1   RESOLUTION NO. _____2023-307_____
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3   SPONSOR_____Executive Shapiro_____
4
5   DATE_____October 16, 2023_____   COMMITTEE___Public Works_____
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7   **A Resolution authorizing the Executive to enter into a Cooperative Agreement with the**
8   **City of Barberton to improve Wooster Road West, located in the City of Barberton, in**
9   **Council District 7, in an amount not to exceed $250,000.00 in County funds, for the**
10   **Executive and Engineer, and declaring an emergency.**
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12   WHEREAS, the City of Barberton in cooperation with the Ohio Department of
13   Transportation ("ODOT") has developed and funded a project on Wooster Road West to reduce
14   the four through lanes to two through lanes and a two-way left turn lane and add wider sidewalks
15   to increase pedestrian safety (the "Project"); and
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17   WHEREAS, the proposed improvement crosses two Summit County owned bridges
18   SUM-11-0270 (over Hudson Run) and SUM–10–0361 (over Wolf Creek) that need to be
19   rehabilitated to accommodate the reduced pavement width and increased sidewalk width; and
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21   WHEREAS the total cost of the project is estimated to be $8,991,351.90 and the
22   County's cost is not to exceed $250,000.00; and
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24   WHEREAS, it is necessary for the parties to execute an intergovernmental agreement to
25   set forth the rights and duties of the parties concerning the design and construction of the Project,
26   as detailed in Exhibit A, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein as if fully
27   restated; and
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29   WHEREAS, the City of Barberton will administer the Project; and
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31   WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,
32   that the acceptance and approval of the Project is necessary and in the best interest of the County
33   of Summit;
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35   NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Summit, State
36   of Ohio, that;
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38   SECTION 1
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40   The Executive is hereby authorized to execute an agreement of cooperation with the City
41   of Barberton to outline responsibilities and financial contributions for the Wooster Road West
42   Improvement Project, located in the City of Barberton, Council District 7**,** in an amount not to
43   exceed $250,000.00 in County funds. A copy of said agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit A
44   and incorporated fully herein, with such modifications and revisions as shall be in furtherance of
45   the provisions of said Cooperative Agreement and not substantially adverse to the County, all of
46   which shall be conclusively evidenced by the execution thereof by the Executive
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48   SECTION 2
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50   This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
51   welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason that it immediately
52   facilitates safety improvements in the City of Barberton, in Council District 7.

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4 SECTION 3

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6 Provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members, it shall take

7 effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Executive; otherwise, it shall take

8 effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.

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10 SECTION 4

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12 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating

13 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all

14 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,

15 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section

16 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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19 INTRODUCED_____October 16, 2023_____

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21 ADOPTED_____October 30, 2023_____

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25 CLERK OF COUNCIL   PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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27 APPROVED_____October 30, 2023_____

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31 EXECUTIVE

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33 ENACTED EFFECTIVE _____October 31, 2023_____

Voice Vote – YES: 11 – 0: Darrow, DeVitis, Dickinson, Donofrio, McKenney,
Rodgers, Schmidt, Sims, Walters, Wiedie Higham, Wilhite