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SPONSOR <u>Executive Shapiro</u>		
DATE May 23, 2022	COMMITTEE	Human Services

A Resolution authorizing the Executive to advertise for bids for Non-Emergency Medical Transportation providers, for an estimated total cost not to exceed \$3,500,000.00, for the Executive's Department Job and Family Services, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the Executive's Department of Job and Family Services coordinates and monitors the Non-Emergency Medical Transportation ("NET") services for eligible Summit County Medicaid clients through NET providers via portal-to-portal-to-portal transportation, which is funded by federal pass-through Medicaid dollars; and

WHEREAS, Section 177.05 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Summit requires this Council's authorization for the Executive to advertise for bids; and

WHEREAS, the Executive wishes to advertise for bids for NET providers for an estimated total cost not to exceed \$3,500,000.00 with the contract period, once awarded, being 10/1/22 to 9/30/23, with two options to renew for an additional one-year term; and

WHEREAS, a copy of the bid specifications is on file in the Clerk of Council's office; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to advertise for bids for NET providers;

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

SECTION 1

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-144

The Executive is hereby authorized to advertise for bids for Non-Emergency Medical Transportation providers, for an estimated total cost not to exceed \$3,500,000.00.

SECTION 2

This Resolution is declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason that it authorizes the Executive to immediately advertise for bids so that necessary Non-Emergency Medical Transportation services may be provided during the grant period.

SECTION 3

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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.

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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 Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and 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 May 9, 2022

ADOPTED May 23, 2022

CLERK OF COUNCIL

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED May 24, 2022

EXECUTIVE

ENACTED EFFECTIVE May 24, 2022

Voice Vote - YES: 10-0: Darrow, DeVitis, Dickinson, Donofrio, McKenney, Rodgers, Schmidt, Sims, Walters, Wilhite