

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2022-0119

Sponsored by: County Executive Budish/Office of Innovation and Performance	A Resolution making an award on RQ6906 to PC's for People Ohio, LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$19,382,136.00 for the deployment of broadband services in Cuyahoga County, commencing upon contract signature of all parties for a period of three (3) years; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 2318 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
Co-sponsored by: Councilmember Jones	

WHEREAS, the County Executive/Office of Innovation and Performance has recommended an award on RQ6906 to PC's for People Ohio, LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$19,382,136.00 for the deployment of broadband services in Cuyahoga County, commencing upon contract signature of all parties for a period of three (3) years; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal for this project is to provide an affordable broadband service in the areas most in need; and

WHEREAS, the funding for this project is 100% by General 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 makes on RQ6906 with PC's for People Ohio, LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$19,382,136.00 for the deployment of broadband services in Cuyahoga County, commencing upon contract signature of all parties for a period of three (3) years.

SECTION 2. That the County Executive is authorized to execute Contract No. 2318 and all other documents consistent with said award and 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. Stephens, seconded by Ms. Simon, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

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

Nays: None

County Council President

Date

County Executive

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: April 26, 2022

Committee(s) Assigned: Community Development

Additional Sponsorship Requested in Committee: May 16, 2022

Committee Report/Second Reading: May 24, 2022

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