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RESOLUTION NO. 2023-114	
SPONSOR <u>Executive Shapiro</u>	
DATE April 24, 2023	COMMITTEE Public Works

A Resolution authorizing the Executive to execute a grant agreement with the Summit County Combined General Health District d.b.a. Summit County Public Health, for a grant, in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00, for the purpose of constructing a shelter and additional lanes for drive up testing and vaccinations, for the Executive, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) has had and will continue to have a significant impact on the health and wellbeing of the residents of Summit County, and has created a need to make certain alterations and improvements to facilities to ensure the safety of the employees in and users of those facilities; and

WHEREAS, Summit County Combined General Health District d.b.a. Summit County Public Health ("Summit County Public Health"), an agency that provides many critical health services to members of the community, has made and will continue to make changes to its facilities and operations ("Capital Improvements") in order to provide these services in an environment that is safe for its employees and clients; and

WHEREAS, Summit County Public Health has identified the need for a shelter and additional lanes at their headquarters located as 1867 West Market Street in the City of Akron to expand safe drive up testing and vaccination clinics (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Executive wishes to enter in to a grant agreement with Summit County Public Health, in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 for the Project; 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 authorize the Executive to execute a grant agreement with Summit County Public Health in the amount of \$1,500,000.00 for the Project;

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

SECTION 1

The Executive is hereby authorized to execute a grant agreement with the Summit County Combined General Health District d.b.a. Summit County Public Health ("Summit County Public Health") in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00, for the purpose of constructing a shelter and additional lanes for drive up testing and vaccinations (the "Project").

SECTION 2

This Resolution is declared to be an emergency in the interest of the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the County of Summit and for the further reason to immediately authorize the Executive to enter into a grant agreement with Summit County Public Health to fund the Project in order to provide expanded critical health services to members of the community in an environment that is safe for employees and clients.

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SECTION 3

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 4

APPROVED

May 1, 2023

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 legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

INTRODUCED_April 24, 2023	
ADOPTED May 1, 2023	
Leaven March CLERK OF COUNCIL	PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

May 2, 2023 ENACTED EFFECTIVE