**County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio**

**Resolution No. R2011-0345**

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<td>making an award on RQ21089 to Wellness IQ, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed $1,231,000.00 for Vitality Wellness Services for tracking County employees participating in the County’s health benefit plans for the period 1/1/2012 - 12/31/2014; authorizing the County Executive to execute a contract and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.</td>
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WHEREAS, County Executive/Department of Human Resources has submitted a request to make an award on RQ21089 to Wellness IQ, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed $1,231,000.00 for Vitality Wellness Services for tracking County employees participating in the County’s health benefit plans for the period 1/1/2012 - 12/31/2014; and,

WHEREAS, the goals of Wellness IQ, Inc. are to educate their clients and employees on the importance of wellness, engage employees to be good consumers of healthcare, measure the progress of client and employee’s health through standardized HIPPA compliant methods, and rewarding clients and their employees with lower healthcare costs, less absenteeism and improved quality of life; and,

WHEREAS, Wellness IQ, Inc. submitted a proposal for RQ21089 to provide products and services as a Wellness Program to Cuyahoga County; and,

WHEREAS, Vitality Wellness Services, through the Wellness IQ, Inc. contract, shall charge per employee per month fees, the Communication Plan, as well as a one time set up fee; and,

WHEREAS, Wellness IQ, Inc. shall provide communication services through its subcontractor Gianfagna Strategic Marketing, Inc. (fka Gianfagna Marketing & Communications, Inc.), a Small Business Enterprise certified by the County; 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 department.

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

**SECTION 1.** The County Council hereby accepts the County Executive/Department of Human Resource’s recommendation and awards a contract under RQ21089 to Wellness IQ, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed $1,231,000.00 for Vitality Wellness Services for tracking
County employees participating in the County’s health benefit plans for the period 1/1/2012 - 12/31/2014.

SECTION 2. The County Executive is authorized to execute the contract and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective, for the reason that this Resolution provides for the usual daily and necessary operations of Cuyahoga County government in accordance with the requirements of the Cuyahoga County Charter. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members of Council, this Resolution shall become immediately effective upon the signature of the County Executive.

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 Mr. Rogers, seconded by Ms. Simon, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Miller, Brady, Germana, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell, Jones, Rogers, Simon, Greenspan and Connally

Nays: None

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County Council President

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County Executive

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Clerk of Council

In accordance with Rule 6B of the Rules of Council, legislation was added to the agenda by parliamentary motion: December 13, 2011

First Reading/Referred to Committee: December 13, 2011
Committee(s) Assigned: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity

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