County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2016-0038

Sponsored by: County Executive Budish and Councilmembers Brady, Brown, Conwell, Hairston, Jones and Miller

A Resolution authorizing the County Executive, on behalf of the County, to endorse the Memorandum of Understanding among City of Cleveland, Construction Employers Association, Hispanic Roundtable, Hard Hatted Women, Urban League of Greater Cleveland, Greater Cleveland Partnership, Cuyahoga Community College, Cleveland Metropolitan School District and Cleveland Building and Construction Trades Council regarding Community Benefits and Inclusion; authorizing the County Executive to execute the Memorandum of Understanding and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 701 of the Cuyahoga County Charter mandates that the County “shall develop and implement policies, programs and activities for the expansion and enhancement of economic activity in the County so as to create and preserve jobs and employment opportunities for and available to residents of 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 entity.

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

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby authorizes the County Executive, on behalf of the County, to endorse the Memorandum of Understanding among City of Cleveland, Construction Employers Association, Hispanic Roundtable, Hard Hatted Women, Urban League of Greater Cleveland, Greater Cleveland Partnership, Cuyahoga Community College, Cleveland Metropolitan School District and Cleveland Building and Construction Trades Council and other possible entities regarding Community Benefits and Inclusion.
SECTION 2. To the extent an exemption is required to endorse this Memorandum of Understanding, it is hereby granted.

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 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. Germana, seconded by Ms. Brown, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

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

Nays: None

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County Council President  Date

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County Executive   Date

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Clerk of Council    Date
First Reading/Referred to Committee: February 9, 2016
Committee(s) Assigned: Public Works, Procurement & Contracting

Committee Report/Second Reading: March 8, 2016

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