

# County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

## Resolution No. R2023-0016

<p>Sponsored by: <b>County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Community Initiatives/Office of Homeless Services</b></p> <p>Co-sponsored by: <b>Councilmember Turner</b></p>	<p><b>A Resolution</b> authorizing an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for permanent supportive housing services to chronically homeless single adults and high-barrier homeless persons for the period 7/1/2021 – 6/30/2022 to extend the time period to 6/30/2023 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$2,000,000.00; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent 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 recommends an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for permanent supportive housing services to chronically homeless single adults and high-barrier homeless persons for the period 7/1/2021 – 6/30/2022 to extend the time period to 6/30/2023 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$2,000,000.00 with the following providers:

- a) Contract No. 1602 with Emerald Development and Economic Network, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$917,663.00.
- b) Contract No. 1604 with Famicos Foundation in the amount not-to-exceed \$150,097.00.
- c) Contract No. 1605 with Front Steps Housing & Services, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$334,538.00.
- d) Contract No. 1617 with Mental Health Services for Homeless Persons, Inc. dba Frontline Services in the amount not-to-exceed \$160,005.00.
- e) Contract No. 1606 with Humility of Mary Housing, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$110,796.00.
- f) Contract No. 1613 with YWCA of Greater Cleveland – Gogswell Hall in the amount not-to-exceed \$185,325.00.

- g) Contract No. 1614 with YWCA of Greater Cleveland – Independence Place in the amount not-to-exceed \$141,576.00.

**WHEREAS**, the primary goal of this amendment is to continue to provide rent subsidized permanent housing, medical care, mental health, recovery and employment services to help individuals integrate back into their communities; and

**WHEREAS**, this project is funded 100% by Health and Human Services Levy funds; 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 a Master Contract with various providers for permanent supportive housing services to chronically homeless single adults and high-barrier homeless persons for the period 7/1/2021 – 6/30/2022 to extend the time period to 6/30/2023 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$2,000,000.00 with the following providers:

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**SECTION 2.** That the County Executive is authorized to execute the amendment to the master contract and all documents consistent with this Resolution. To the extent that any exemptions are necessary under the County Code and contracting procedures, they shall be deemed approved by the adoption of 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. Turner, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Simon, Kelly, Miller, Sweeney, Tuma, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell, Turner and Jones

Nays: None

  
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County Council President

1/25/23  
Date

  
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County Executive

1/27/23  
Date

  
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Clerk of Council

1/25/2023  
Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: January 10, 2023  
Committee(s) Assigned: Health, Human Services & Aging

Additional Sponsorship Requested on the Floor: January 24, 2023

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