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RESOLUTION NO. 2022-109			
SPONSOR <u>Executive Shapiro</u>			
DATE_ April 25, 2022	COMMITTEE	Public Works	

A Resolution approving the time, place and expense of the Engineer's annual meeting of county and township authorities on May 3, 2022, at Richfield Heritage Preserve Lodge, located in the Village of Richfield, in Council District 1, in an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00, for the Engineer, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, Section 5543.06 of the Ohio Revised Code mandates that the Engineer annually call a meeting of all county and township authorities who are directly involved with the construction and repair of roads and bridges within the county, at a time and place approved by this Council; and

WHEREAS, the Summit County Township Association has requested that the Engineer hold this meeting on Tuesday, May 3, 2022, at 6:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, facilities at Richfield Heritage Preserve Lodge, located at 4374 Broadview Road in the Village of Richfield, in Council District 1, have been proposed by the Engineer as an appropriate place to hold the meeting; and

WHEREAS, Prosecutor's Opinion 89-084 concludes that the cost of a dinner meeting for said event is a proper expenditure, payable from the Engineer's road and bridge funds; and

WHEREAS, Section 177.25 (b) of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit permits certain entities, including the Engineer, to make expenditures not exceeding \$2,000.00 annually for employee training, organization, strategic planning meetings and meetings of boards and commissions; and

WHEREAS, Section 177.25 (c) of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit requires Council approval for all expenditures for hospitality items for purposes other than the aforementioned purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer intends to expend funds in an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00 for the aforementioned meeting, which is not included in the categories for which an annual \$2,000.00 expenditure without Council approval is authorized; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that approving the time and place of the Engineer's 2022 annual meeting of county and township authorities, and approving expenditures in an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00, is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit;

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

SECTION 1

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This Council hereby approves the time and place of the Engineer's annual meeting of county and township authorities, with the meeting to be held on Tuesday, May 3, 2022, at 6:00

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SECTION 1 (Continued)

p.m. at the facilities of Richfield Heritage Preserve Lodge at 4374 Broadview Road in the Village of Richfield, Council District 1.

SECTION 2

This Council hereby approves a purchase order in the amount of \$5,000.00 for hospitality items, including a catered dinner, for the Engineer's 2022 annual meeting of county and township authorities. The expenditure of \$5,000.00 for such purposes is hereby approved.

SECTION 3

This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further purpose of promoting communication among Summit County's townships and the County.

SECTION 4

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 5

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 April 11, 2022

ADOPTED April 25, 2022

CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED April 26, 2022

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE April 28, 2022

PRÉSIDENT OF COUNCIL

Voice Vote - YES: 11-0: Darrow, DeVitis, Dickinson, Donofrio, Feeman, McKenney, Rodgers, Schmidt, Sims, Walters, Wilhite