

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2022-265

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE September 19, 2022

COMMITTEE Human Services

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7 **A Resolution confirming the award by the Board of Control of a purchase contract with**  
8 **the Metro Regional Transit Authority, to provide Non-Emergency Medical Transportation**  
9 **Broker services for a one-year term, from 10/1/22 through 9/30/23, with two options to**  
10 **renew for additional one-year terms, in an amount not to exceed \$670,000.00, for the**  
11 **Executive's Department of Job and Family Services, and declaring an emergency.**

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13 WHEREAS, the Executive's Department of Job and Family Services' ("DJFS") wishes to  
14 enter an agreement with the Metro Regional Transit Authority to provide Non-Emergency  
15 Medical Transportation ("NET") Transport Broker services. NET provides state mandated  
16 transportation services for Medicaid eligible Summit County residents to medical appointments,  
17 both in and out of the county, for critical services such as are renal dialysis and chemotherapy;  
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20 WHEREAS, the Metro Regional Transit Authority will provide call center services to  
21 accept calls from DJFS NET customers and schedule transportation with DJFS contracted  
22 transportation providers, according to customer mobility assistance requirements; and

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24 WHEREAS, NET Transport Broker services will also ensure transportation providers  
25 maintain all required service documentation, licensures, driver qualifications, driver trainings,  
26 insurance coverage and vehicle standards in accordance with state regulations; and

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28 WHEREAS, said contract will be paid utilizing State and Federal Medicaid pass-through  
29 funding which is considered 100% reimbursable; and

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31 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held August 24, 2022, a purchase  
32 contract with the Metro Regional Transit Authority, to provide Non-Emergency Medical  
33 Transportation Broker services for a one-year term, from 10/1/22 through 9/30/23, with two  
34 options to renew for additional one-year terms, in an amount not to exceed \$670,000.00, subject  
35 to confirmation by this Council; and

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37 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information  
38 that the aforementioned purchase contract with the Metro Regional Transit Authority is  
39 necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit;

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

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44 SECTION 1

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46 The award by the Board of Control of a purchase contract to the Metro Regional Transit  
47 Authority for Non-Emergency Medical Transportation ("NET") Broker services for a one-year  
48 term from 10/1/22 through 9/30/23, with two options to renew for additional one-year terms, in  
49 an amount not to exceed \$670,000.00, is hereby confirmed and the Executive is hereby  
50 authorized to execute said purchase contract and any other necessary related documents.

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4 SECTION 2

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6 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and  
7 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason to immediately  
8 provide for NET Broker services by the Metro Regional Transit Authority effective 10/1/22.  
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10 SECTION 3

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12 Provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members, it shall take  
13 effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Executive; otherwise, it shall take  
14 effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.  
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16 SECTION 4

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18 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating  
19 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all  
20 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,  
21 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section  
22 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.  
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25 INTRODUCED August 29, 2022

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27 ADOPTED September 19, 2022

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32 CLERK OF COUNCIL

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38 PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

39 APPROVED September 19, 2022

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42 EXECUTIVE

43 ENACTED EFFECTIVE September 21, 2022

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

ABSENT: Darrow