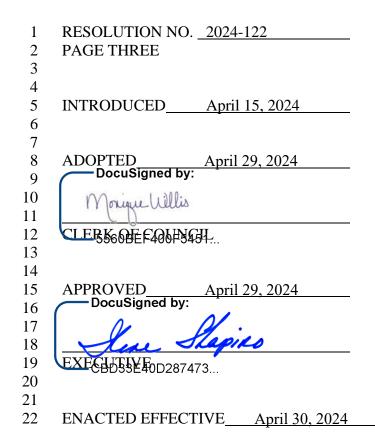
1	RESOLUTION NO. 2024-122		
2 3 4	SPONSOR Executive Shapiro		
5	DATE April 15, 2024	COMMITTEE	Human Services
6 7 8 9 10	A Resolution supporting the Ohio Commis (AMERICA 250-OH), establishing the Sun designating the Summit County liaison, for emergency.	mit County AMERIC	A 250 Committee, and
11 12 13 14 15	WHEREAS, On July 4, 2026, the Unite anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of to begin preparations for such a momentous cel	Independence on July 4,	
16 17 18 19	WHEREAS, this historic milestone is an opportunity to reflect on our nation's past, honor the contributions of all Americans, and look ahead toward the future we want to create for the next generation and beyond; and		
20 21 22 23	WHEREAS, the United States Congress established the U.S. Semiquincentennial commission in 2016 to plan and orchestrate the 250 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations throughout the United States of America; and		
23 24 25 26 27 28	WHEREAS, the Ohio General Assembly and Governor created AMERICA 250-OH in Ohio Revised Code Section 149.309 to plan, encourage, develop, and coordinate the commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the United States and Ohio's integral role in that event and the role of its people on the nation's past, present and future; and		
29 30 31 32	WHEREAS, AMERICA 250-OH strive through a variety of programs, projects and ev celebrating Ohio's contributions to the nation o	ents through 2026 by ins	piring future leaders and
32 33 34 35 36 37	WHEREAS, Summit County has much to contribute to the nation's 250th anniversary, our rich history includes significant moments in the nation's evolution like Sojourner Truth's famous plea for equality, abolitionist John Brown's home for many years, and the manufacturing location for the four major tire manufacturers; and		
38 39 40 41 42	WHEREAS, today, Summit County is Museum, Goodyear Tire and Rubber and the A also produced many notable Americans, includ and astronaut Judith Resnik; and	ll-American Soapbox De	erby. Summit County has
43 44 45	WHEREAS, residents, nonprofits, busin participate in this momentous celebration; and	nesses, and other organiz	ations are encouraged to
45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLV of Ohio, that:	ED by the Council of the	County of Summit, State

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4	SECTION 1
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6	Summit County hereby establishes a local AMEDICA 250 Summit County Committee
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7	made up of a diverse group of residents to work with AMERICA 250-OH on any and all activities
8	within Summit County. The participants of the Summit County Committee will be strictly
9	voluntary roles and there will be no compensation for participation.
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11	SECTION 2
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13	Summit County hereby designates the President of the Summit County Historical Society
14	as the Summit County liaison, who will serve as the point of contact for all local organizations,
15	stakeholders, and communities within Summit County, and the Executive and this Council may
16	designate additional liaisons through subsequent legislation.
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20	The Clerk of Council is hereby directed to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Summit
21	County Statehouse and Congressional delegations and the AMERICA 250-OH Commission
22	headquarters, located at 41 S. High St., Suite 250, Columbus, OH 43215.
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24	SECTION 4
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26	This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and
27	welfare of the residents and employees of the County of Summit and for the further purpose of
28	immediately encouraging preparations for the United States Semiquincentennial celebrations.
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30	SECTION 5
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32	Provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight (8) members, it shall take
33	effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Executive; otherwise, it shall take effect
34	and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.
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36	SECTION 6
37	SLETION
38	It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating
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	to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all
40	deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were
41	in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22
42	of the Ohio Revised Code.
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RESHIERATE OF 28943NCIL

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