

**THE SUMMIT AND MEDINA WORKFORCE AREA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
FOR OHIO LOCAL WORKFORCE AREA 2
RESOLUTION 2017-26**

A Resolution authorizing the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments to include Goodwill Industries of Akron and the Summit County Developmental Disabilities Board as “Additional Partners” to Ohio Local Workforce Area 2’s State Fiscal Year 2018 Memorandum of Understanding at the Summit County OhioMeansJobs Center pursuant to the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014, Section 121(b)(2).

WHEREAS, the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (the “WIOA”) requires the presence of partners providing certain services identified in WIOA Section 121(b)(1) at all One Stop Employment Centers nationally;

WHEREAS; WIOA Section 121(b)(2) allows entities not identified in Section 121(b)(1) to be included as Additional Partners to a Local Workforce Area’s Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) so long as their inclusion is consistent with WIOA’s goals and receives the approval of the Area’s Workforce Development Board (“WDB”) and chief elected officials;

WHEREAS, at their Special meeting held June 19, 2017, and following a review of the services currently provided by Goodwill Industries of Akron (“Goodwill”) and the Summit County Developmental Disabilities Board (“SCDDB”) at the Ohio Means Jobs Summit County Center (OMJSC), the WDB’s Executive Committee recommended the inclusion of Goodwill and SCDDB as Additional Partners to the Area 2 MOU for State Fiscal Year (“SFY”) 2018, and further recommended their presence at OMJSC; and

WHEREAS, the SAMWA COG finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information and accepting the WDB’s recommendation, that it is necessary and in the best interest of Area 2 to authorize the inclusion of Goodwill and SCDDB to the Area 2 MOU for SFY 2018 as Additional Partners at OMJSC;

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

SECTION 1

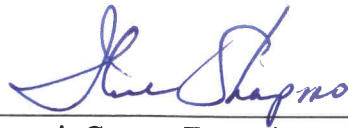
Goodwill Industries of Akron and the Summit County Developmental Disabilities Board are hereby authorized to serve as Additional Partners to Ohio Local Workforce Area 2’s Memorandum of Understanding for State Fiscal Year 2018, and are further authorized to provide services, consistent with WIOA Section 121(b)(2)(B), at the OhioMeansJobs Summit County Center.

SECTION 2

This Directive shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

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

ADOPTED, this 28th day of June, 2017.



Summit County Executive



Medina County Commissioner