of a Federal Fiscal Year 2015 State Victims Assistance Act
21 ("SVAA") grant for the period 10/1/15 through 9/30/16, in the amount of \$3,470.00, with no
22 local cash match requirement, and for which the Ohio Attorney General's Office requires an
23 accounting identity separate from the VOCA award; and

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25 WHEREAS, the VOCA and SVAA are annual grants which help to support salary and
26 benefits for three full-time and two part-time Victim Advocates, part of the Director of Victim
27 Services, one administrative assistant (Avery II's handler), as well as laptops, a printer, victim
28 services materials, and victim transportation services providing advocacy services to crime
29 victims in Summit County; and

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31 WHEREAS, the Prosecutor's Office provides for the required VOCA grant match within
32 its annual budget; and

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34 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,
35 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to
36 execute any documents necessary to accept the award of the aforementioned grants from the
37 State of Ohio Attorney General's Office and to appropriate these grant funds;

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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 County Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to accept
45 the award from the State of Ohio Attorney General's Office of a Federal Fiscal Year 2015
46 Victims of Crime Act ("VOCA") grant for the period 10/1/15 through 9/30/16, in the amount of
47 \$269,402.86, with a local cash match requirement of \$67,350.73.

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4 SECTION 2

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6 The County Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to accept
7 the award from the State of Ohio Attorney General's Office of a of a Federal Fiscal Year 2015
8 State Victims Assistance Act ("SVAA") grant for the period 10/1/15 through 9/30/16, in the
9 amount of \$3,470.00, with no local cash match requirement.

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13 Federal Fiscal Year 2015 VOCA and SVAA funds and matches are hereby appropriated
14 as follows:

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	<u>ACCOUNT NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
	PR VOCA-SVAA	0915 Funding	
	24016-2617-13242	VOCA Grant-Federal-State Pass thru	\$269,402.86
	24016-2620-13242	SVAA Grant-Federal-State Pass thru	\$3,470.00
	24016-2617-13230	VOCA Match- General Fund	<u>\$67,350.73</u>
	Total PR VOCA-SVAA	0914 Funding	\$340,223.59
	PR VOCA-SVAA	0915 Expenditures	
	24016-2617-20501	Salaries-Pool Budget	\$220,274.08
	24016-2617-25501	Benefits-Pool Budget	\$98,914.11
	24016-2620-25501	Benefits-Pool Budget	\$3,470.00
	24016-2617-25501	Supplies-Pool Budget	\$16,565.40
	24016-2617-25501	Other-Pool Budget	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
	Total PR VOCA-SVAA	0914 Expenditures	\$340,223.59

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21 SECTION 4

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23 The County Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized and directed to effect the within
24 appropriations.

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26 SECTION 5

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28 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
29 welfare of the citizens of the County of Summit and for the further reason to immediately
30 authorize the Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept the award of the Federal
31 Fiscal Year 2015 VOCA and SVAA grants and to appropriate these grant funds.

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33 SECTION 6

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

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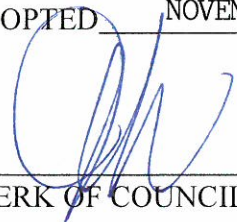
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SECTION 7

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 November 9, 2015

ADOPTED NOVEMBER 23, 2015



CLERK OF COUNCIL



PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED NOVEMBER 24, 2015



EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 24, 2015

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