

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2019-0037

<p>Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Early Childhood and Councilmember Conwell</p> <p>Co-sponsored by: Councilmember Miller</p>	<p>A Resolution authorizing a contract with Child Care Resource Center of Cuyahoga County dba Starting Point in the amount not-to-exceed \$1,974,636.00 for management, administration and implementation of various supportive services for the Universal Pre-Kindergarten Program for the period 1/1/2019 - 12/31/2019; authorizing the County Executive to execute the contract 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/ Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Early Childhood has recommended a contract with Child Care Resource Center of Cuyahoga County dba Starting Point in the amount not-to-exceed \$1,974,636.00 for management, administration and implementation of various supportive services for the Universal Pre-Kindergarten (“UPK”) Program for the period 1/1/2019 - 12/31/2019; and,

WHEREAS, the primary goals of this project are for Starting Point to provide the following essential services for the UPK program: (a) management of the UPK Management Information System (MIS), (b) UPK Safety Net Scholarship program, (c) implementation of the UPK family engagement, (d) resource coordination and (e) program enhancement components to support the provision of high-quality UPK programming in UPK sites; and,

WHEREAS, this project is funded by (a) High Quality Pre-Kindergarten Education Fund at the Cleveland Foundation (\$292,945.00), (b) Health and Human Services Levy funds (\$1,406,691.00), (c) Bruening Foundation (\$150,000.00) and (d) Mt. Sinai Foundation (\$125,000.00); 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:

Clerk of Council

Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: January 22, 2019

Committee(s) Assigned: Education, Environment & Sustainability

Additional Sponsorship Requested on the Floor: January 22, 2019

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