



## MINUTES

CUYAHOGA COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING

TUESDAY, MAY 18, 2021

CUYAHOGA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE HEADQUARTERS

C. ELLEN CONNALLY COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 4<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR

1:00 PM

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

**Chairman Gallagher called the meeting to order at 1:01 p.m.**

### 2. ROLL CALL

**Mr. Gallagher asked Deputy Clerk Carter to call the roll. Committee members Gallagher, Conwell, Tuma, Jones and Simon were in attendance and a quorum was determined. Councilmembers Baker and Miller were also in attendance.**

### 3. PUBLIC COMMENT

**There were no public comments submitted.**

### 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE MARCH 30, 2021 MEETING

A motion was made by Ms. Simon, seconded by Ms. Conwell and approved by unanimous vote to approve the minutes from the March 30, 2021 meeting.

### 5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

- a) R2021-0119: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 865 with Sadler-NeCamp Financial Services, Inc. dba PROWARE for general computer system support, software maintenance and support, licensing, training and related services for the period 2/1/2016 – 12/31/2020 to extend the time period to 12/31/2025 and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$15,453,910.00; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents

consistent with this Resolution and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

**Ms. Linda Lagunzad, Assistant Administrator of Corrections Planning Board; Mr. Thomas Arnaut, Director of Information Systems for Common Pleas Court; Ms. Colleen Brown, Director of Fiscal Operations for Common Pleas Court, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2021-0119. Discussion ensued.**

**Committee members and Councilmembers asked questions of Ms. Lagunzad, Mr. Arnaut and Ms. Brown, pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.**

**On a motion by Ms. Conwell with a second by Mr. Jones, Resolution No. R2021-0119 was considered and approved by unanimous vote to be referred to the full Council agenda with a recommendation for passage under second reading suspension of the rules.**

- b) R2021-0120: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Agreement No. 1095 with City of Cleveland for cellular 9-1-1 Public Safety Answering Point services origination in the City of Cleveland for the period of 10/20/2014 – 10/19/2019 to extend the time period to 5/31/2021 and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$967,500.00; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

**Mr. Alex Pellom, Director of the Department of Public Safety & Justice Services, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2021-0120. Discussion ensued.**

**Committee members and Councilmembers asked questions of Mr. Pellom pertaining to the item, which he answered accordingly.**

**On a motion by Ms. Conwell with a second by Mr. Gallagher, Resolution No. R2021-0120 was considered and approved by unanimous vote to be referred to the full Council agenda with a recommendation for passage under second reading suspension of the rules.**

## 6. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

- a) Introduction of County Sheriff and staff

**Mr. Christopher Viland, Sheriff, introduced himself and the following staff to the Committee: Ms. Ronda Gibson, Administrator of Corrections; Ms. Michelle Henry, Warden; Capt. Donald Gerome, Deputy Sheriff Captain; and Ms. Donna Kaleal, Manager of Business Services.**

b) Update on County Jail

**Sheriff Viland provided the Committee with an update on the County jail, use of force and de-escalation training, jail security operations, body scanners, K-9 protection units, first aid and suicide prevention. Discussion ensued.**

**Committee members and Councilmembers asked questions of Sheriff Viland pertaining to the item, which he answered accordingly.**

7. ADJOURNMENT

**With no further business to discuss, Chairman Gallagher adjourned the meeting at 2:05 p.m., without objection.**