

**THE SUMMIT AND MEDINA WORKFORCE AREA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS  
FOR OHIO LOCAL WORKFORCE AREA 2  
RESOLUTION 2025-13**

**A Resolution of the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments appointing Mr. Jeffrey Cornute, Human Resources and Safety Manager of SFS Group, as a representative of business in the automotive manufacturing sector to the Summit Medina Workforce Development Board in Ohio Workforce Area 2.**

**WHEREAS**, Section 107 of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (“WIOA”) requires the membership of local Workforce Development Boards (“WDB”) to be representative of the workforce area’s businesses, governmental, economic and community development entities, education and training institutions, and labor organizations;

**WHEREAS**, in Ohio Local Workforce Area 2 (“Area 2”), the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments (“SAMWA COG”) is responsible for appointing and/or reappointing WDB members who represent the sectors required under WIOA Section 107, as recommended by the Area 2 WDB and/or its Executive Committee;

**WHEREAS**, in a letter addressed to Ms. Colleen Swedyk, Medina County Commissioner, hereto attached as “*EXHIBIT A*,” Ms. Bethany Dentler, Executive Director, Medina Economic Development Corporation, nominated Mr. Jeffrey Cornute, Human Resources and Safety Manager of SFS Group, for appointment to the WDB representing a business in the automotive manufacturing sector located in Area 2, and;

**WHEREAS**, upon reception of the nomination Ms. Bethany Dentler, Executive Director, Medina Economic Development Corporation, Commissioner Swedyk determined Mr. Jeffrey Cornute to be an appropriate representative of business in the automotive manufacturing sector located in Area 2, and recommends his appointment to the WDB;

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

**SECTION 1**

The appointment of Mr. Jeffrey Cornute, Human Resources and Safety Manager of SFS Group, to the Summit Medina Workforce Development Board as a Medina County appointee who represents business in the automotive manufacturing sector located in Ohio Local Workforce Area 2, to a term ending December 31, 2026, in alignment with the Area 2 WDB’s Bylaws for Medina County appointments, is hereby confirmed.

**SECTION 2**

This Directive shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Ayes: 11  
Nays: 0  
Abstain: 0  
Absent: 0

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ADOPTED this 12<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2025.

  
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Summit County Executive

  
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Medina County Commissioner

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**Exhibit A**

**Medina County  
Economic  
Development  
Corporation**



May 22, 2025

Christine Marshall, Executive Director  
Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments  
175 S. Main Street, Suite 204  
Akron, OH 44308

Dear Ms. Marshall:

On behalf of the Medina County Economic Development Corporation (MCEDC), I am pleased to recommend Jeffrey Cornute for an appointment to the Summit-Medina Workforce Development Board, representing a Medina County business.

Mr. Cornute is the Human Resources Manager of SFS Group, which is a Swiss-owned manufacturer of automotive parts. SFS has made significant capital investments in our community over the past two decades, adding space and new machinery to their plant, and they have hired many new employees in their Sharon Township facility. SFS is a member and strong supporter of MCEDC, and they have been very involved in our economic development and workforce development efforts.

Overseeing SFS's talent division, which includes multiple apprenticeships, Mr. Cornute is an experienced human resources professional as well as a local entrepreneur with a vendor location at The Common Ground in Medina. These roles give him some unique perspectives which will be of great value to our public workforce system.

Thank you for your consideration of Mr. Cornute's nomination to the Summit-Medina Workforce Development Board. Please contact me at 330-722-9215 or [bdentler@medinacounty.org](mailto:bdentler@medinacounty.org) if you have any questions about the recommended appointment.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bethany Dentler". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Bethany" being more prominent than the last name "Dentler".

Bethany Dentler, CEcD  
Executive Director, Medina County Economic Development Corporation

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