

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2015-0160

Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Department of Human Resources	A Resolution authorizing an agreement with Red Center Logic for participation in the Cuyahoga County Benefits Regionalization Program for the period 5/1/2015 - 12/31/2017; 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.
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Human Resources has recommended an agreement with Red Center Logic for participation in the Cuyahoga County Benefits Regionalization Program for the period 5/1/2015 – 12/31/2017; and

WHEREAS, the Cuyahoga County Benefits Regionalization Program allows smaller political entities to have access to the County’s benefits program; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Benefits Regionalization Program is to provide these political entities with rate stabilization, potential rate reductions and bargaining leverage for health benefits; and

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

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

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby authorizes an agreement with Red Center Logic for participation in the Cuyahoga County Benefits Regionalization Program for the period 5/1/2015 – 12/31/2017.

SECTION 2. That 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 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 Ms. Conwell, seconded by Mr. Germana, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

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

Nays: None

County Council Vice-President Date

County Executive Date

Clerk of Council Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: August 11, 2015

Committee(s) Assigned: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity

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