

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2020-0204

<p>Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services</p> <p>Co-sponsored by: Councilmember Conwell</p>	<p>A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. CE1700066-01 with Lutheran Metropolitan Ministry for emergency shelter services for single adults at the Men’s Emergency Shelter, located at 2100 Lakeside Avenue, Cleveland, and coordination of overflow shelter services at various locations for the period 5/1/2017 - 12/31/2020 to change the scope of services, effective 9/29/2020, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$3,627,924.00; 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.</p>
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WHEREAS, the County Executive/Department of Health and Human Services/ Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services has recommended an amendment to Contract No. CE1700066-01 with Lutheran Metropolitan Ministry for emergency shelter services for single adults at the Men’s Emergency Shelter, located at 2100 Lakeside Avenue, Cleveland, and coordination of overflow shelter services at various locations for the period 5/1/2017 - 12/31/2020 to change the scope of services, effective 9/29/2020, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$3,627,924.00; and

WHEREAS, the primary goals for this amendment are as follows: (1) reduce census at congregate shelters, (2) reduce the spread of COVID-19 among vulnerable homeless persons, and (3) support a public health approach that keeps staff, clients and general community safe during COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, this project is funded 100% by the COVID-19 Relief Fund; 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 an amendment to Contract No. CE1700066-01 with Lutheran Metropolitan Ministry for emergency shelter services for single adults at the Men’s Emergency Shelter, located at 2100 Lakeside Avenue, Cleveland, and coordination of overflow shelter services at various locations for the period 5/1/2017 - 12/31/2020 to change the scope of services, effective 9/29/2020, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$3,627,924.00.

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; 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: Miller, Tuma, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell, Jones, Brown, Stephens, Simon, Baker and Brady

Nays: None

County Council President Date

County Executive Date

Clerk of Council

Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: September 15, 2020
Committee(s) Assigned: Health, Human Services & Aging

Additional Sponsorship Requested on the Floor: September 29, 2020

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[Clerk's Note: Electronic signatures affixed in accordance with Cuyahoga County Code Chapter 110]