

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2015-0153

Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Medical Examiner	A Resolution authorizing the County Executive to accept, on behalf of the County, the donation of two burial plots within Whitehaven Memorial Park, Village of Mayfield, Ohio, from Society of St. Vincent de Paul valued at approximately \$2,000.00 for the purpose of accommodating indigent burials; authorizing the County Executive to execute all documents in connection with the transfer of said property and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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WHEREAS, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul wishes to donate two (2) burial plots located within Whitehaven Memorial Park, Village of Mayfield, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, said burial plots are valued at approximately \$2,000.00; and

WHEREAS, in Cuyahoga County, each year between sixty to ninety deceased bodies go unclaimed and result in the responsibility of indigent burial to be borne by the municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the County desires to accept this donation for the public purpose of assisting with the burial of indigent persons within Cuyahoga County, and help to alleviate some of the financial burden placed on the various municipalities with regard to such burials; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by the County can continue.

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

SECTION 1. The County Executive is hereby authorized to accept, on behalf of the County, the donation of two burial plots within Whitehaven Memorial Park, Village of Mayfield, Ohio, from Society of St. Vincent de Paul valued at approximately \$2,000.00 for the purpose of accommodating indigent burials.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute all documents in connection with the transfer of said property and 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. Gallagher, seconded by Mr. Germana, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Jones, Brown, Hairston, Simon, Greenspan, Miller, Germana, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell and Brady

Nays: None

County Council President Date

County Executive Date

Clerk of Council Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: July 28, 2015
Committee(s) Assigned: Public Safety & Justice Affairs

Committee Report/Second Reading: August 25, 2015

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