County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2016-0148

Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Department of Law and County Sheriff

A Resolution approving a Collective Bargaining Agreement between Cuyahoga County and International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America, UAW Region 2-B, covering approximately 24 employees in the classification of Registered Nurse at the Sheriff’s Department for the period 5/1/2016 - 4/30/2019; directing that funds necessary to implement the Collective Bargaining Agreement be budgeted and appropriated; 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 Cuyahoga County Department of Law on behalf of the County of Cuyahoga (hereinafter collectively referred to as “the County”), has been engaged in collective bargaining negotiations with International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America, UAW Region 2-B (hereinafter collectively referred to as ("UAW"), in an effort to negotiate a collective bargaining agreement (“CBA”) covering approximately 24 employees in the classification of Registered Nurse at the Sheriff’s Department for the period 5/1/2016-4/30/2019; and

WHEREAS, the parties have met in an effort to negotiate terms and have reached tentative agreement on a collective bargaining agreement; and

WHEREAS, the members of the bargaining unit met and voted to ratify the proposed collective bargaining agreement in full; and

WHEREAS, O.R.C. 4117.10 (B) requires that a public employer submit a request for funds necessary to implement an agreement, and for approval of any other matter requiring the approval of the appropriate legislative body to the legislative body within thirty days of the date on which the parties finalize the agreement, unless otherwise specified or if the legislative body is not in session at the time, then within fourteen days after it convenes; and
WHEREAS, O.R.C. 4117.10(B) further states that the legislative body must approve or reject the submission as a whole, and the submission is deemed approved if the legislative body fails to act within thirty days after the public employer submits the agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Law, the County Executive and the Department of Human Resources are recommending that Council approve the proposed CBA for the period 5/1/2016 – 4/30/2019; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective to ensure the efficient operation of the Sheriff’s Department.

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

SECTION 1. The Cuyahoga County Council hereby approves the Collective Bargaining Agreement between Cuyahoga County and UAW, representing approximately 24 employees in the classification of Registered Nurse at the Sheriff’s Department for the period 5/1/2016 – 4/30/2019; and authorizes the County Executive to execute all documents consistent with this Resolution.

SECTION 2. If additional funds are necessary to implement the CBA between the County and UAW beyond those funds that have already been budgeted, they are hereby authorized to be budgeted and appropriated.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by the Cuyahoga County Sheriff’s Department can continue without interruption, and to provide for the usual, daily operation of the County. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of County Council, this Resolution shall become immediately effective upon the signature of the County Executive.

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. Schron, seconded by Mr. Brady, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

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

Nays: None
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