County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2017-0122

Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Medical Examiner
Co-sponsored by: Councilmember Hairston

A Resolution authorizing an amendment to a revenue generating agreement with City of Cleveland for Crime Lab testing services for the period 11/1/2014 - 12/31/2025 to change the scope of services, effective 1/1/2017, and for additional revenue in the amount of $900,000.00; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

WHEREAS, the County Executive/Medical Examiner recommends an amendment to a revenue generating agreement with City of Cleveland for Crime Lab testing services for the period 11/1/2014 - 12/31/2025 to change the scope of services, effective 1/1/2017, and for additional revenue in the amount of $900,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal of the original agreement with the City of Cleveland was to provide scientific testing services to be utilized by law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal of this amendment is to add firearms testing to the scope of services, effective 1/1/2017; 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. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby authorizes an amendment to a revenue generating agreement with City of Cleveland for Crime Lab testing services for the period 11/1/2014 - 12/31/2025 to change the scope of services, effective 1/1/2017, and for additional revenue in the amount of $900,000.00.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute the amendment 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 and the 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 Ms. Conwell, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Baker, Miller, Tuma, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell, Jones, Brown, Hairston, Simon 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:  June 27, 2017
Committee(s) Assigned:  Public Safety & Justice Affairs

Additional Sponsorship Requested on the Floor:  July 11, 2017

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