

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2017-0094

<p>Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Department of Health and Human Services/Cuyahoga Job and Family Services</p> <p>Co-sponsored by: Councilmembers Miller, Hairston, Jones, Conwell, Tuma and Brown</p>	<p>A Resolution authorizing amendments to agreements and contracts with various providers for the Cuyahoga County Fatherhood Initiative for the period 7/1/2014 - 6/30/2017 to extend the time period to 12/31/2017 and for additional funds; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendments and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.</p>
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Services/Cuyahoga Job and Family Services recommends authorizing amendments to agreements and contracts with various providers for the Cuyahoga County Fatherhood Initiative for the period 7/1/2014 - 6/30/2017 to extend the time period to 12/31/2017 and for additional funds as follows:

- i) Agreements:
 - a. No. AG1400099-01 with Cuyahoga County District Board of Health in the amount not-to-exceed \$35,000.00 for the Prevent Premature Fatherhood Program.
 - b. No. AG1400100-01 with The MetroHealth System in the amount not-to-exceed \$117,000.00 for the Boot Camp for New Dads Program.
 - c. No. AG1400101-01 with Department of Public Safety and Justice Services/Division of Mediation in the amount not-to-exceed \$20,000.00 for mediation, custody filing, visitation and referral services.

- ii) Contracts:
 - a. No. CE1400181-01 with Career Development and Placement Strategies Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$50,000.00 for the Rising Above Program.
 - b. No. CE1400182-01 with The Centers for Families and Children in the amount not-to-exceed \$41,500.00 for the Families and Fathers Together Program.

- c. No. CE1400183-01 with Domestic Violence & Child Advocacy Center in the amount not-to-exceed \$41,500.00 for the Supervised Visitation Program.
- d. No. CE1400184-01 with JDC Advertising in the amount not-to-exceed \$35,000.00 for a Public Awareness Campaign.
- e. No. CE1400185-01 with The Children's Museum of Cleveland in the amount not-to-exceed \$15,000.00 for the Dad's Count Program.
- f. No. CE1400186-02 with Murtis Taylor Human Services System in the amount not-to-exceed \$30,000.00 for the Strong Fathers Program.
- g. No. CE1400187-01 with Passages Connecting Fathers and Sons, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$50,000.00 for the Jobs for Dads Program.
- h. No. CE1400188-01 with Towards Employment, Incorporated in the amount not-to-exceed \$50,000.00 for the Network 4 Success Fatherhood Program.
- i. No. CE1400189-01 with University Settlement, Incorporated in the amount not-to-exceed \$26,000.00 for the Healthy Fathering Program.

WHEREAS, the goals of the Fatherhood Initiative are: (1) to promote public awareness of the importance of the role of a father, (2) to provide access to public services to young men and fathers in order to educate them about fatherhood and responsibilities of being a father, and (3) to fund fatherhood related programs at the county level; and

WHEREAS, this project is funded 100% by Health and Human Services Levy; 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 amendments to agreements and contracts with various providers for the Cuyahoga County Fatherhood Initiative for the period 7/1/2014 - 6/30/2017 to extend the time period to 12/31/2017 and for additional funds as follows:

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SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute the amendments 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 Ms. Brown, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Jones, Brown, Hairston, Simon, Baker, Miller, Tuma, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell and Brady

Nays: None

County Council President

Date

County Executive

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: May 9, 2017

Committee(s) Assigned: Health, Human Services & Aging

Additional Sponsorship Requested on the Floor: May 9, 2017

Additional Sponsorship Requested: May 16, 2017

Committee Report/Second Reading: May 23, 2017

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