County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2012-0049

A Resolution authorizing an agreement with Cuyahoga County Treasurer’s Office in the amount not-to-exceed $39,175.79 for child support services for the period 1/1/2012 - 12/31/2012; authorizing the County Executive to execute the agreement and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

WHEREAS, the County Executive/Cuyahoga Support Enforcement Agency has submitted an agreement with Cuyahoga County Treasurer’s Office in the amount not-to-exceed $39,175.79 for child support services for the period 1/1/2012 – 12/31/2012; and,

WHEREAS, Title IV Cooperative Agreement contracts are mandated by O.R.C. 3125.14, and the Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services (ODJFS) regulations in order to specify the services which will be rendered by any County agency pertaining to the establishment, modification, and enforcement of Child Support Obligations, in accordance with applicable child support regulations; and,

WHEREAS, the execution of this Cooperative Agreement Contract enables the County to recover the 66% Federal Financial Participation (FFP) reimbursement portion of the expenses incurred by the Treasurer’s Office in providing this Title IV-D service for CSEA; and,

WHEREAS, approval of this Agreement enables the County to be reimbursed $39,175.79, which is paid into the County General Fund; and,

WHEREAS, this project is exempt from competitive bid requirements; and,

WHEREAS, in 2011, performance standards were met and payment exceeded the projections; and,

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective because the project’s term has already begun. The reason for the delay in this request is due to the time required to obtain 2012 budget information from the Provider, to submit the Agreement to the State of Ohio for initial approval, and to have the document executed.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. The Cuyahoga County Council hereby authorizes the County Executive/Cuyahoga Support Enforcement Agency to enter into an agreement with Cuyahoga County Treasurer’s Office in the amount not-to-exceed $39,175.79 for child support services for the period 1/1/2012 - 12/31/2012.

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

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue without interruption, and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a county department; therefore, this Resolution, provided it receives the affirmative vote of eight members of Council, shall become effective immediately upon the signature of the County Executive; otherwise it shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after the earliest time permitted 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 Ms. Simon, seconded by Ms. Conwell, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

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

Nays: None

County Council President Date

County Executive Date

Clerk of Council Date
First Reading/Referred to Committee: March 13, 2012
Committee(s) Assigned: Justice Affairs

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