



AGENDA
CUYAHOGA COUNTY HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES & AGING
COMMITTEE MEETING
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2023
CUYAHOGA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE HEADQUARTERS
C. ELLEN CONNALLY COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 4TH FLOOR
1:00 PM

Committee Members:

Yvonne M. Conwell, Chair – District 7
Martin J. Sweeney, Vice Chair – District 3
Cheryl L. Stephens – District 10
Meredith M. Turner – District 9
Dale Miller – District 2

- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. PUBLIC COMMENT**
- 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE MARCH 22, 2023 MEETING** [See Page 7]
- 5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE**
 - a) R2023-0076: A Resolution awarding a total sum, not to exceed \$10,000, to Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. for the Infusing Lived Expertise into System-Level Housing Solutions Project from the District 9 ARPA Community Grant Fund; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective. [See Page 11]
 - b) R2023-0085: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 1031 with Americab Transportation, Inc. for non-emergency transportation services for ambulatory Medicaid-eligible individuals in Cuyahoga County for the period 3/1/2021 – 2/28/2023 to extend the time period to 2/29/2024, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,000,000.00; 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. [See Page 20]

- c) R2023-0086: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for the Cuyahoga OPTIONS for Independent Living Services Program for the period 7/1/2021 – 12/31/2022, to extend the time period to 12/31/2023, to remove two providers, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,476,500.00, effective of the last date of signature of the parties; 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: [See Page 23]

For additional funds:

- 1) Contract No. 1381 with A-1 Health Care, Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$281,000.00.
- 2) Contract No. 1406 with Connect America in the anticipated amount of \$116,000.00.
- 3) Contract No. 1408 with Evolving Nurse in the anticipated amount of \$21,000.00.
- 4) Contract No. 1410 with Solutions Premier Services in the anticipated amount of \$177,000.00.
- 5) Contract No. 1411 with Rose Centers for Aging Well in the anticipated amount of \$120,000.00.
- 6) Contract No. 1413 with Senior Transportation Connection in the anticipated amount of \$155,000.00.
- 7) Contract No. 1414 with Tobi Transportation in anticipated the amount of \$97,000.00.
- 8) Contract No. 1415 with Transport Assistance in the amount of \$25,000.00.
- 9) Contract No. 1416 with Renaissance Home Health Care in the amount not-to-exceed \$105,200.00.
- 10) Contract No. 1421 with Family & Community Services in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00.
- 11) Contract No. 1423 with XCEL Healthcare Providers, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$150,000.00.

- 12) Contract No. 1424 with Purfoods, LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$442,000.00.
- 13) Contract No. 1425 with Addus Healthcare in the amount not-to-exceed \$24,000.00.
- 14) Contract No. 1426 with Valued Relationships, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$155,000.00.
- 15) Contract No. 1430 with U-First Homecare Services in the amount not-to-exceed \$81,000.00.
- 16) Contract No. 1434 with ABC International Services, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$21,300.00.
- 17) Contract No. 1435 with Casleo Corporation in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,276,000.00.
- 18) Contract No. 1437 with First Choice Medical Staffing in the amount not-to-exceed \$64,000.00.
- 19) Contract No. 1439 with Geocare, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00.
- 20) Contract No. 1440 with Caring Hearts Health Services in the amount not-to-exceed \$18,000.00.
- 21) Contract No. 1441 with Healthy Home Care Transportation in the amount not-to-exceed \$18,000.00.
- 22) Contact No. 1444 with Home Care Relief Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$190,000.00.
- 23) Contract No. 1445 with LHC Group in the anticipated amount pf \$54,000.00.

To remove:

- 1) Honor and Compassion Homecare, LLC
- 2) RX Home Healthcare, Inc.

- d) R2023-0087: A Resolution making an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,654,343.00 for diversion services in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 2872 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective. [See Page 29]

- e) R2023-0088: A Resolution making an award on RQ8737 to Joseph’s Home in the amount not-to-exceed \$605,000.00 for building rehabilitation and homeless prevention strategies in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 2873 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective. [See Page 32]

- f) R2023-0089: A Resolution making an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,798,000.00 for building rehabilitation in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 7/1/2022 – 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 3137 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective. [See Page 35]

- g) R2023-0090: A Resolution authorizing amendments to agreements and contracts with various providers for various programs and services for the Cuyahoga County Fatherhood Initiative for the period 4/1/2021 – 3/31/2023 to extend the time period to 3/31/2024 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$825,500.00; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendments and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective: [See Page 38]

Agreements:

- 1) Agreement No. 1046 with Cuyahoga County District Board of Health in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00 for the Prevent Premature Fatherhood Program.

- 2) Agreement No. 1058 with The MetroHealth System in the amount not-to-exceed \$44,000.00 for the Boot Camp for New Dads Program.

Contracts:

- 3) Contract No. 1054 with Career Development and Placement Strategies, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00 for the Rising Above Program.
- 4) Contract No. 1061 with The Centers for Families and Children in the amount not-to-exceed \$83,000.00 for the Families and Fathers Together Program.
- 5) Contract No. 1055 with The Children's Museum of Cleveland in the amount not-to-exceed \$32,000.00 for the Dad's Court Program.
- 6) Contract No. 1057 with Domestic Violence and Advocacy Center dba Journey Center for Safety and Healing in the amount not-to-exceed \$117,000.00 for the Supervised Visitation Program.
- 7) Contract No. 1056 with JDC Advertising in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00 for a Public Awareness Campaign.
- 8) Contract No. 1059 with Murtis Taylor Human Services System in the amount not-to-exceed \$60,000.00 for the Strong Fathers Program.
- 9) Contract No. 1060 with Passages Connecting Fathers and Sons, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00 for the Jobs for Dads Program.
- 10) Contract No. 1062 with Towards Employment in the amount not-to-exceed \$97,500.00 for the Fatherhood Career Pathway Program.
- 11) Contract No. 1063 with University Settlement, Incorporated in the amount not-to-exceed \$52,000.00 for the Healthy Fathering Program.

6. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

7. ADJOURNMENT

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MINUTES

CUYAHOGA COUNTY HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES & AGING
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1:00 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairwoman Conwell called the meeting to order at 1:17 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Ms. Conwell asked Assistant Deputy Clerk Georgakopoulos to call the roll. Committee members Conwell, Sweeney, Stephens, Turner and Miller were in attendance and a quorum was determined.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments given.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE MARCH 8, 2023 MEETING

A motion was made by Ms. Turner, seconded by Mr. Sweeney and approved by unanimous vote to approve the minutes from the March 8, 2023 meeting.

5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

- a) R2023-0062: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 2958 with Kaiser Group (DE) LLC dba Dynamic Workforce Solutions for Title I Business Services in connection with the Federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act for the period 1/1/2023 – 6/30/2024 to expand the scope of services to provide program support and financial services for the Cuyahoga County Skill-Up Program and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$1,250,000.00, effective 4/1/2023; 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. David Merriman, Director for the Department of Health and Human Services; Mr. Paul Herdeg, Director, Mr. Vaughn Johnson, Deputy Director and Ms. Laura Simms, Business Services Manager for the Department of Development, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2023-0062. Discussion ensued.

Committee members asked questions of Mr. Merriman, Mr. Herdeg, Mr. Johnson and Ms. Simms pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

On a motion by Ms. Stephens with a second by Mr. Sweeney, Resolution No. R2023-0062 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) R2023-0063: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to a Grant Agreement via Contract No. 2855 with Hitchcock Center for Women to support construction of a residential treatment and recovery center, to support women experiencing substance abuse issues, for the period 9/13/2022 – 4/30/2025 for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$967,800.00; 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. Catherine Tkachyk, Chief Innovation and Performance Officer for the Executive's Office; Mr. Wesley Finch, Chairman and Founder of The Finch Group; Mr. Jason Joyce, President and Chief Executive Officer for the Hitchcock Center for Women; and Ms. Stacey Woodford, Originations Analyst for the National Equity Fund, Inc. addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2023-0063. Discussion ensued.

Committee members asked questions of Ms. Tkachyk, Mr. Finch, Mr. Joyce and Ms. Woodford pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

On a motion by Ms. Stephens with a second by Mr. Sweeney, Resolution No. R2023-0063 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.

Committee members Miller, Sweeney, Conwell, Turner and Stephens requested to have their names added as co-sponsors to the legislation.

- c) R2023-0064: A Resolution authorizing an agreement with Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities in the amount not-to-exceed \$1,400,000.00 for Medicaid Home and Community-based Services for youth with developmental disabilities for the period 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Agreement No. 2981 and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Mr. David Merriman, Director and Mr. Marcos Cortes, Administrator of the Division of Contracts and Performance for the Department of Health and Human Services; and Ms. Eboni Freeman, Project Manager for the Division of Children and Family Services, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2023-0064. Discussion ensued.

Committee members asked questions of Mr. Merriman, Mr. Cortes and Ms. Freeman pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

On a motion by Ms. Stephens with a second by Ms. Turner, Resolution No. R2023-0064 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.

- d) R2023-0065: A Resolution authorizing Title IV-D Agreements with various providers, in the total amount not-to-exceed \$11,539,371.43 for child support services for the period 1/1/2023 - 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Agreement Nos. 3155, 3156, 3158, 3159 and 3160 and all other documents consistent with said awards and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective:

- 1) Agreement No. 3155 with Cuyahoga County Prosecuting Attorney's Office in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,146,253.89.
- 2) Agreement No. 3156 with Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas/Division of Domestic Relations in the amount not-to-exceed \$3,668,462.25.
- 3) Agreement No. 3158 with Cuyahoga County Treasurer's Office in the amount not-to-exceed \$22,329.73.
- 4) Agreement No. 3159 with Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas/Division of Juvenile Court/Cashiers Department in the amount not-to-exceed \$17,068.20.
- 5) Agreement No. 3160 with Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas/Division of Juvenile Court in the amount not-to-exceed \$3,685,257.36.

Mr. Cortes, Ms. Tiffany Dobbins-Brazelton, Director and Mr. Richard Weiler, Business Manager for the Office of Child Support Services, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2023-0065. Discussion ensued.

Committee members asked questions of Mr. Cortes, Ms. Dobbins-Brazelton and Mr. Weiler pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

On a motion by Ms. Conwell with a second by Ms. Sweeney, Resolution No. R2023-0065 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

There was no miscellaneous business.

7. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, Chairwoman Conwell adjourned the meeting at 2:34 p.m., without objection.

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2023-0076

Sponsored by: Councilmember Turner	A Resolution awarding a total sum, not to exceed \$10,000, to Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. for the Infusing Lived Expertise into System-Level Housing Solutions Project from the District 9 ARPA Community Grant Fund; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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WHEREAS, Cuyahoga County received \$239,898,257 from the Federal Government through the American Rescue Plan Act (“ARPA”); and

WHEREAS, Cuyahoga County calculated 100% of the ARPA dollars as loss revenue under the U.S. Department of the Treasury Final Rule; and

WHEREAS, since all the ARPA dollars have been calculated as loss revenue, the ARPA dollars have been deposited in the County’s General Fund; and

WHEREAS, the County Executive and County Council have authorized \$86 million of the ARPA dollars for community grants to benefit the residents of Cuyahoga County (the “ARPA Community Grant Fund”); and

WHEREAS, of the \$86 million for community grants, \$66 million have been encumbered for equal distribution to each County Council District; and

WHEREAS, the Cuyahoga County Council desires to provide funding from the District 9 ARPA Community Grant Fund in the amount of \$10,000 to Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. for the Infusing Lived Expertise into System-Level Housing Solutions Project; and

WHEREAS, Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. estimates approximately 900 people will be served annually through this award; and

WHEREAS, Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. estimates the total cost of the project is \$1,608,324; and

WHEREAS, Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. indicates the other funding source(s) for this project includes:

- A. \$574,232 from the Cuyahoga County Office of Homelessness Services (pending);
- B. \$50,000 from the Cuyahoga County Office of Reentry;
- C. \$165,395 from an Individual Donor;
- D. \$217,654 from the Sisters of Charity Foundation of Cleveland;
- E. \$150,000 from The Cleveland Foundation (pending);
- F. \$50,000 from the Nord Family Foundation (pending);
- G. \$50,000 from the Bank of America Foundation (pending);
- H. \$20,000 from the Eva L. and Joseph M. Bruening Foundation (pending);
- I. \$20,000 from the Thomas H. White Foundation (pending);
- J. \$43,146 from the Char and Chuck Fowler Family Foundation;
- K. \$12,049 from Other Funding;
- L. \$245,848 from Additional Fundraising (pending); and

WHEREAS, Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. is estimating the start date of the project will be January 2023 and the project will be completed by December 2024; and

WHEREAS, Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. requested \$10,000 from the District 7 ARPA Community Grant Fund to complete this project; and

WHEREAS, the Cuyahoga County Council desires to provide funding in the amount of \$10,000 to Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. to ensure this project is completed; and

WHEREAS, this Council by a vote of at least eight (8) members determines that it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue to provide for the usually, daily operations of the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby awards a not-to-exceed amount of \$10,000 to Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. from the General Fund made available by the American Rescue Plan Act revenue replacement provision for the Infusing Lived Expertise into System-Level Housing Solutions Project.

SECTION 2. If any specific appropriation is necessary to effectuate this agreement, the Director of the Office of Budget and Management is authorized to submit the requisite documentation to financial reporting to journalize the appropriation.

SECTION 3. That the County Council staff is authorized to prepare all documents to effectuate said award.

SECTION 4. That the County Executive is authorized to execute all necessary agreements and documents consistent with said award and this Resolution.

SECTION 5. If requested or necessary, the Agency of the Inspector General or Department of Internal Audit is authorized to investigate, audit, or review any part of this award.

SECTION 6. To the extent that any exemptions are necessary under the County Code and contracting procedures, they shall be deemed approved by the adoption of this Resolution.

SECTION 7. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon the earliest occurrence of any of the following: (1) its approval by the County Executive through signature, (2) the expiration of the time during which it may be disapproved by the County Executive under Section 3.10(6) of the Cuyahoga County Charter, or (3) its passage by at least eight members of Council after disapproval pursuant to Section 3.10(7) of the Cuyahoga County Charter. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

SECTION 8. 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 the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by _____, seconded by _____, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas:

Nays:

County Council President

Date

County Executive

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: March 28, 2023
Committee(s) Assigned: Health, Human Services & Aging

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Cuyahoga County Council

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COUNTY AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION:	
Name of Requesting Entity (City, Business, Non-Profit, etc.): Enterprise Community Partners, Inc.	
Address of Requesting Entity: 812 Huron Road E Suite 880 Cleveland, Ohio 44115	
County Council District # of Requesting Entity: 7	
Address or Location of Project if Different than Requesting Entity: N/A	
County Council District # of Address or Location of Project if Different than Requesting Entity: Enterprise works across the county on policy and systems-level work.	
Contact Name of Person Filling out This Request: Ayonna Blue Donald	
Contact Address if different than Requesting Entity: N/A	
Email: adonald@enterprisecommunity.org	Phone: 216-325-7933
Federal IRS Tax Exempt No.: 52-1231931	Date: February 17, 2023

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

REQUEST DESCRIPTION (include the project name, a description of the project, why the project is important or needed, and timeline of milestones/tracking of the project):

PROJECT NAME: Operational Needs: Infusing Lived Expertise into System-Level Housing Solutions

DESCRIPTION: Enterprise Community Partners leads county-wide efforts to promote safe, stable and affordable housing for a variety of populations. We believe that people are the experts in their own lives and know best what they need to succeed. As we continue to convene partners to develop and implement solutions to complex housing problems, we recognize that the most effective solutions will be informed by people who have experienced these issues (including homelessness, unemployment, and history with the legal criminal system) and have valuable expertise to provide. We refer to these people as leaders with lived experience. *In the request for an amount of \$10,000, operational expenses would include the compensation for leaders with lived experience who are advising our Cuyahoga County programs.*

Enterprise employs policy, program, and capital approaches to address housing insecurity and community development needs. Furthermore, we are continually focused on shaping new strategies, solutions and policies to bring housing and financial stability to Cleveland residents. Following the 2020 launch of our new strategic plan, Enterprise is organized around three central goals: to increase housing supply, advance racial equity and build resilience and upward mobility. Partnering with leaders of lived experience, with a special focus on BIPOC leaders, is one of the ways we promote racial equity in both our practices and programs.

Two of the county-wide initiatives where this effort is most fully developed are our “Income & Stability for People Experiencing Homeless” and “Justice Housing” programs. Income & Stability is a cross-sector collaboration aimed at increasing income for people experiencing homelessness through improved access to public benefits and workforce programs. The Justice Housing program is organized around the research, creation and implementation of a county housing plan for those returning to the community after incarceration or for whom past justice system interaction puts them at risk of homelessness. Both of these programs have active engagement from Cuyahoga County staff – the Income & Stability steering committee is co-chaired by Melissa Sirak (OHS) and Paul Bounds (JFS); the Justice Housing work aligns with and has continued to be supported by the Office of Reentry, including implementation of a Justice Housing pilot in 2023.

Leaders with lived experience serve as full steering committee members and are compensated at or above a living wage for their expertise, including preparation, meeting time, and focus group facilitation. In our convening role, Enterprise staff work to ensure intentional inclusion of the leaders with lived experience. For example, meeting materials are shared in advance, staff offer to review material with leaders prior to the meeting and regular check-in after meetings to invite additional questions and/or feedback in a comfortable setting. The steering committee meeting structures often include group norms, common language and structured conversation openings, all to promote inclusion of all voices. Additionally, we conduct focus groups with target populations (e.g., people in emergency shelter), allowing us to fold in even more expert voices.

MILESTONES & TRACKING:

- Recruitment/retention of 20% or more committee members who are leaders with lived experience
- Monthly engagement with leaders with lived experience related to meetings, preparation, and other feedback
- 2-5 focus groups executed; leaders with lived experience involved in interpreting conclusions
- Program milestone: development, implementation, and evaluation of a homeless/workforce referral pilot
- Program milestone: implementation and evaluation of justice housing pilot program

Project Start Date:

1/1/2023

Project End Date:

12/31/2024

IMPACT OF PROJECT:

Who will be served:
Income and Stability aims to serve those experiencing and exiting homelessness in Cuyahoga County. Justice Housing aims to serve those returning to Cuyahoga County after incarceration or who have other prior legal criminal system involvement. Additional Enterprise programs impact low- and moderate-income individuals across the county, including those working toward lead safe housing, people experiencing chronic homelessness, low-income taxpayers (through the EITC Coalition), and young adults experiencing homelessness.

How many people will be served annually:
Total: 1,800 over two years

Will low/moderate income people be served; if so how:
Yes. The vast majority of people experiencing or at risk of homelessness have low or very low income. Providing safe, stable housing is a platform for opportunity, economic advancement, and upward mobility.

How does the project fit with the community and with other ongoing projects:
Income & Stability efforts have always been executed in collaboration with JFS and the Cleveland/Cuyahoga County Continuum of Care (CoC), led by OHS, which is an extensive network of agencies that plans, organizes, and delivers housing and services to prevent homelessness, assist people while they are homeless, and help transition people into stable housing. The Justice Housing program is closely connected to the Reentry Coalition advisory committees of the Cuyahoga Office of Reentry.

If applicable, how many jobs will be created or retained (specify the number for each) and will the jobs be permanent or temporary:
N/A. Approximately 8 leaders with lived experience will be compensated at an hourly rate for committee work; we will add more leaders with lived experience as the budget allows.

If applicable, what environmental issues or benefits will there be:
N/A

If applicable, how does this project serve as a catalyst for future initiatives:
Enterprise’s housing programs are system-change efforts aimed at implementing long-term, sustainable solutions. The Justice Housing plan includes a variety of medium- and long-term interventions, with long-term interventions to be implemented beyond the first three years. Income & Stability is setting a course for our homeless and workforce service providers to better collaborate into the future. Listening to leaders with lived experience will allow us to identify additional needs to address for the success of all in our community.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Total Budget of Project:

\$1,608,324, over two years 2023-2024

Other Funding Sources of Project (list each source and dollar amount separately):

Cuyahoga County ARPA Award*	\$ 10,000
Cuyahoga County Office of Homelessness Services*	\$ 574,232
Cuyahoga County Office of Reentry	\$ 50,000
Individual Donor	\$ 165,395
Sisters of Charity Foundation of Cleveland	\$ 217,654
The Cleveland Foundation*	\$ 150,000
Nord Family Foundation*	\$ 50,000
Bank of America Foundation*	\$ 50,000
Eva L. and Joseph M. Bruening Foundation*	\$ 20,000
Thomas H. White Foundation*	\$ 20,000
The Char and Chuck Fowler Family Foundation	\$ 43,146
Other Funding	\$ 12,049
Additional Fundraising*	\$ 245,848
Total Revenue	\$ 1,608,324
<i>* funding requests are pending approval</i>	-

Total amount requested of County Council American Resource Act Dollars:

\$10,000

These funds will be used to pay stipends to leaders with lived experience partnering on Enterprise's housing programs, including advisory/committee and focus group participation, as well as refreshments for focus groups.

Since these are one-time dollars, how will the Project be sustained moving forward:

Enterprise holds and actively nurtures diverse funding streams, including local and national philanthropy, as well as local and federal government. Our programs will be sustained in the future by our active fundraising efforts.

DISCLAIMER INFORMATION AND SIGNATURE:

Disclaimer:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have the authority to apply for financial assistance on behalf of the entity described herein, and that the information contained herein and attached hereto is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I acknowledge and agree that all County contracts and programs are subject to Federal Guidelines and Regulations, the Ohio Revised Code, the Cuyahoga County Charter, and all County Ordinances including all information submitted as part of this application is a public record.

I understand that any willful misrepresentation on this application or on any of the attachments thereto could result in a fine and/or imprisonment under relevant local, state, and/or federal laws or guidelines.

I agree that at any time, any local, state, or federal governmental agency, or a private entity on behalf of any of these governmental agencies, can audit these dollars and projects.

Printed Name:

Ayonna Blue Donald

Signature:



Date:

February 17, 2023

Additional Documents

Are there additional documents or files as part of this application? Please list each documents name:

- Enterprise Ohio 2022 Year in Review
- Cuyahoga County Employment & Homelessness Systems Collaboration Executive Summary, 2022

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2023-0085

Sponsored by: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Cuyahoga Job and Family Services	A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 1031 with Americab Transportation, Inc. for non-emergency transportation services for ambulatory Medicaid-eligible individuals in Cuyahoga County for the period 3/1/2021 – 2/28/2023 to extend the time period to 2/29/2024, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,000,000.00; 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.
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Services/Cuyahoga Job and Family Services recommends an amendment to Contract No. 1031 with Americab Transportation, Inc. for non-emergency transportation services for ambulatory Medicaid-eligible individuals in Cuyahoga County for the period 3/1/2021 – 2/28/2023 to extend the time period to 2/29/2024, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,000,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal of this project is to continue to provide transportation services for Medicaid eligible, ambulatory clients to and from facilities within Cuyahoga County for various non-emergency medical treatments; and

WHEREAS, the project is funded 100% by Federal/Medicaid funds; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a County entity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby authorizes an amendment to Contract No. 1031 with Americab Transportation, Inc. for non-emergency transportation services for ambulatory Medicaid-eligible individuals in Cuyahoga County for the period 3/1/2021 – 2/28/2023 to extend the time period to 2/29/2024, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,000,000.00.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution. To the extent that any exemptions are necessary under the County Code and contracting procedures, they shall be deemed approved by the adoption of this Resolution.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon the earliest occurrence of any of the following: (1) its approval by the County Executive through signature, (2) the expiration of the time during which it may be disapproved by the County Executive under Section 3.10(6) of the Cuyahoga County Charter, or (3) its passage by at least eight members of Council after disapproval pursuant to Section 3.10(7) of the Cuyahoga County Charter. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

SECTION 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by _____, seconded by _____, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas:

Nays:

County Council President

Date

County Executive

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: March 28, 2023
Committee(s) Assigned: Health, Human Services & Aging

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County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2023-0086

Sponsored by: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Senior and Adult Services	A Resolution authorizing an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for the Cuyahoga OPTIONS for Independent Living Services Program for the period 7/1/2021 – 12/31/2022, to extend the time period to 12/31/2023, to remove two providers, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,476,500.00, effective of the last date of signature of the parties; 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.
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Services/ Division of Senior and Adult Services recommends an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for the Cuyahoga OPTIONS for Independent Living Services Program for the period 7/1/2021 – 12/31/2022, to extend the time period to 12/31/2023 and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,476,500.00 as follows:

For additional funds:

- a) Contract No. 1381 with A-1 Health Care, Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$281,000.00; and
- b) Contract No. 1406 with Connect America in the anticipated amount of \$116,000.00; and
- c) Contract No. 1408 with Evolving Nurse in the anticipated amount of \$21,000.00; and
- d) Contract No. 1410 with Solutions Premier Services in the anticipated amount of \$177,000.00; and
- e) Contract No. 1411 with Rose Centers for Aging Well in the anticipated amount of \$120,000.00; and
- f) Contract No. 1413 with Senior Transportation Connection in the anticipated amount of \$155,000.00; and

- g) Contract No. 1414 with Tobi Transportation in anticipated the amount of \$97,000.00; and
- h) Contract No. 1415 with Transport Assistance in the amount of \$25,000.00; and
- i) Contract No. 1416 with Renaissance Home Health Care in the amount not-to-exceed \$105,200.00; and
- j) Contract No. 1421 with Family & Community Services in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00; and
- k) Contract No. 1423 with XCEL Healthcare Providers, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$150,000.00; and
- l) Contract No. 1424 with Purfoods, LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$442,000.00; and
- m) Contract No. 1425 with Addus Healthcare in the amount not-to-exceed \$24,000.00; and
- n) Contract No. 1426 with Valued Relationships, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$155,000.00; and
- o) Contract No. 1430 with U-First Homecare Services in the amount not-to-exceed \$81,000.00; and
- p) Contract No. 1434 with ABC International Services, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$21,300.00; and
- q) Contract No. 1435 with Casleo Corporation in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,276,000.00; and
- r) Contract No. 1437 with First Choice Medical Staffing in the amount not-to-exceed \$64,000.00; and
- s) Contract No. 1439 with Geocare, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00; and
- t) Contract No. 1440 with Caring Hearts Health Services in the amount not-to-exceed \$18,000.00; and
- u) Contract No. 1441 with Healthy Home Care Transportation in the amount not-to-exceed \$18,000.00; and

- v) Contact No. 1444 with Home Care Relief Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$190,000.00; and
- w) Contract No. 1445 with LHC Group in the anticipated amount pf \$54,000.00; and

To remove:

- a) Honor and Compassion Homecare, LLC
- b) RX Home Healthcare, Inc.

WHEREAS, the primary goal of the OPTIONS for Independent Living Services Program is to provide a flexible, affordable in-home care program to Cuyahoga County residents aged 60 and above who, because of income and/or assets, are not eligible for Medicaid waiver or other programs; and

WHEREAS, the various services provided by the program that are essential to Cuyahoga County senior include: 1) assistance with larger household chores; 2) medical emergency response services; 3) grab bar installation; 4) homemaking assistance; 5) home delivered meals; 6) assistance with personal care and/or transportation for medical-related appointments; and

WHEREAS, this program is funded 100% by Health and Human Services Levy funds; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a County entity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby authorizes an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for the Cuyahoga OPTIONS for Independent Living Services Program for the period 7/1/2021 – 12/31/2022, to extend the time period to 12/31/2023 and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,476,500.00 as follows:

For additional funds:

- a) Contract No. 1381 with A-1 Health Care, Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$281,000.00; and
- b) Contract No. 1406 with Connect America in the anticipated amount of \$116,000.00; and
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- h) Contract No. 1415 with Transport Assistance in the anticipated amount of \$25,000.00; and
- i) Contract No. 1416 with Renaissance Home Health Care in the anticipated amount of \$105,200.00; and
- j) Contract No. 1421 with Family & Community Services in the anticipated amount of \$70,000.00; and
- k) Contract No. 1423 with XCEL Healthcare Providers, Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$150,000.00; and
- l) Contract No. 1424 with Purfoods, LLC in the anticipated amount of \$442,000.00; and
- m) Contract No. 1425 with Addus Healthcare in the anticipated amount of \$24,000.00; and
- n) Contract No. 1426 with Valued Relationships, Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$155,000.00; and
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- p) Contract No. 1434 with ABC International Services, Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$21,300.00; and
- q) Contract No. 1435 with Casleo Corporation in the anticipate amount of \$2,276,000.00; and
- r) Contract No. 1437 with First Choice Medical Staffing in the anticipated amount of \$64,000.00; and

- s) Contract No. 1439 with Geocare, Inc. in the anticipate amount of \$100,000.00; and
- t) Contract No. 1440 with Caring Hearts Health Services in the anticipated amount of \$18,000.00; and
- u) Contract No. 1441 with Healthy Home Care Transportation in the anticipated amount of \$18,000.00; and
- v) Contact No. 1444 with Home Care Relief Inc. in the anticipated amount of \$190,000.00; and
- w) Contract No. 1445 with LHC Group in the anticipated amount of \$54,000.00; and

To remove:

- a) Honor and Compassion Homecare, LLC
- b) RX Home Healthcare, Inc.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution. To the extent that any exemptions are necessary under the County Code and contracting procedures, they shall be deemed approved by the adoption of this Resolution.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon the earliest occurrence of any of the following: (1) its approval by the County Executive through signature, (2) the expiration of the time during which it may be disapproved by the County Executive under Section 3.10(6) of the Cuyahoga County Charter, or (3) its passage by at least eight members of Council after disapproval pursuant to Section 3.10(7) of the Cuyahoga County Charter. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

SECTION 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by _____, seconded by _____, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas:

Nays:

County Council President

Date

County Executive

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

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Committee(s) Assigned: Health, Human Services & Aging

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County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2023-0087

Sponsored by: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services	A Resolution making an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,654,343.00 for diversion services in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 2872 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Service/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services recommends an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,654,343.00 for diversion services in connections with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal of this project is to cover emergency expenses for their clients that are not covered by traditional requests; and

WHEREAS, this project is funded by 100% General Fund- American Rescue Plan Act Revenue Replacement /Provision of Government Services; and

WHEREAS, this project is located in Cuyahoga County Council District 3, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a County entity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby makes an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,654,343.00 for diversion services in connections with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute Contract No. 2872 and all documents consistent with said award and this Resolution. To the extent that any exemptions are necessary under the County Code and contracting procedures, they shall be deemed approved by the adoption of this Resolution.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon the earliest occurrence of any of the following: (1) its approval by the County Executive through signature, (2) the expiration of the time during which it may be disapproved by the County Executive under Section 3.10(6) of the Cuyahoga County Charter, or (3) its passage by at least eight members of Council after disapproval pursuant to Section 3.10(7) of the Cuyahoga County Charter. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

SECTION 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by _____, seconded by _____, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas:

Nays:

County Council President

Date

County Executive

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

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Committee(s) Assigned: Health, Human Services & Aging

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County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2023-0088

Sponsored by: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services	A Resolution making an award on RQ8737 to Joseph’s Home in the amount not-to-exceed \$605,000.00 for building rehabilitation and homeless prevention strategies in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 2873 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Service/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services recommends an award on RQ8737 to Joseph’s Home in the amount not-to-exceed \$605,000.00 for building rehabilitation and homeless prevention strategies in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal of this project is to cover emergency expenses for their clients that are not covered by traditional requests; and

WHEREAS, this project is funded by 100% General Fund- American Rescue Plan Act Revenue Replacement /Provision of Government Services; and

WHEREAS, this project is located in Cuyahoga County Council District 8, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a County entity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby makes an award on RQ8737 to Joseph’s Home in the amount not-to-exceed \$605,000.00 for building rehabilitation and homeless prevention strategies in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute Contract No. 2873 and all documents consistent with said award and this Resolution. To the extent that any exemptions are necessary under the County Code and contracting procedures, they shall be deemed approved by the adoption of this Resolution.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon the earliest occurrence of any of the following: (1) its approval by the County Executive through signature, (2) the expiration of the time during which it may be disapproved by the County Executive under Section 3.10(6) of the Cuyahoga County Charter, or (3) its passage by at least eight members of Council after disapproval pursuant to Section 3.10(7) of the Cuyahoga County Charter. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

SECTION 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by _____, seconded by _____, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas:

Nays:

County Council President

Date

County Executive

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

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County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2023-0089

Sponsored by: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services	A Resolution making an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,798,000.00 for building rehabilitation in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 7/1/2022 – 12/31/2023; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 3137 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Service/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services recommends an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,798,000.00 for building rehabilitation in connection with alternative housing and related services and support for COVID Recovery for the period 7/1/2022 – 12/31/2023; and

WHEREAS, the primary goals of this project are to provide (a) rehab of site to provide non-congregate women’s shelter, (b) expansion of rehab of scattered site for individuals and families and (c) expansion of referral network for housing location and stability services; and

WHEREAS, this project is funded by 100% General Fund- American Rescue Plan Act Revenue Replacement /Provision of Government Services; and

WHEREAS, this project is located in Cuyahoga County Council District 3; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a County entity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby makes an award on RQ8737 to Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$4,798,000.00 for building rehabilitation in connection with alternative

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Resolution No. R2023-0090

<p>Sponsored by: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Cuyahoga Job and Family Services</p>	<p>A Resolution authorizing amendments to agreements and contracts with various providers for various programs and services for the Cuyahoga County Fatherhood Initiative for the period 4/1/2021 – 3/31/2023 to extend the time period to 3/31/2024 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$825,500.00; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendments and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.</p>
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Services/Cuyahoga Job and Family Services recommends amendments to agreements and contracts with various providers for various programs and services for the Cuyahoga County Fatherhood Initiative for the period 4/1/2021 – 3/31/2023 to extend the time period to 3/31/2024 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$825,500.00 as follows:

Agreements:

- a) Agreement No. 1046 with Cuyahoga County District Board of Health in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00 for the Prevent Premature Fatherhood Program.
- b) Agreement No. 1058 with The MetroHealth System in the amount not-to-exceed \$44,000.00 for the Boot Camp for New Dads Program.

Contracts:

- c) Contract No. 1054 with Career Development and Placement Strategies, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00 for the Rising Above Program.
- d) Contract No. 1061 with The Centers for Families and Children in the amount not-to-exceed \$83,000.00 for the Families and Fathers Together Program.
- e) Contract No. 1055 with The Children’s Museum of Cleveland in the amount not-to-exceed \$32,000.00 for the Dad’s Court Program.

- f) Contract No. 1057 with Domestic Violence and Advocacy Center dba Journey Center for Safety and Healing in the amount not-to-exceed \$117,000.00 for the Supervised Visitation Program.
- g) Contract No. 1056 with JDC Advertising in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00 for a Public Awareness Campaign.
- h) Contract No. 1059 with Murtis Taylor Human Services System in the amount not-to-exceed \$60,000.00 for the Strong Fathers Program.
- i) Contract No. 1060 with Passages Connecting Fathers and Sons, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00 for the Jobs for Dads Program.
- j) Contract No. 1062 with Towards Employment in the amount not-to-exceed \$97,500.00 for the Fatherhood Career Pathway Program.
- k) Contract No. 1063 with University Settlement, Incorporated in the amount not-to-exceed \$52,000.00 for the Healthy Fathering Program.

WHEREAS, the goals of the Fatherhood Initiative are to continue to: (1) promote public awareness of the importance of the role of a father, (2) provide access to public services to young men and fathers in order to educate them about fatherhood and responsibilities of being a father, and (3) fund fatherhood related programs at the county level; and

WHEREAS, the project is funded 100% by Health and Human Services Levy Fund; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a County entity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby authorizes amendments to agreements and contracts with various providers for various programs and services for the Cuyahoga County Fatherhood Initiative for the period 4/1/2021 – 3/31/2023 to extend the time period to 3/31/2024 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$825,500.00 as follows:

Agreements:

- a) Agreement No. 1046 with Cuyahoga County District Board of Health in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00 for the Prevent Premature Fatherhood Program.

- b) Agreement No. 1058 with The MetroHealth System in the amount not-to-exceed \$44,000.00 for the Boot Camp for New Dads Program.

Contracts:

- c) Contract No. 1054 with Career Development and Placement Strategies, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00 for the Rising Above Program.
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- g) Contract No. 1056 with JDC Advertising in the amount not-to-exceed \$70,000.00 for a Public Awareness Campaign.
- h) Contract No. 1059 with Murtis Taylor Human Services System in the amount not-to-exceed \$60,000.00 for the Strong Fathers Program.
- i) Contract No. 1060 with Passages Connecting Fathers and Sons, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$100,000.00 for the Jobs for Dads Program.
- j) Contract No. 1062 with Towards Employment in the amount not-to-exceed \$97,500.00 for the Fatherhood Career Pathway Program.
- k) Contract No. 1063 with University Settlement, Incorporated in the amount not-to-exceed \$52,000.00 for the Healthy Fathering Program.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute the amendments and all other documents consistent with this Resolution. To the extent that any exemptions are necessary under the County Code and contracting procedures, they shall be deemed approved by the adoption of this Resolution.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon the earliest occurrence of any of the following: (1) its approval by the County Executive through signature, (2) the expiration of the time during which it may be disapproved by the County Executive

