County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2013-0213

Sponsored by: County Executive FitzGerald/Department of Development
Co-sponsored by: Councilmembers Miller, Jones and Gallagher

A Resolution making awards to various municipalities in the total amount of $1,050,000.00 for various municipal grant projects for the 2014 Community Development Block Grant Municipal Grant Program for the period 10/1/2013 - 9/30/2014; authorizing the County Executive to execute the agreements and all other documents consistent with said awards and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Development has recommended awards to various municipalities, each in the amount of $150,000.00; total amount of $1,050,000.00, for various municipal grant projects for the 2014 Community Development Block Grant (“CDBG”) Municipal Grant Program for the period 10/1/2013 – 9/30/2014; and,

WHEREAS, the participants of the 2014 CDBG Municipal Grant Program have been chosen from the fifty one (51) communities that are members of the Cuyahoga Urban County; and,

WHEREAS, each of those 51 communities are eligible to apply to receive a grant in an amount not-to-exceed $150,000.00; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Development reviews and analyzes each of the applications based on scoring criteria which evaluates participants based on project description, proposed project feasibility, and implementation plan; and,

WHEREAS, based on the scoring criteria, the following is a list of the municipal grant projects recommended for awards:

a) City of Bedford in the amount of $150,000.00 for the Ellenwood Community Center Renovation Project;

b) City of Berea in the amount of $150,000.00 for the North Rocky River Drive Corridor Improvement Project;
c) City of Brook Park in the amount of $150,000.00 for the West 147th and Elm Avenue Full Depth Concrete Repairs Project;

d) City of Maple Heights in the amount of $150,000.00 for the Neighborhood Infrastructure Improvement Project;

e) City of Olmsted Falls in the amount of $150,000.00 for the Olmsted Falls Senior Center Project;

f) City of Warrensville Heights in the amount of $150,000.00 for Clarkwood Area Streetlight Replacement Safety Project;

g) Village of Glenwillow in the amount of $150,000.00 for the Pergl Road Reconstruction Project; and,

WHEREAS, the awards are funded 100% from federal Community Development Block Grant 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 makes awards to various municipalities, each in the amount of $150,000.00; total amount of $1,050,000.00, for various municipal grant projects for the 2014 Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") Municipal Grant Program for the period 10/1/2013 – 9/30/2014 as follows:

a) City of Bedford in the amount of $150,000.00 for the Ellenwood Community Center Renovation Project;

b) City of Berea in the amount of $150,000.00 for the North Rocky River Drive Corridor Improvement Project;

c) City of Brook Park in the amount of $150,000.00 for the West 147th and Elm Avenue Full Depth Concrete Repairs Project;

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e) City of Olmsted Falls in the amount of $150,000.00 for the Olmsted Falls Senior Center Project;
f) City of Warrensville Heights in the amount of $150,000.00 for Clarkwood Area Streetlight Replacement Safety Project; and,

g) Village of Glenwillow in the amount of $150,000.00 for the Pergl Road Reconstruction Project.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute agreements in connection with said awards and all documents consistent with 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 Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Germana, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

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

Nays: None

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County Council President               Date

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County Executive                     Date
First Reading/Referred to Committee: September 24, 2013
Committee(s) Assigned: Economic Development & Planning

Additional Sponsorship Requested on the Floor: September 24, 2013

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