1 RESOLUTION NO. 2024-127 2 3 SPONSOR <u>Executive Shapiro</u> 4 5 DATE April 15, 2024 COMMITTEE Finance 6 7 A Resolution authorizing the Executive to execute any documents necessary to accept 2024 Northeast Ohio Public Energy Council (NOPEC) Energized Community Grants, in the 8 9 amount of \$8,265.00, with no local cash match requirement, for the Executive, and 10 declaring an emergency. 11 12 WHEREAS, the County of Summit, Ohio is a member of the Northeast Ohio Public 13 Energy Council ("NOPEC") and is eligible for one or more NOPEC Energized Community 14 Grant(s) for 2024, ("NEC Grant(s)") as provided for in the NEC Grant Program guidelines; and 15 16 WHEREAS, the Executive wishes to enter into a grant agreement with NOPEC in 17 substantially the same form presented to the Executive to receive one or more NEC Grant(s); and 18 19 WHEREAS, the NEC grant program is available beginning in February 2024 to help the 20 County to fund energy projects designed to achieve savings on the community's utility bills for vears to come; and 21 22 23 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, 24 that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit to authorize the Executive to 25 execute any documents necessary to accept a NEC Grant(s) from NOPEC, in the amount of 26 \$8,265.00, with no local cash match requirement; 27 28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Summit, State 29 of Ohio, that: 30 31 **SECTION 1** 32 33 The Executive is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to accept 2024 34 Northeast Ohio Public Energy Council Energized Community Grants, in the amount of 35 \$8,265.00, with no local cash match requirement. 36 37 **SECTION 2** 38 39 This Resolution is declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and welfare 40 of the residents of the County of Summit and for the further purpose of immediately authorizing 41 the acceptance of a necessary grant to fund energy projects in Summit County. 42 43 **SECTION 3** 44 45 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 46 47 effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law. 48 49 50 51 52

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7	It is found and determined that all form	al actions of this Council concerning and relating
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11	121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.	
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