

**THE SUMMIT AND MEDINA WORKFORCE AREA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
FOR OHIO LOCAL WORKFORCE AREA 2
RESOLUTION 2017-04**

A Resolution authorizing the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments to execute an Administrative Agreement with the Council Fiscal Agent, the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Fiscal Agent, and the County of Summit Department of Job and Family Services for the purpose of defining and clarifying how the duties of Council Staff, Area 2's Fiscal Agents and One-Stop operators will be carried out in a manner consistent with the Act and corresponding regulations.

WHEREAS, the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (WIOA) requires local workforce development boards and Chief Elected Officials (CEOs) to design workforce development systems with policies and services aligned to Area economies and to ensure that service delivery strategies are tailored to Area needs;

WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services' (ODJFS) WIOA Policy Letter No. 15-18.1 requires Ohio Local Workforce Areas to execute Multi-Function agreements for situations in which an entity or organization has been selected or otherwise designated to perform more than one function to clarify how the entity will carry out its responsibilities while demonstrating compliance with WIOA, corresponding regulations, and the State of Ohio's conflict of interest policy;

WHEREAS, the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments (SAMWA COG), comprised of Medina County Commissioner Adam Friedrich and County of Summit Executive Ilene Shapiro, was established to oversee the workforce development system in Ohio Local Workforce Area 2 (Area 2) in a manner consistent with WIOA, corresponding regulations, ODJFS requirements, and the State of Ohio's conflict of interest policy, and;

WHEREAS, the SAMWA COG has determined that, in order to comply with ODJFS' Multi-Function Agreement requirement, the SAMWA COG must execute an Administrative Agreement with the SAMWA COG Fiscal Agent, the WIOA Fiscal Agent, and the County of Summit Department of Job and Family Services (CSDJFS) that defines the roles of the SAMWA COG's staff, the SAMWA COG Fiscal Agent, the WIOA Fiscal Agent, and Area 2 One-Stop Operators in a manner consistent with WIOA, corresponding regulations, and the State of Ohio's conflict of interest policy;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the SAMWA COG that:

SECTION 1

The SAMWA COG is hereby authorized to execute an Administrative Agreement, hereto attached as Resolution Exhibit A, between the SAMWA COG, the SAMWA COG Fiscal Agent, the WIOA Fiscal Agent, and the County of Summit Department of Job and Family Services.

SECTION 2

This Directive shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Ayes: 2
Nays: 0
Abstain: 0
Absent: 0

ADOPTED, this 6th day of March, 2017.



Summit County Executive



Medina County Commissioner