

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2020-0256

<p>Sponsored by: County Executive Budish on behalf of Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas/Juvenile Division</p>	<p>A Resolution amending Resolution No. R2020-0212, dated 10/13/2020, which authorized an Agreement between Cuyahoga County and the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas/ Juvenile Division to provide funding for the Court to pay hazard pay to the Juvenile Detention Center employees in accordance with the Coronavirus Relief Fund established by Section 5001 of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, for the period 10/16/2020 - 1/8/2021, by increasing the not-to-exceed amount of said agreement, which has potential collective bargaining implications, to \$994,600.00; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.</p>
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WHEREAS, the novel coronavirus disease (“COVID-19”) is rapidly spreading, as numerous members of the community have been infected with the disease and the risk of serious illness is imminent and the resulting impact of the disease on Cuyahoga County residents and businesses is potentially catastrophic; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. R2020-0212 this Council authorized an agreement between Cuyahoga County and the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas/ Juvenile Division in the amount not-to-exceed \$709,500.00 to provide funding for the Court to pay hazard pay to its Juvenile Detention Center employees in accordance with the Coronavirus Relief Fund established by Section 5001 of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, for the period 10/16/2020 through 1/8/2021; and

WHEREAS, the County and the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas/ Juvenile Division recognize that additional employees who specifically work in the Juvenile Court’s Detention Center should be eligible for hazard pay based on their continuous interaction with individuals in close proximity, in a closed environment with increased exposure to COVID-19 due to the nature of their job duties and respective work environments; 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 County departments.

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

SECTION 1. That Resolution R2020-0212 is hereby amended to increase the not-to-exceed amount of the agreement authorized by said Resolution, which agreement has collective bargaining implications, to \$994,600.00, an increase of \$285,100.00 to include additional specified classifications of employees working withing the Juvenile Detention Center.

SECTION 2. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue, and to continue the usual and daily operation of the County. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members elected to Council, this Resolution shall become immediately effective upon the signature of the County Executive.

SECTION 3. 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. Brady, seconded by Simon, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

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

Nays: None



11/24/2020

County Council President

Date



11/24/2020

County Executive

Date



11/24/2020

Clerk of Council

Date

Legislation Substituted on the Floor: November 24, 2020

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