

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0467

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE THE PROMOTION OF NICHOLAS ZIMMERMAN TO THE POSITION OF CHIEF WATER OPERATOR WITHIN THE WARREN COUNTY WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, interviews were conducted and the Sanitary Engineer recommends Mr. Zimmerman be promoted to said position; and


NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the promotion of Nicholas Zimmerman, to the position of Chief Water Operator of Warren County Water and Sewer Department, classified, full-time permanent, non-exempt status, Pay Range 20, at \$29.502 per hour, effective pay period beginning March 28, 2020

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc:: Water/Sewer (file)
Nick Zimmerman's Personnel file
OMB-Sue Spencer

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0468

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF BRADLEY KREUSCH, ALTERNATIVE RESPONSE CASEWORKER I, WITHIN THE WARREN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES, CHILDREN SERVICES DIVISION, EFFECTIVE MARCH 27, 2020

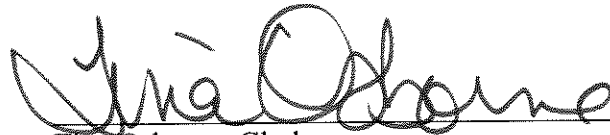
BE IT RESOLVED, to accept the resignation, of Bradley Kreusch, Alternative Response Casework I, within the Warren County Department of Job and Family Services, Children Services Division, effective March 27, 2020.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc:: Children Services (file)
B. Kreusch's Personnel File
OMB – Sue Spencer
Tammy Whitaker

*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0469

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF AMY POND, OPERATIONS ADMINISTRATOR, WITHIN THE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD, BUTLER/CLERMONT/WARREN COUNTIES, EFFECTIVE MARCH 27, 2020

BE IT RESOLVED, to accept the resignation, of Amy Pond, Operations Administrator, within the Workforce Investment Board, Butler/Clermont/Warren Counties, effective March, 27, 2020.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Workforce Investment Board (file)
Amy Pond's Personnel File
OMB – Sue Spencer
Tammy Whitaker

Resolution

Number 20-0470

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE A PAY INCREASE FOR EMMALINE RITCHIE WITHIN THE WARREN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

WHEREAS, this Board adopted Resolution #98-1460, October 8, 1998 adopting departmental work rules and compensation schedule for the Warren County Emergency Services and the Emergency Communications Operators; and

WHEREAS, Emmaline Ritchie, Emergency Communications Operator within the Warren County Emergency Services, has successfully completed three (3) years of service as a Emergency Communications Operator on April 10, 2020; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to approve Emmaline Ritchie's pay increase from \$22.22 per hour to \$24.81 per hour, under the Warren County Emergency Services Schedule, effective pay period beginning April 23, 2020.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Emergency Services (File)
E. Ritchie's Personnel File
OMB-Sue Spencer

*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0471

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE END OF 365-DAY PROBATIONARY PERIOD AND APPROVE A PAY INCREASE FOR BRIAN BOMER WITHIN THE WARREN COUNTY TELECOMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, Brian Bomer, Data Technician I within the Warren County Telecommunications Department, has successfully completed a 365-day probationary period, effective April 14, 2020; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to approve Brian Bomer's completion of 365-day probationary period and to approve a pay increase to end of probationary rate of \$21.01 per hour effective pay period beginning April 25, 2020.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Telecom (file)
B. Bomer's Personnel File
OMB – Sue Spencer

Resolution

Number 20-0472

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

REMOVE PROBATIONARY EMPLOYEE DOMINIQUE POWELL SAIDYKHAN, ELIGIBILITY REFERRAL SPECIALIST II, WITHIN THE WARREN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES, HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION

WHEREAS, Dominique Powell Saidykhan began employment with the Warren County Department of Job and Family Services, Human Services Division on August 12, 2019, subject to a 365 day probationary period; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Warren County Department of Job and Family Services, Human Services Division, has recommended said employee be terminated for failing to meet the required standards of the position; and

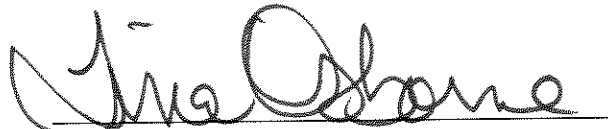
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to remove Dominique Powell Saidykhan from employment within the Warren County Department of Job and Family Services, Human Services Division, effective March 17, 2020.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Human Services (file)
D. Powell Saidykhan's Personnel File
OMB – Sue Spencer
Tammy Whitaker

Resolution

Number 20-0473

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

AMEND RESOLUTION #20-0461 TO SET AND ADVERTISE PUBLIC HEARING #2 TO DESIGNATE PROJECTS WARREN COUNTY INTENDS TO FUND FOR THE FY 2020 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) URBAN ENTITLEMENT PROGRAM

BE IT RESOLVED, amend Resolution #20-0461 to set and advertise public hearing #2 to designate projects for the FY2020 CDBG program to the following amounts:

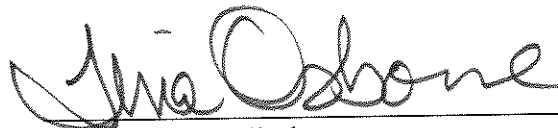
\$ 87,600	Franklin Township – Grandview Paving Project
\$ 16,180	Harveysburg Community Historical Society Community Center
\$ 275,000	Lebanon – Summit & Highland Ave. Project
\$ 200,000	Union Township & South Lebanon – Lebanon Road Project
\$ 158,520	Morrow – Phegley Park Project
\$ 42,000	Warren County Abuse & Rape Crisis Shelter
\$ 69,450	Interfaith Hospitality Network
\$ 80,000	Administration & Fair Housing

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: OGA (file)

Resolution

Number 20-0474

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

TEMPORARILY SUSPEND WATER DISCONNECTIONS FOR NON-PAYMENT AND PENALTY CHARGES FOR CUSTOMERS IN THE WARREN COUNTY WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT

WHEREAS, access to clean water is necessary during the current coronavirus outbreak; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners have recommended that the Warren County Water and Sewer Department suspend water disconnections for non-payment and penalty charges until further notice; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Water and Sewer Department suspend water disconnections for non-payment and penalty charges until further notice.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Water/Sewer

Resolution

Number 20-0475

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

REQUEST SPEED REDUCTION STUDY FOR GREENTREE ROAD (FROM UNION ROAD TO STATE ROUTE 741)

WHEREAS, a request has been made to this Board that the statutory vehicular speed limit established by Ohio Revised Code, Section 4511.21, is greater than that considered reasonable and safe on Greentree Road (County Road #20); and

WHEREAS, it is the determination of this Board that such investigation confirms the allegation that the statutory speed limit of 55 mph is greater than is reasonable and safe under the conditions found to exist at such location; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by this Board that:

Section 1. By the virtue of the provisions of the Ohio Revised Code, Section 4511.21, the Director of Transportation is hereby requested to review the engineering and traffic investigation and to determine and declare a reasonable and safe prima-facie speed limit on Greentree Road (County Road #20).

Section 2. That when this Board is advised that the Director of Transportation has determined and declared a reasonable and safe speed limit on the section of road described in Section 1 hereof, standard signs, properly posted and giving notice thereof, will be erected upon which such declared speed limit shall become effective.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Engineer (file)
ODOT (file)

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0476

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN A SUBGRANT AWARD AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE GREATER WARREN COUNTY DRUG TASK FORCE

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the County Administrator to sign a Subgrant Award Agreement, on behalf of the Greater Warren County Drug Task Force for the Fiscal Year 2019 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant, Subgrant Number 2019-JG-A01-6252, as attached hereto and made a part hereof, being funded through the U.S. Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance, with the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services as the duly authorized State Agency; and

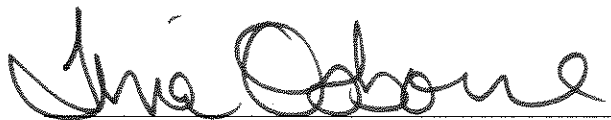
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, in the event funding is not available from State of Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services, the Warren County Board of Commissioners has no further obligation to fund this project.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a – Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services
OGA
W.C. Drug Task Force (file)
OCJS
Auditor's Office – Brenda Quillen



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- Office of Criminal Justice Services
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Kerlton F. Moore
Executive Director

Office of Criminal Justice Services

1970 West Broad Street
P.O. Box 182832
Columbus, Ohio 43218-2832
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SUBGRANT AWARD AGREEMENT

Subgrant Number: 2019-JG-A01-6252

Title: Greater Warren County Drug Task Force

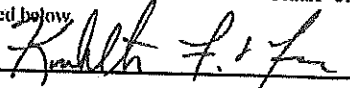
In accordance with the provisions of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, FY 2005, Public Law 108-447; 118 Stat. 2862, Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CDFA) 16.738 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant 2019 funded through the U.S. Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance, the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services, as the duly authorized State Agency, hereby approves the project application submitted as complying with the requirements of the Agency for the fiscal year indicated in the subgrant number above and awards to the foregoing Subgrantee a Subgrant as follows:

Subgrantee:	Warren County Commissioners		
Implementing Agency:	Greater Warren County Drug Task Force		
Award Periods:	01/01/2020 to 12/31/2020		
Closeout Deadline:	03/01/2021		
Award Amounts:	OCJS Funds:	\$60,000.00	75%
	Cash Match:	\$20,000.00	25%
	Inkind Match:	\$0.00	
	Project Total:	\$80,000.00	100%

The terms set forth in the 'Responsibility for Claims' section of the OCJS Standard Federal Subgrant Conditions Handbook are subject to Ohio law, including section 3345.15 of the Ohio Revised Code and the Ohio Constitution. As a result, those terms may not apply to subgrant recipients who are political subdivisions of the state, and do not apply to state instrumentalities.

This Subgrant is subject to the statements as set forth in the approved Programmatic and Budget Application submitted and approved revisions thereto, as well as the OCJS Standard Federal Subgrant Conditions and Special Conditions to this Subgrant, which are attached hereto and hereby included by reference herein. The Subgrant is also bound by all applicable federal guidelines, as referenced in the Standard Conditions. Revisions to this Subgrant Award Agreement must be approved in writing by OCJS.

The Subgrant shall become effective as of the award date, for the period indicated, upon return to OCJS of this Subgrant Award Agreement executed on the behalf of the Subgrantee's and Implementing Agency's authorized official in the space provided below.


Kerlton F. Moore, Executive Director
Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services

3/11/20
Award Date

The Subgrantee agrees to serve as the official subrecipient of the award, agrees to provide the required match as indicated above, and assumes overall responsibility for compliance with the terms and conditions of the award. I hereby accept this Subgrant on behalf of the Subgrantee.

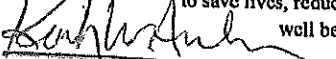

Warren County Administrator
Warren County Commissioners

3-24-2020
Date

The Implementing Agency agrees to comply with the terms and conditions of the award. I hereby accept this Subgrant on behalf of the Implementing Agency.

Major S. Beatty 3/17/2020
Major (Commander) Date
Greater Warren County Drug Task Force

APPROVED AS TO FORM


Keith W. Anderson
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

Mission Statement

"to save lives, reduce injuries and economic loss, to administer Ohio's motor vehicle laws and to preserve the safety and well being of all citizens with the most cost-effective and service-oriented methods available."

Ohio

Department of Public Safety

OCJS

Office of Criminal Justice Services

Mike DeWine, Governor
Jon Husted, Lt. Governor

Thomas J. Stickerath, Director
Karlton F. Moore, Executive Director

Steven C Arrasmith
Major (Commander)
Greater Warren County Drug Task Force
822 Memorial Drive
Lebanon, Ohio 45036 2385

Subgrant Number: 2019-JG-A01-6252
Project Title: Greater Warren County Drug Task Force

Dear Mr. Arrasmith:

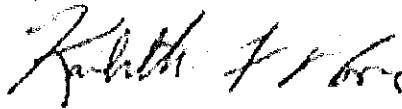
I am pleased to inform you of the approval and award of the above Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant 2019 Grant Program subgrant for which you are the project director. You will find the attached certificate subgrant award. The certificate must be signed by the authorized official of the subgrantee and implementing agency and uploaded to the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services Online Grants Management System. You may wish to print a copy of the subgrant award for your records.

The subgrant is bound by the award certificate, completed pre-award conditions, the Standard Federal Subgrant Conditions, which can be found at www.ocjs.ohio.gov and any other conditions communicated through orientations or site visit monitorings. When determining whether to accept the award, consideration should be given to all required conditions. Should you have any questions, please seek clarification prior to accepting the award.

To ensure prompt receipt of funds, please return these documents as soon as possible. It normally takes four to six weeks to process subgrant payments after an approved Quarterly Subgrant Report is completed.

Please direct any grant administration questions to your grant coordinator. Contact information for your grant coordinator is located on the OCJS website at <https://www.ocjs.ohio.gov/grants.stm> and on the "application snapshot" page of your application in the online grants system at www.ocjsgrants.com, or you may call (614) 466-7782 or 888-448-4842 and ask to speak to a grant coordinator.

Sincerely,



Karlton F. Moore
Executive Director
Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services

CC: File
Warren County Commissioners
Greater Warren County Drug Task Force

Mission Statement

"to save lives, reduce injuries and economic loss, to administer Ohio's motor vehicle laws and to preserve the safety and well being of all citizens with the most cost-effective and service-oriented methods available."

Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) 2019

Organization: Greater Warren County Drug Task Force

2019-JG-A01-6252

Title Page

- A. Program Area:** ✓ A01 - Multi-Jurisdictional Task Forces Programs
 A02 - Law Enforcement Programs
 B01 - Crime Prevention Programs
 C01 - Adult and Juvenile Corrections, Community Corrections and Reentry Programs
 D01 - Courts, Defense, Prosecution and Victim Service Programs
 D02 - Specialized Dockets
 E01 - Cross-Agency and Cross-System Collaboration, Training and Research Programs

B. Title of Project: Greater Warren County Drug Task Force

C. Project Period: 1/1/2020 to: 12/31/2020 Extension:

D. Continuation of Subgrant Number: 2018-JG-A01-6252

E. Focus of Application: City ✓ County Township Village State

F. Budget Summary:
 OCJS Funds: \$60,000.00
 Cash Match: \$20,000.00
 Inkind Match: \$0
Total Budget: \$80,000.00

See Directives for Eligibility

G. Project Director: Prefix: Mr. First Name: Steven M.I.: C Last Name: Arrasmith Suffix:
 Title: Major (Commander) Agency: Greater Warren County Drug Task Force
 Address: 822 Memorial Drive City: Lebanon Zip: 45036 - 2385
 Phone: 513-336-0070 Ext. Fax: 513-336-9097
 Email: arrasmith@wcdtf.org County: Warren

H. Implementing Prefix: Mr. First Name: Steven M.I.: C Last Name: Arrasmith Suffix:
 Title: Major (Commander) Agency: Greater Warren County Drug Task Force
 Address: 822 Memorial Drive City: Lebanon Zip: 45036 - 2385
 Phone: 513-336-0070 Ext. Fax: 513-336-9097
 Email: arrasmith@wcdtf.org County: Warren
 Website:

I. Subgrantee: Prefix: Mrs. First Name: Tiffany M.I.: Last Name: Zindel Suffix:
 Title: Warren County Administrator Agency: Warren County Commissioners
 Address: 406 Justice Drive Room 311 City: Lebanon Zip: 45036 - 2385
 Phone: 513-695-1241 Ext. Fax: 513-695-2054 Subgrantee
 Email: tiffany.zindel@co.warren.oh.us County: Warren Tax I.D.: 316000058

Vendor ID and Address code to be completed by OCJS:

Non-State Agency OAKS Vendor ID 0000052991
 OAKS Address Code 004

State Agency OAKS Vendor ID
 Vendor Location EFT-4

Overage

Split Funding

Duns Number: 784327608
 Primary Place of Performance:
 City: Lebanon
 State: Ohio
 Zip: 45036 - 2385

Title Page

*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0477

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE OVERBROOK AVENUE BRIDGE #2080-0.02
REPLACEMENT PROJECT

BE IT RESOLVED, to advertise for bids for the Overbrook Avenue Bridge #2080-0.02 Replacement Project for the County Engineer; and


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to advertise said bid for one (1) week in a newspaper of general circulation and for two consecutive weeks on the County Internet Website, beginning the week of April 5, 2020; bid opening to be April 21, 2020 at 9:15 a.m.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Engineer (file)
OMB Bid file

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0478

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH TMAC COMMUNICATIONS LLC FOR
ENGAGEMENT AND MARKETING SERVICES ON BEHALF OF THE AREA 12
WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD OF BUTLER CLERMONT WARREN COUNTIES

WHEREAS, the Area 12 Workforce Development Board requests that the Warren County Board of Commissioners enter into a contract agreement with TMAC Communications LLC, 11140 Rockville Pike, Suite 400 Rockville, MD 20852; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Warren County Commissioners will hereby approve and execute aforesaid services for one year effective from the date of the contract signature with an optional one-year renewal at the discretion of the Area 12 Workforce Investment Board of Butler Clermont and Warren Counties; and

WHEREAS, the maximum amount payable for this contract shall not exceed \$95,000;

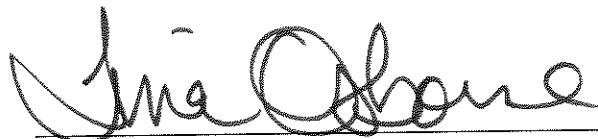
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Board of Warren County Commissioners to renew and enter into the Engagement and Marketing Services Contract as attached hereto and made part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: C/A—TMAC Communications LLC
WIB (file)

CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

This Contract is entered into, by and between the **Board of Commissioners of Warren County, Ohio** (hereinafter referred to as the "County"), on behalf of the **Workforce Development Board of Butler|Clermont|Warren, located at 406 Justice Drive, Lebanon, Ohio 45036** (hereinafter referred to as "WIBBCW") for Engagement & Marketing Services within the BCW|Workforce Development Area, with **TMAC Communications LLC, 11140 Rockville Pike, Suite 400 Rockville, MD 20852**, (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract Recipient").

In consideration of promises herein below delineated, the parties do hereby agree as follows:

1. This contract shall be effective from date of the contract signature and execution until March 5, 2021. There will be a one (1) one-year optional renewal, at the WIBBCW's discretion, based on funding and/or the Contract Recipient's ability to provide required services and deliverables. No services provided prior to the commencement date shall be covered under the terms of this contract.
2. The maximum amount payable for this contract shall not exceed \$95,000. If the contract is renewed, the funding amount may increase or decrease, based on the WIBBCW's discretion, available funding and/or a mutual agreement of continuing, modified and/or additionally-required services and deliverables.
3. This contract is conditioned upon federal, state, and/or local policies and regulations. If, during any stage of this contract, policy changes occur that would impact how and what services are provided, the WIBBCW reserves the right to modify or terminate the Contract Recipient's services or the entire contract.
4. Subject to terms and conditions set forth in this contract and its inclusive Exhibits, the Contract Recipient agrees to perform the following services as described in Exhibit I, the Scope of Services, further defined in Exhibit II, Response to the RFP.
5. The Contract Recipient will safeguard potentially obtained confidential information obtained the process.
6. The Contractor will transfer ownership of all materials purchased, created and developed to the WIBBCW. This includes, but is not limited to, software, licenses, website platforms, programs, digitally created images and printed materials.
7. The Contractor represents that it has sufficient training, expertise, and experience to provide aforesaid services.
8. The Contract Recipient will notify the WIBBCW before entering into any related sub-contracts.
9. Any modifications to this contract must be in writing and executed by the parties, prior to such change being effective. There will be no reimbursement for work outside of the scope of this contract, or fees and expenses beyond the aforesaid term amount, unless there is an approved written change order.

10. The Contract Recipient agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officials, employees and agents as well as the WIBBCW, its officials, employees and agents from any liability arising out of any acts or conduct, whether intentional or negligent, of the Contractor, its officers, employees and agents, which may give rise to liability.
11. The Contractor further agrees that, when using equipment, software or items provided by the County and the WIBBCW, the Contract Recipient will operate said equipment or property in a safe and proper manner; that when entering the property or premises owned by the County or using the County's equipment, it will further hold the County harmless from any injury, liabilities or damages which arise out of the use or misuse of said equipment or which occur while upon said property. The Contract Recipient further agrees to be responsible all conduct and will indemnify and hold the County harmless therefrom. Further the Contract Recipient acknowledges that it is an independent Contract Recipient, is not an employee of the County and will be responsible accordingly.
12. The Contract Recipient agrees to comply with all WIBBCW policies, federal, state and local laws, public record laws, statutes, regulations, ordinances and resolutions during the execution of the agreement.
13. The Contract Recipient shall carry commercial general liability insurance for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per person, \$2,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate while performing any services for the Board in accordance with the terms of this contract and shall provide proof of compliance with this condition. The Contract Recipient shall also maintain liability insurance to cover all of its employees and agents for any liability arising out of their conduct while in the employ of the Contract Recipient in connection with the services rendered pursuant to this agreement.
14. Throughout this project and for not less than one year following final payment, the Company shall maintain and exhibit proof of professional liability (errors and omissions) for the amounts stated above.
15. The Contract Recipient shall provide and maintain such insurance as will protect the Contract Recipient from claims under Workers Compensation, occupational sickness or disease, disability benefit and other similar mandatory employee benefit acts.
16. As a part of the consideration of this contract, the Contract Recipient represents that it has no outstanding tax liens of any type, real or personal, in the names of the company and /or its officers or partners. Further, the Contract Recipient has made no contributions to County Elected Officials in violation of Chapter 35, Ohio Revised Code.
17. When appropriate, the County reserves the right to require of the Contract Recipient, sub-contracts or other persons involved in the provision of the services under this agreement, appropriate affidavits in accordance with Title 1311 of the Ohio Revised Code and the parties acknowledge that if any Contract Recipient, sub-contract, laborer or material man remains unpaid that the County may, in lieu of payment directly to the Contract Recipient, sub-contract, laborer, material man in accordance with the money owed, any balance then being paid directly to the company.

18. If the Contract Recipient fails to perform to the satisfaction of the County and WIBBCW, the County may give, or cause to be given, notices in writing to such Contract Recipient whereupon the Contract Recipient shall have thirty (30) days to remedy said performance. If after thirty (30) days following such notice, the Contract Recipient has failed to remedy the performance to the County and or WIBBCW satisfaction, all rights of the Contract Recipient under this agreement shall thereupon terminate, and services and expenses rendered by the Contract Recipient shall be paid through the date of termination of the agreement. The parties further agree, that should the Contract Recipient for any reason breach this agreement by failing to complete it, that the Contract Recipient will be paid for services rendered to date less any costs or damages incurred by the Contract Recipient, including re-awarding of the contract or necessary duplication of original work. Compensation shall not exceed the maximum amount of this agreement. All work shall be turned over to the WIBBCW in the event of termination of this agreement.
19. This contract shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. Any action on the contract shall be venued in Warren County, Ohio. In the event that any court of competent jurisdiction should determine that any provision of this agreement is unenforceable or in any manner illegal, then such provision shall be deemed null and void, this contract shall be interpreted as if such provision had never been included, and the exclusion of any such provision shall not be deemed a revocation or nullification of the agreement in its entirety.
20. Any waiver by the County of a breach of this contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any subsequent breach.
21. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provisions of this agreement shall not affect the validity of the remaining terms and conditions.

Exhibit I

SCOPE OF SERVICES

TMAC Communications LLC, agrees to successfully complete the following services, as identified in Exhibit II, within year one of the contract.

1. Complete the following High-Level Tasks:

- A. **Project Initiation Subtasks:** Within 5-10 days After Contract Award Date (ACAD)
 - 1. Create Project Charter
 - 2. Create Project Notebook (including WIBBCW Guidelines)
 - 3. Obtain budget approval
 - 4. Conduct initial team and project kick off meeting(s)

- B. **Create a Stakeholder and Communications Plan:** Within 15 days ACAD
 - 1. Identify key BCW|Workforce stakeholders
 - 2. Establish an internal and external communication process
 - 3. Plan communications methods, logistics, and timing
 - 4. Determine internal systems to respond to projects and tasks

- C. **Develop Brand Strategy**
 - 1. **Phase 1: Define and Assess Brand Subtasks:** Within 25 days ACAD
 - a. Determine and document a list of specific measurable goals and objectives
 - b. Reassess gaps and opportunities (SWOT Analysis)
 - c. Assess the BCW|Workforce, WIBBCW and OMJ|BCW's organizational identities
 - d. Define the target audiences and create personas

 - 2. **Phase 2: Vision Planning:** Within 35 days ACAD
 - a. Define and Assess Brand Complete
 - b. Brainstorm brand strategies (internal and external stakeholders)
 - c. Develop brand advantage
 - d. Review key messaging platforms
 - e. Review market segments and communication channels
 - f. Identify and segment targets for marketing campaign
 - g. Establish a creative direction (look and feel, color palette, voice/tone, etc.)
 - h. Identify campaign data collection tools and mechanisms
 - i. Identify brand success factors
 - j. Review and update suggested evaluation metrics
 - k. Identify go-to partners and in-person target list

3. **Phase 3: Develop Creatives:** Within 45 days *ACAD*
 - a. Determine voice/messaging style
 - b. Develop concepts and comps (website, print, and digital media)
 - c. Review and approve concepts with the WIBBCW
 - d. Develop selected print and digital work products
 - e. Develop an Outreach Strategy for the dissemination of social media, press releases, etc.

4. **Phase 4: Test Marketing:** Within 50 days *ACAD*
 - a. With assistance from the WIBBCW, identify a focus group for test marketing
 - b. Prepare pretest materials
 - c. Prepare data gathering tools
 - d. Determine if pretest creative achieves objectives

D. Creative Production:

1. **Website Production:** Within 100 days *ACAD*;
 - a. Submit marketing campaign materials into production
 - b. Create digital media outlets (websites and social media)
 - c. Develop and produce creative (eblast, brochures, OOH)
 - d. Select vendors for appropriate print production methods
 - e. Develop press releases templates
 - f. Disseminate materials
 - g. Develop announcements and social media message templates

2. **Print Production:** Within 140 days *ACAD*;
 - a. Submit marketing campaign materials into production
 - b. Create digital media outlets (websites and social media)
 - c. Develop and produce creative (eblast, brochures, OOH)
 - d. Select vendors for appropriate print production methods
 - e. Develop press releases templates
 - f. Disseminate materials
 - g. Develop announcements and social media message templates

*Timeline is presented in business days After Contract Award Date (ACAD).

2. TMAC Communications, LLC will ensure that all materials communicate effectively with target audiences, including: Southwest Ohio businesses and employers, Southwest Ohio's workforce/labor force, elected officials, economic development, education and training providers, and community-based leaders, and the public-at large.
3. TMAC Communications LLC, will collect, measure and report on social media, e-blast and website metrics.
4. The Contract Recipient agrees to include at least two quarterly in-person meetings as part of the retainer fee.
5. The Contract Recipient agrees to provide bi-weekly status reports/conference calls, with any comment, challenges or unaddressed questions to the WIBBCW Executive Director, Ad-Hoc Engagement & Marketing Committee, Executive Committee and/or Full Board, as instructed by the WIBBCW Board Chair and/or Executive Director.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this agreement on the 9th day of March, 2020

WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

President

[Signature]

Vice President

Commissioners

CONTRACT RECIPIENT:

Tawana McAdams

Signature

Managing Director

Title

March 9, 2020

Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

[Signature]

Keith Anderson, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF Maryland
COUNTY OF Montgomery

I, Tawania McFadden, holding the title and position of Managing Director at the firm THAC Communications, affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The bid/proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the bid/proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake bid/proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

The price of the bid/proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal date on _____

Tawania McFadden
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March 2020

Leli Kiknadze
(Notary Public),

Montgomery County.

My commission expires 11 / 19 2020

LELI KIKNADZE
NOTARY PUBLIC
MONTGOMERY COUNTY MD
My Commission Expires 11/19/2023

Resolution

Number 20-0479

Adopted Date March, 2020

APPROVE EMERGENCY REPLACEMENT GRIT PUMP TO THE WAYNESVILLE WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANT

WHEREAS, the Sewer Department has encountered a failed grit pump at the Waynesville WWTP that is used to remove heavy sediment from the incoming water; and

WHEREAS, the repair is critical and time sensitive in maintaining proper operations that eliminates any potential overflow of solids into the tanks; and

WHEREAS, a replacement is needed to repair the failed pump; and

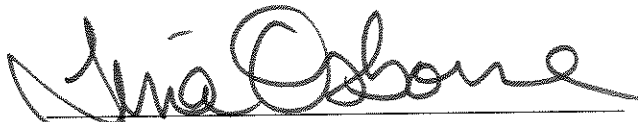
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to approve Purchase Order with Baker & Associates in the amount \$3,403.00 for grit pump replacement.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Auditor _____
Water/Sewer (file)

Resolution

Number 20-0480

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ENTER INTO A TEMPORARY ENTRANCE AND WORK AGREEMENT WITH SCOTT E. HAYES FOR THE BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT ON MORROW COZADDALE ROAD

WHEREAS, in order to improve the safety of Morrow-Cozaddale Road a bridge replacement project is to be completed and in order to perform the work it is necessary to enter onto the property, parcel #17-22-251-007 located at 7673 Morrow Cozaddale Road, Morrow, OH 45152 which is owned by Scott E. Hayes, grantor; and

WHEREAS, in order to complete this work; Grantee requests permission from Grantors to enter onto the said real estate for the purpose of completing the following items of work; and

1. Remove any tree, and/or brush as necessary for construction of the project.
2. Trim any tree, and/or brush as necessary for construction of the project.
3. Re-align any existing ditch or flow line to allow proper flow through new bridge.
4. Construct new bridge with wing walls.
5. Complete final grading of embankment and stream outside of the existing right-of-way.
6. Seed and straw any disturbed area upon completion of the project.

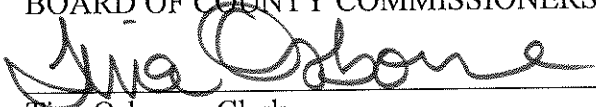
WHEREAS, in order to accomplish the foregoing, it is necessary to enter into a temporary entrance and work agreement with the property owner; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to enter into a Temporary Entrance and Work Agreement with Scott E. Hayes, for the Morrow Cozaddale Road bridge replacement project, a copy of which is attached hereto, for the sum of \$1.00 as consideration thereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Hayes, Scott E.
Engineer (file)
Easement file

TEMPORARY ENTRANCE AND WORK AGREEMENT

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

This agreement is entered into on the date stated below by Scott E. Hayes, whose tax mailing address is 7673 Morrow-Cozaddale Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152 (hereinafter the "Grantor"), and the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, whose mailing address is 406 Justice Drive, Lebanon, Ohio 45036 (hereinafter the "Grantee").

Witnesseth:

In order to improve the public safety and better serve the needs of the traveling public a bridge replacement project on Morrow-Cozaddale Road is to be completed. In order to perform the work it is necessary to enter onto property, which is owned by Grantor. The subject real estate is located at 7673 Morrow-Cozaddale Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152, identified as Parcel #17-22-251-007. Grantee requests permission from Grantor to enter onto the said real estate for the purpose of completing the following items of work:

1. Remove any tree, and/or brush as necessary for construction of the project.
2. Trim any tree, and/or brush as necessary for construction of the project.
3. Re-align any existing ditch or flow line to allow proper flow through new bridge.
4. Construct new bridge with wing walls.
5. Complete final grading of embankment and stream outside of the existing right-of-way.
6. Seed and straw any disturbed area upon completion of the project.

Upon completion of the above mentioned items of work, the Grantee agrees to restore any disturbed property, with the exception of any trees, tree limbs, and brush that are removed, to its original condition, but not better than any pre-existing condition.

Now, therefore, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby stipulated, Grantor do hereby grant a *license* to Grantee, its agents and employees, to enter onto the aforesaid real estate to complete the aforementioned items of work.

This Temporary Entrance and Work Agreement shall bind and inure to the benefit of each party hereto and their respective heirs, successors and assigns and shall terminate upon the completion of the Morrow-Cozaddale Road Bridge #43-3.35 Replacement Project or until December 31, 2020, whichever comes first.

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IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, Scott E. Hayes, the Grantor herein, have hereunto set his hand on the date stated below.

Grantor:

Signature: *Scott Hayes*

Printed Name: Scott E. Hayes

Date: 3/12/20

STATE OF OHIO, COUNTY OF WARREN, ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 12TH day of MARCH, 2020, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for said state, personally came an individual known or proven to me to be Scott E. Hayes, being the **Grantor** in the foregoing Agreement, and acknowledged the signing thereof to be her voluntary act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal on this day and year aforesaid.



DOMINIC M. BRIGANO
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF OHIO
Comm. Expires
02/06/2022
Recorded in
Warren County

Dominic M. Brigano
Notary Public
My commission expires: 02/06/2022

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IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, the Grantee herein, have caused this agreement to be executed by Tom Grossmann, its Vice-President on the date stated below, pursuant to Resolution Number 20-0480 dated 3/24/20

Grantee:

Signature: [Signature]

Printed Name: Tom Grossmann

Title: Vice-President

Date: March 24, 2020

STATE OF OHIO, WARREN COUNTY, ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 24th day of March, 20 20 before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for said state, personally came a certain individual known or proven to me to be Tom Grossmann, Vice-President of the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, being the Grantee in the foregoing Agreement, and acknowledged the signing thereof to be his voluntary act and deed, and pursuant to the Resolution authorization _____ to act.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal on this day and year aforesaid.

[Signature]
Notary Public
My commission expires: 5/30/21

Prepared by:

DAVID P. FORNSHELL,
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO

By: [Signature]
Adam Nice, Assistant Prosecutor
500 Justice Drive
Lebanon, OH 45036
Ph. (513) 695-1399
Fx. (513) 695-2962
Email: Adam.Nice@warrencountyprosecutor.com



TINA OSBORNE
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF OHIO
Recorded in
Warren County
My Comm. Exp. 5/30/2021

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0481

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ENTER INTO AN ENGINEERING SERVICES CONTRACT WITH CARPENTER MARTY TRANSPORTATION, INC.

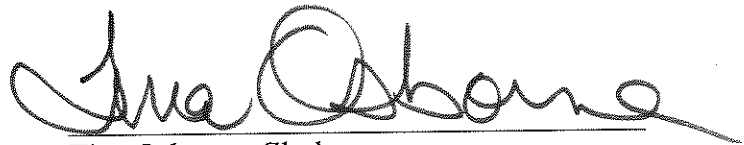
BE IT RESOLVED, to enter into an engineering service contract with Carpenter Marty Transportation, Inc. 10816 Millington Court, Suite 104, Cincinnati, OH 45242 for engineering services for the Columbia Road Right Turn Lane at US 22/SR3 Improvement Project; copy of said contract as attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: C/A—Carpentry Marty Transportation, Inc.
Engineer (file)

Cc: c/a Carpenter Marty Transportation, Inc.
Engineer (file)

**CONSULTING SERVICES CONTRACT FOR
ENGINEERING DESIGN SERVICES
COLUMBIA ROAD RIGHT TURN LANE AT US22/SR3 IMPROVEMENT PROJECT**

THIS IS AN AGREEMENT, made as of the date stated below, between the Warren County Board of Commissioners, 406 Justice Drive, Lebanon, Ohio 45036 hereinafter referred to as the "OWNER," on behalf of the Warren County Engineer, hereinafter referred to as the "COUNTY ENGINEER" and Carpenter Marty Transportation, Inc., 10816 Millington Court, Suite 104, Cincinnati, OH 45242, a domestic Corporation organized, duly licensed and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio, hereinafter referred to as the "ENGINEER."

COUNTY ENGINEER intends to construct a right turn lane on Columbia Road at the intersection with US22/SR3, hereinafter referred to as the PROJECT. In order to proceed with the PROJECT, Design Engineering Services must be completed, which are part of services to be provided by ENGINEER.

OWNER and ENGINEER in consideration of their mutual covenants herein agree in respect of the performance of professional Design Engineering Services by ENGINEER and the payment for those services by OWNER as set forth below.

ENGINEER shall provide professional Engineering Services for COUNTY ENGINEER in all phases of the Project to which this Agreement applies, serve as COUNTY ENGINEER'S professional Design Engineering representative for the Project as set forth below and shall give professional Design Engineering consultation and advice to COUNTY ENGINEER during the performance of services hereunder.

SECTION 1 - BASIC SERVICES OF ENGINEER

- 1.1 ENGINEER shall perform professional services as hereinafter stated, which include customary civil and traffic engineering services incidental thereto.
- 1.2 ENGINEER shall perform tasks for the PROJECT in accordance with the scope of services attached and made a part of this contract and identified as Exhibit 1, hereinafter referred to as "Basic Services".
- 1.3 ENGINEER shall furnish to the COUNTY ENGINEER one copy of all electronic files regarding the PROJECT on a compact disk.

SECTION 2 - ADDITIONAL SERVICES OF CONSULTANT

- 2.1 If authorized in writing by OWNER and COUNTY ENGINEER, ENGINEER shall furnish or obtain from others Additional Services, which are not considered normal or customary Basic Services. Such services are set forth in Exhibit 1, and identified as "if authorized" services.

SECTION 3 - COUNTY ENGINEER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

COUNTY ENGINEER shall:

- 3.1 Provide all criteria and full information as to COUNTY ENGINEER'S requirements for the Project.
- 3.2 Assist ENGINEER by placing at his disposal all available information pertinent to the Project.
- 3.3 Furnish ENGINEER, as required for performance of ENGINEER'S Basic Services, data prepared by or services of others, including without limitation laboratory tests and inspections of samples, materials and equipment; appropriate professional interpretations of all of the foregoing; property, boundary, easement, right-of-way, topographic and utility surveys; property descriptions; zoning, deed and other land use restrictions, all of which ENGINEER may rely upon in performing his/her services.
- 3.4 Arrange for access to and make all provisions for ENGINEER to enter upon public and private property as required for ENGINEER to perform his/her services.
- 3.5 Give prompt written notice to ENGINEER whenever COUNTY ENGINEER observes or otherwise becomes aware of any development that affects the scope or timing of ENGINEER'S services, or any defect in the work of the ENGINEER.
- 3.6 Furnish, or direct ENGINEER to provide, upon approval of OWNER, necessary Additional Services as stipulated in Section 2 of this Agreement or other services as required.
- 3.7 Bear all costs incidental to compliance with the requirements of this Section 3.

SECTION 4 - PERIOD OF SERVICE

- 4.1 The provisions of this Section 4 and the various rates of compensation for ENGINEER'S services provided for elsewhere in this Agreement have been agreed to in anticipation of the orderly and continuous progress of the Project. ENGINEER'S obligation to render services hereunder will extend for the period of time that may reasonably be required for the Traffic Engineering Services of the PROJECT, including extra work and required extensions thereto.

SECTION 5 - PAYMENTS TO ENGINEER

5.1 Methods of Payment for Services and Expenses of ENGINEER

- 5.1.1 For Basic Services. OWNER shall pay ENGINEER for Basic Services rendered under Section 1 as follows:
 - 5.1.1.1 The ENGINEER agrees to provide the Basic Services set forth in Section 1 hereof to the COUNTY ENGINEER for the PROJECT, for a **not to exceed fee of \$ 38,486.00.**
 - 5.1.1.2 For Additional Services, OWNER shall pay ENGINEER for Additional Services rendered under Section 2 as set forth in Exhibit 1, attached to and made a part of this Agreement, for a lump sum fee of \$ Not Applicable.

5.2 Times of Payments

- 5.2.1 ENGINEER shall submit monthly progress reports for Basic and Additional Services rendered. The progress reports will be based upon ENGINEER'S estimate of the proportion of the total services actually completed at the time of billing. No payment will be processed

without a monthly progress report. OWNER shall make prompt monthly payments in response to ENGINEER'S monthly statements.

5.3 Other Provisions Concerning Payments

5.3.1 If OWNER fails to make any payment due ENGINEER for services and expenses within sixty (60) days after receipt of ENGINEER'S statement therefore, the amounts due ENGINEER shall include a charge at the rate of one percent (1%) per month from said 60th day, and in addition, ENGINEER may, after giving seven days written notice to OWNER, suspend services under this Agreement until he has been paid in full all amounts due for services and expenses.

5.3.2 Records of ENGINEER'S Salary Costs pertinent to ENGINEER'S compensation under this Agreement will be kept in accordance with generally accepted accounting practices. Copies will be made available to OWNER and COUNTY ENGINEER upon request prior to final payment for ENGINEER'S services.

5.4 Definitions

5.4.1 The Payroll Costs used as a basis for payment mean salaries and wages (basic and incentive) paid to all personnel engaged directly on the PROJECT, including, but not limited to the following; engineers, architects, surveyors, designers, draftsmen, specification writers, estimators, all other technical personnel, stenographers, typists and clerks; plus the cost of unemployment, excise and payroll taxes, workers' compensation, health and retirement benefits, sick leave, vacation and holiday pay applicable thereto.

SECTION 6 - GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS

6.1 Termination

The obligation to provide services under this Agreement may be terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days' written notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, in the event of substantial failure by the other party to perform in accordance with the terms hereof through no fault of the terminating party. If this agreement is terminated, ENGINEER shall be paid for services performed to the termination date.

6.2 Reuse of Documents

All documents including reports and maps prepared by Engineer pursuant to this Agreement are instruments of service as part of the PROJECT. They are not intended or represented to be suitable for reuse by COUNTY ENGINEER or others on extensions of the PROJECT or any other project. Any reuse without written verification or adaptation by ENGINEER for the specific purpose intended will be at OWNER or COUNTY ENGINEER'S risk and without liability or legal exposure to ENGINEER. Any verification or adaptation requested by OWNER or COUNTY ENGINEER to be performed by ENGINEER will entitle ENGINEER to further compensation at rates to be agreed upon by OWNER, COUNTY ENGINEER and ENGINEER.

6.3 Controlling Law and Venue

This Agreement is to be governed by the law of the State of Ohio. The venue for any disputes hereunder shall be Warren County, Ohio.

6.4 Successors and Assigns

- 6.4.1 OWNER, COUNTY ENGINEER and ENGINEER each bind himself and his partners, successors, executors, administrators, assigns and legal representatives to the other party to this Agreement and to the partners, successors, executors, administrators, assigns and legal representatives of such other party in respect to all covenants, agreements and obligations of this Agreement.
- 6.4.2 Neither OWNER nor ENGINEER nor COUNTY ENGINEER shall assign, sublet or transfer any rights under or interest in (including, but without limitation, moneys that may become due or moneys that are due) this Agreement without the written consent of the other, except as stated in paragraph 6.4.1 and except to the extent that the effect of this limitation may be restricted by law. Unless specifically stated to the contrary in any written consent to an assignment, no assignment will release or discharge the assignor from any duty or responsibility under this Agreement. Nothing contained in this paragraph shall prevent ENGINEER from employing such independent consultants, associates and subcontractors as he may deem appropriate to assist him in the performance of services hereunder.
- 6.4.3 Nothing herein shall be construed to give any rights or benefits hereunder to anyone other than OWNER, COUNTY ENGINEER and ENGINEER.

6.5 Modification or Amendment

No modification or amendment of any provisions of this Contract shall be effective unless made by a written instrument, duly executed by the party to be bound thereby, which refers specifically to this Contract and states that an amendment or modification is being made in the respects as set forth in such amendment.

6.6 Construction

Should any portion of this Contract be deemed unenforceable by any administrative or judicial officer or tribunal of competent jurisdiction, the balance of this Contract shall remain in full force and effect unless revised or terminated pursuant to any other section of this Contract.

6.7 Waiver

No waiver by either party of any breach of any provision of this Contract shall be deemed to be a further or continuing waiver of any breach of any other provision of this Contract. The failure of either party at any time or times to require performance of any provision of this Contract shall in no manner affect such party's right to enforce the same at a later time.

6.8 Relationship of Parties

The parties shall be independent contractors to each other in connection with the performance of their respective obligations under this Contract.

6.9 Parties

Whenever the terms "OWNER", "COUNTY ENGINEER" AND "ENGINEER" are used herein, these terms shall include without exception the employees, agents, successors, assigns and/or authorized representatives of OWNER, COUNTY ENGINEER and ENGINEER.

6.10 Headings

Paragraph headings in this Contract are for the purposes of convenience and identification and shall not be used to interpret or construe this Contract.

6.11 Notices

All notices required to be given herein shall be in writing and shall be sent certified mail return receipt to the following respective addresses:

TO: Warren County Commissioners Attn. Tiffany Zindel, County Administrator 406 Justice Drive Lebanon, Ohio 45036 Ph. 513-695-1250	Warren County Engineer's Office Attn. Neil F. Tunison, County Engineer 210 W Main Street Lebanon, Ohio 45036 Ph. 513-695-3309
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Carpenter Marty Transportation, Inc.
Attn: Brad Ackel, P.E., PMP
10816 Millington Court, Suite 104
Cincinnati, OH 45242
Ph. 513-734-8542

6.12 Insurance

ENGINEER shall carry comprehensive general and professional liability insurance with limits of \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate, with no interruption of coverage during the entire term of this Contract. ENGINEER further agrees that in the event that its comprehensive general or professional liability policy is maintained on a "claims made" basis, and in the event that this contract is terminated, ENGINEER shall continue such policy in effect for the period of any statute or statutes of limitation applicable to claims thereby insured, notwithstanding the termination of the Contract. ENGINEER shall provide COUNTY ENGINEER with a certificate of insurance evidencing such coverage, which further requires and provides for thirty (30) days written notice of cancellation or non-renewal to COUNTY ENGINEER. Cancellation or non-renewal of insurance shall be grounds to terminate this Contract.

ENGINEER shall carry statutory worker's compensation insurance and statutory employer's liability insurance as required by law and shall provide COUNTY ENGINEER with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage simultaneous with the execution of this Contract.

SECTION 7 - SPECIAL PROVISIONS, EXHIBITS and SCHEDULES

The following Exhibits are attached to and made a part of this Agreement:

Exhibit 1

SECTION 8 – ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement (consisting of pages 1 to 7, inclusive), together with the Exhibit and schedules identified above constitute the entire agreement between OWNER and ENGINEER and supersede all prior written or oral understandings. This Agreement and said Exhibit and

schedules may only be amended, supplemented, modified or canceled by a duly executed written instrument, signed by all parties.

SECTION 9 – INDEMNIFICATION

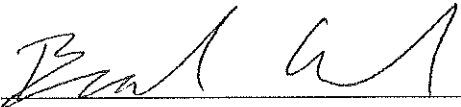
ENGINEER will defend, indemnify, protect, and save OWNER and COUNTY ENGINEER from any and all kinds of loss, claims, expenses, causes of action, costs, damages, and other obligations, financial or otherwise, arising from (a) negligent, reckless, or willful and wanton acts, errors or omissions by ENGINEER, its agents, employees, licensees, contractors, or subcontractors pursuant to the performance of services under this agreement; (b) the failure of ENGINEER, its agents, employees, licensees, contractors, or subcontractors, to observe the applicable standard of care in providing services pursuant to this Contract; and (c) the intentional misconduct of ENGINEER, its agents, employees, licensees, contractor or subcontractors that result in injury to persons or damage to property.

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SECTION 10 – EXECUTION

ENGINEER :

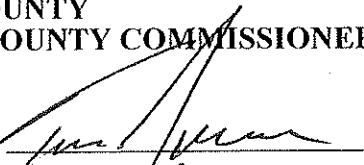
IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, Carpenter Marty Transportation, Inc., a domestic corporation for profit, has caused this Agreement to be executed on the date stated below by Brad Ackel, whose title is DIRECTOR OF SOUTHWEST OHIO OFFICE, pursuant to a corporate Resolution authorizing such act.

SIGNATURE: 
PRINTED NAME: BRAD ACKEL
TITLE: DIRECTOR OF SOUTHWEST OHIO OFFICE
DATE: 3/5/2020

OWNER:

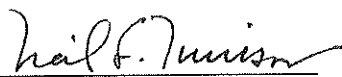
IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, upon written recommendation of the Warren County Engineer, the Warren County Board of County Commissioners has caused this Agreement to be executed on the date stated below by Tom Grossmann, its Vice-President, pursuant to Resolution No. 20-0481 dated March 24, 2020.

**WARREN COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

SIGNATURE: 
PRINTED NAME: Tom Grossmann
TITLE: Vice-President
DATE: 3/24/2020

RECOMMENDED BY:

**NEIL F. TUNISON, P.E., P.S.
WARREN COUNTY ENGINEER**

By: 
Neil F. Tunison, P.E., P.S.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

**DAVID P. FORNSHELL,
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

By: 
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

Exhibit 1



February 10, 2020
Rev. February 25, 2020

Kurt Weber, P.E., P.S.
Chief Deputy County Engineer
Warren County Engineer's Office
210 W. Main Street
Lebanon, Ohio 45036

Re: Columbia Road Right Turn Lane Engineering Services Proposal

We are pleased to submit this price proposal for engineering services and construction documents for the addition of a right turn lane on Columbia Road at the Montgomery Road intersection.

Project Understanding / Scope

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2. The right turn lane will be 12' wide.
3. Shoulder will be curb and gutter.
4. The traffic signal at the Columbia Road and Montgomery Road intersection will be modified to include right turn overlap phase for the northbound right turn lane.
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 - c. Survey location of all existing planimetric and terrain topographic features including: DTM features needed for defining the existing ground surface, utility locations, including OUPs design ticket request, and existing storm drainage pipes.
 - d. Develop basemap for roadway plans.
2. Preliminary Plans
 - a. Typical sections showing pavement width and build-up.
 - b. Develop plan sheets, identifying proposed alignments, edge of pavement, curb, relocated storm sewers, preliminary pavement markings, reconstructed drives, construction limits, existing utilities, and existing right-of-way.
 - c. Develop cross sections showing existing ground, proposed earthwork, proposed slopes and grading limits, and storm sewers.



February 10, 2020
Rev. February 25, 2020

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- d. Drainage calculations for relocated storm sewer system. Storm sewers will be shown on the plan and profile sheets.
 - e. Develop preliminary signal plan for Columbia Road/Montgomery Road intersection.
 - f. Utility Coordination.
 - g. Develop preliminary construction cost estimate.
 - h. Submit preliminary plans to County for review and comment. CM will coordinate the disposition of each comment with the County before advancing to final design.
 - i. Complete ODOT Abbreviated Safety Funding application and submit to the County.
3. Final Construction Plans:
- a. Update plans per preliminary plan comments.
 - b. Finalize signal plans.
 - c. Add final design details to typical sections, general notes, plans, storm sewers, and cross section sheets.
 - d. Add final pavement markings and signage to plan sheets.
 - e. Complete maintenance of traffic layout and notes.
 - f. Calculate quantities and develop general summary for bidding purposes.
 - g. Update construction cost estimate.
 - h. Submit plans to County for final review and comment. CM will coordinate the disposition of each comment with the County and make plan revisions as needed for final plan submission.
4. Project Management & Coordination
- a. Regular correspondence with the County and overall project management, coordination and administration as required by the work.
 - b. Internal plan reviews.
 - c. Anticipate attending 2 meetings and a site visit.

Items Not Included in Basic Services - Exclusions

1. Geotechnical services, analysis, testing or recommendation.
2. Environmental field investigations or reports, including cultural resources, ecological and environmental site assessments.
3. It is anticipated that BMPs will not be required.
4. Utility relocation design.
5. Pre-bid services.
6. Construction Administration.
7. Lighting layout and design.
8. Establishing property lines or court records search.
9. Right-of-way plans. IF AUTHORIZED, CM can provide exhibits for six (6) work agreements or temporary construction easements for an additional fee not to exceed \$2,000.



Basic Services Fee/Terms and Conditions

CM proposes a lumps sum fee for this scope of work of **\$38,486**. An approximate breakdown of tasks, hours, and associated fee is listed below.

Task Description	Hours	Fee
Field Survey and Basemap Development	47	\$6,499
Development of Preliminary Plans	127	\$11,861
Development of Final Construction Plans	121	\$12,893
Project Management & Coordination	28	\$5,233
IF AUTHORIZED: Temp. Const. Easements		\$2,000
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Total	323	\$38,486

The terms of this service agreement apply to this task and will be invoiced on an hourly basis.

It is assumed that plans and other items necessary to perform this work are available in the public domain. If items necessary for this work must be produced or purchased, they will be billed at cost after the client's approval. Items such as typical mileage are included in this Proposal. Plan reproduction costs are not included and will be billed at cost.

All work will be invoiced based on actual hours worked. Rates will be based on the employee's hourly wage, plus the ODOT approved overhead rate, plus profit. These rates range from approximately \$71/hour for a technician, \$100/hour for an engineer to \$185/hour for a Director. Invoices shall be paid in 120 days or a 2% late fee will be imposed for each month beyond the 120 days the Invoice remains unpaid.

If delays or reviews exceed 90 days, additional work is required other than what is specifically mentioned in this Proposal, or if agencies other than the Warren County Engineer's Office and ODOT become involved in the review process, this Proposal will require modification. If changes are made to the roadway improvement assumptions noted above or any other items that affect the Columbia Road improvement design, a modification to this Proposal will be necessary.

This Proposal assumes the following schedule: 4 weeks for property owner notification, field survey, and basemap development (after NTP is received), 4 weeks to complete preliminary plans, 3 weeks for County review, 4 weeks to complete final plans, 3 weeks for County review, 2 weeks to submit final construction documents.



Your signature indicates agreement to pay invoiced fees in keeping with this Proposal and its Terms and provides your notice to proceed with the work.

PROPOSAL APPROVAL AND NOTICE TO PROCEED:

(Printed Name/Date)

(Signature/Date)

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF OHIO
COUNTY OF HAMILTON

I, BRAD ACKER, holding the title and position of DIRECTOR OF SVO CHAD OPERATIONS at the firm CARPENTRY MARY TRANSPORTATION, affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

[Signature]
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of MARCH 20 20

[Signature]
(Notary Public),
WARREN County.

My commission expires February 06 20 22



DOMINIC M. BRIGANO
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF OHIO
Comm. Expires 02/06/2022
Recorded in
Warren County



March 18, 2020

Board of County Commissioners
Warren County
406 Justice Drive
Lebanon, Ohio 45036

Dear Board of County Commissioners:

We have received Statements of Qualifications per the ORC for our Columbia Road Right Turn Lane at SR22/US3 Improvement Project. We have ranked the consultants as follows:

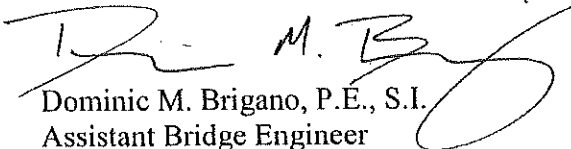
1. Carpenter Marty Transportation, Inc.
2. EMH&T
3. Strand Associates, Inc.

Thus, we negotiated with Carpenter Marty Transportation, Inc. and have reached an acceptable contract price for the professional services.

Should you have any questions or require additional information concerning this project, feel free to call.

Sincerely,

NEIL F. TUNISON, P.E., P.S.
WARREN COUNTY ENGINEER


Dominic M. Brigano, P.E., S.I.
Assistant Bridge Engineer

WARREN COUNTY ENGINEER'S OFFICE

ADMINISTRATION and ENGINEERING
210 W Main St. Lebanon, OH 45036
Telephone (513) 695-3301 Fax (513) 695-7714

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE, PERMITS, and INSPECTION
105 Markey Rd. Lebanon, OH 45036
Telephone (513) 695-3336 Fax (513) 695-3323

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0482

Adopted Date March 17, 2020

APPROVE AND ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES (AGENCY) AND MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF NORTHERN KENTUCKY AND SOUTHWEST OHIO (PROVIDER)

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding on behalf of the Department of Children Services and Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky and Southwest Ohio; copy of agreement is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a – Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky and Southwest Ohio
Children Services (file)

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES
AND
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA
OF NORTHERN KENTUCKY AND SOUTHWEST OHIO**

This Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) is entered into by and between Warren County Children Services (hereinafter “Agency”), 416 S. East Street Lebanon, OH 45036 and the Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky and Southwest Ohio, (hereinafter “Provider”), 912 Scott St. Covington, Kentucky 41012 (collectively referred to herein as the “Parties”).

WHEREAS, the Ohio Attorney General created a pilot program to serve families harmed by parental opioid abuse in southern Ohio, known as the Ohio Sobriety, Treatment, and Reducing Trauma (“Ohio START”) program; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Ohio START program is to address childhood trauma caused by parental drug abuse and adult trauma that may have led to drug dependency; and

WHEREAS, the Parties will work collaboratively as Family Teams to provide coordinated wrap-around services and intensive case management to achieve the purpose of the Ohio START program; and

WHEREAS, the Parties have entered into an agreement for the provision of specialized victim services for families participating in the Ohio START program; and

WHEREAS, the Parties understand that in the course of performing the responsibilities of the Ohio START program, Provider may have access to certain child welfare and other information from Agency which is considered confidential information (“Confidential Information”); and

WHEREAS, the Parties understand that in the course of performing the responsibilities of the Ohio START program, Agency may have access to certain healthcare, drug treatment, and other information from Provider which is considered (“Protected Health Information”); and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to ensure the proper and confidential sharing of the Confidential Information and the Protected Health Information by setting forth the roles and responsibilities of the Parties; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties, in consideration of the mutual promises, agreements and covenants herein contained, agree as follows:

I. PURPOSE

For the purpose of performing the Parties’ responsibilities under the Ohio START program as set forth in attachment 1 SCOPE OF WORK, the Parties may have access to Confidential Information and/or Protected Health Information. This MOU establishes a process between the Parties to properly and confidentially transmit and share Confidential Information and Protected Health Information between themselves and to set forth the terms and conditions governing the information-sharing process. The Confidential Information and Protected Health Information will be transferred via an agreed upon method of transmission.

II. COMPENSATION

A. Agency shall pay Provider no more than \$ 22.58 per hour which includes applicable administrative fees for the Work performed up to 40 hours per week; any time over this must be preapproved by the Agency. This shall not include any Medicaid billable time or covered administrative costs.

B. The total amount due shall be computed according to the following cost schedule:

1. Cost Schedule No later than the 5th of each month following the report month, Family Peer Mentor shall provide monthly invoice approved by the Provider Designee. Monthly total hours x 22.58 per hour = Provider monthly invoice total. Any cost above the standard \$22.58 per hour including administrative or related fees must be agreed upon within the MOU and itemized on the provider's monthly invoice.

C. Travel policy of contracting agency shall be adhered to for any mileage incurred by the Family Peer Mentor for work performed. Consultant shall only be reimbursed for approved mileage as outlined in Attachment 2 and completed on the approved mileage form (Attachment 3).

D. The Agency will provide a cell phone for each Family Peer Mentor assigned to work with OH-START families in Warren County.

E. After Provider receives a purchase order, Provider shall submit an invoice for the Work performed consistent with Article I and Article III, Compensation and applicable Invoice form (Attachment 4). Each invoice shall contain an itemization of the Work performed, including dates the Work was performed, and total hours worked. All invoices shall contain the Provider's name and address. After receipt and approval by Agency of a proper invoice, as determined by Agency, payment to Provider will be made promptly. Unless otherwise directed by Agency, invoices should be directed to Agency Business Manager, Jennifer Carman, 416 S. East Street Lebanon, OH 45036, Jennifer.carman@jfs.ohio.gov.

III. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PARTIES

A. Agency agrees to do the following:

1. Transfer Confidential Information to Provider in a secure manner as mutually agreed upon by the Parties, for example through an encrypted file sharing service.
2. Consult with Provider to ensure the Confidential Information is stored securely.
3. Use appropriate safeguards in storing Protected Health Information received from Provider. While Agency is not a Business Associate of Provider pursuant to the Health Information Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA"), Agency should undertake efforts to store information in compliance with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164, which includes:
 - a. Ensuring confidentiality, integrity, and availability of Protected Health Information stored both in physical and electronic form;
 - b. Protect against any reasonably anticipated threats to the security of the Protected Health Information;
 - c. Protect against any impermissible disclosures of the Protected Health Information;

- d. Limit access to Protected Health Information to authorized employees of Agency and ensure that Protected Health Information is utilized only according to the Purpose and executed release;
 - e. Track who has accessed Protected Health Information;
 - f. Report to Provider any use or disclosure of Protected Health Information not permitted in the Purpose or executed release;
 - g. Protect Protected Health Information from improper alteration or destruction; and
 - h. Ensure that any subcontractors that create, receive, maintain, or transmit Protected Health Information on behalf of Agency agree to the same restrictions, conditions, and requirements.
4. Only use the Protected Health Information for the Purpose and for no other reason.
 5. Immediately notify the Provider of any known or suspected unauthorized disclosure of the Protected Health Information.
 6. Immediately notify the Provider of any requests for the Protected Health Information and refer the requestor of the Protected Health Information to the Provider.
 7. During performance of this Agreement and for a period of six (6) years after its completion, Consultant shall maintain auditable records of all charges pertaining to this Agreement and shall make such records available to Agency as Agency may reasonably require.
 8. Obtain an executed release, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A, from the clients who are eligible and selected to participate in the Ohio START program and store the executed releases in a secure manner.
 9. Actively participate in the Ohio START program evaluation performed by The Ohio State University College of Social Work and the Ohio University Voinovich School of Leadership and Public Affairs.
- B. The Agency point of contact shall be Shawna Barger, Deputy Director, #513-695-1699, Shawna.barger@jfs.ohio.gov.
- C. The Provider agrees to do the following:
1. Transfer Protected Health Information to Agency in a secure manner as mutually agreed upon by the Parties, for example through an encrypted file sharing service.
 2. Consult with Agency to ensure the Protected Health Information is stored securely.
 3. Use appropriate safeguards in storing Confidential Information received from Agency. Provider must ensure the access and protection of the Confidential Information is in compliance with all state and federal laws that govern the protection of child welfare data, including, but not limited to those set forth in Exhibit B attached hereto and updated as of March 2017, as may be amended or supplemented from time to time.
 4. Only use the Confidential Information for the Purpose and for no other reason.
 5. Protect the confidentiality of the Confidential Information in the same manner it protects the confidentiality of its own similar confidential information, but in no event using less than a reasonable standard of care.

6. Restrict access to the Confidential Information to its personnel engaged in a use permitted by this MOU, provided that such personnel are bound by obligations of confidentiality similar to the terms of this MOU.
 7. Immediately notify the Agency of any known or suspected unauthorized disclosure of the Confidential Information.
 8. Return and/or destroy any Confidential Information transferred to Provider by Agency upon the termination or expiration of this MOU.
 9. Immediately notify the Agency of any requests for the Confidential Information and refer the requestor of the Confidential Information to the Agency.
- D. The Provider point of contact shall be Michelle Rolf, Warren and Clinton County Area Director/Compeer Director, 513-562-2581, mrolf@mhankyswoh.org.

IV. OWNERSHIP OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND LIABILITY

- A. The Parties agree that the Confidential Information provided under this MOU is and will remain the property of the Agency.
- B. The Parties agree that the Protected Health Information provided under this MOU is and will remain property of the Provider.
- C. The Parties agree that the confidentiality obligations set forth in this MOU survive the termination or expiration of the MOU.
- D. Provider understands that it may be held liable under the law for the unauthorized disclosure or dissemination of the Confidential Information.
- E. Agency understands that it may be held liable under the law for the unauthorized disclosure or dissemination of the Protected Health Information.

V. TIME OF PERFORMANCE

- A. This MOU is effective as of the last date signed below and shall be effective for a period of one year. Thereafter, this MOU shall automatically renew for successive years unless terminated as set forth herein.
- B. Upon the expiration of this MOU, all transferring of information provided for herein will cease, and the responsibilities of the Parties regarding use, storage and destruction of the information will survive the expiration of this MOU and continue in full force and effect.

VI. GOVERNING LAW

This MOU is made pursuant to and shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the state of Ohio.

VII. SUSPENSION AND TERMINATION

- A. This MOU may be terminated by either party, without cause, by providing thirty (30) days written notice to the other Party.
- B. If this MOU is breached, the non-breaching party may suspend or terminate this MOU immediately upon written notice to the breaching party. If the breach is of a nature that can be cured, the non-breaching party may provide the breaching party with written notice of the breach and provide ten (10) days for the breaching party to cure its nonperformance or violation.
- C. Upon termination of this MOU, for any reason, all transferring of information provided for herein will cease as of the effective date of the termination, and the responsibilities of the Parties regarding use, storage and destruction of the information will survive the termination of this MOU and continue in full force and effect.

VIII. ASSIGNMENT AND WAIVER

- A. Neither party may assign its rights or delegate its duties or obligations under this MOU without prior written consent of the other party.
- B. A waiver of any provision of this MOU is not effective unless it is in writing and signed by the party against which the waiver is sought to be enforced. The delay or failure by either party to exercise or enforce any of its rights under this MOU will not constitute or be deemed a waiver of that party's right to thereafter enforce those rights, nor will any single or partial exercise of any such right preclude any other or further exercise of these rights or any other right.

IX. ENTIRE AGREEMENT/MODIFICATION

This MOU constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties, and any changes or modifications to this MOU shall be made and agreed to by the Parties in writing. Any prior agreements, promises or representations not expressly set forth in this MOU shall have no force or effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this MOU to be executed as of the day and year last written below.

WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

By: 

Name: Tom Grossmann

Title: Vice-President

Date: 3/24/2020

MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF NORTHERN KENTUCKY AND SOUTHERN OHIO

By: 

Name: Elizabeth Atwell

Title: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Date: 12/10/19

APPROVED AS TO FORM



Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

EXHIBIT A
Ohio START Program Release Form



Ohio START Authorization to Release Confidential Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Child(ren)'s Names and Date(s) of Birth: _____

I _____ hereby authorize _____
(name of client) (name of treatment provider)

to disclose the following information (please initial next to all that apply):

- _____ (1) My name, my child(ren)'s name(s) and personal identifying information about me/my child(ren)
- _____ (2) Information regarding my status/my child(ren)'s status as a patient in alcohol and/or drug treatment
- _____ (3) Parenting evaluations
- _____ (4) Treatment and subsequent evaluations of my service needs by the Ohio START program
- _____ (5) Initial and subsequent evaluations of my service needs by the Ohio START program
- _____ (6) Any and all information related to any alcohol and drug treatment program(s) that have provided me services
- _____ (7) Drug screen results
- _____ (8) Summaries of alcohol, drug and/or mental health screening and assessment results and history
- _____ (9) Summaries of alcohol, drug and/or mental health treatment/service plan(s), progress and compliance
- _____ (10) Date of discharge from alcohol, drug, and/or mental health treatment/services and discharge status
- _____ (11) Home Study Records
- _____ (12) Other: _____

I authorize the disclosure of the above information to the following people (please initial next to all that apply):

- _____ (1) The Ohio START Case Team (including but not limited to):
 - a. PCSA assigned caseworker, 416 S. East Street Lebanon, OH 45036
 - b. PCSA supervisor, 416 S. East Street Lebanon, OH 45036
 - c. Juvenile court official, 900 Memorial Drive Lebanon, OH 45036
 - d. Family Peer Mentor, MHA, placed at 416 S. East Street Lebanon, OH 45036
 - e. Family Peer Mentor Supervisor, MHA, 912 Scott St. Covington, KY 41012
 - f. Treatment Provider of Choice: _____
 - g. Guardian Ad Litem or Court Appointed Special Advocate, Warren County Juvenile Court, 900 Memorial Drive Lebanon, OH 45036
- _____ (2) Other _____

I further authorize Warren County Children Services to disclose the following information (please initial next to all that apply):

- _____ (1) My name, my child(ren)'s name(s) and personal identifying information about me/my child(ren)
- _____ (2) Parenting evaluations
- _____ (3) Treatment and subsequent evaluations of my service needs by the Ohio START program
- _____ (4) Initial and subsequent evaluations of my service needs by the Ohio START program
- _____ (5) Drug screen results
- _____ (6) Home Study Records

_____ (7) Other: _____

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- n. Guardian Ad Litem or Court Appointed Special Advocate, Warren County Juvenile Court, 900 Memorial Drive Lebanon, OH 45036

_____ (2) Other _____

The above listed members of the Ohio START program will use this authorization for disclosure and re-disclosure to administer wrap-around services and intensive case management related to the Ohio START pilot program and to facilitate a cooperative approach through the exchange of disclosed information among the members of the Ohio START program.

This authorization will expire (please select one):

- 365 days after it is signed
- Less than 365 days (please give a specific date or event) _____

I understand that I may revoke this consent at any time with written notice or other practice in accordance with Provider's Notice of Privacy Practices, except to the extent that the Ohio START Program acted in reliance on it. 45 CFR 164.508(b)(5)(i).

I understand that the members of Ohio START program may not condition treatment, payment, enrollment, or benefits eligibility on an individual granting an authorization, except in limited circumstances. 45 CFR 164.508(4). I understand that information disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient(s) to carry out their official duties. 42 CFR 2.35(d).

I understand that pursuant to federal regulations governing the confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records, 42 CFR, Part 2, and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, Public Law 104-191, information regarding individually identifiable health information and that of my child(ren), including any alcohol and/or drug treatment records and/or any other information relating to past, present, or future physical or mental health condition, is confidential and cannot be disclosed without my written consent unless otherwise provided for in the regulations. This authorization is not sufficient for the purpose of the release of HIV test results or diagnoses.

My signature below indicates that I have received a signed copy of this authorization. 45 CFR 164.508(c)(4).

Date

Signature of Client or other Responsible Party

Relationship

Date

Witness Signature

Witness Print Name

EXHIBIT B

Current Laws and Regulations Governing the Protection and Access of Child Welfare Data

Federal Laws and Regulations:

42 USC §671(a)(8): Requires that all state plans involving foster care and adoption assistance provide safeguards which restrict the use or disclosure of information concerning the programs under Title IV-B.

42 USC §671(a)(20)(B)(iii): Requires that all state plans have in place safeguards to prevent the unauthorized disclosure of information in any child abuse and neglect registry maintained by the State, and to prevent any such information obtained pursuant to this subparagraph from being used for a purpose other than conducting background checks in foster or adoptive placement cases.

42 USC §674: Describes federal payments to states for foster care and adoption assistance, and permits/requires imposition of sanctions against states for violations of 42 USC 670, et seq.

42 USC §5106a(b)(2)(A)(viii): Federal grants for child protective services require a state plan to be coordinated with a state plan under Title IV-B of the Social Security Act, including an assurance (among other assurances) that the state has developed methods to preserve the confidentiality of all records in order to protect the rights of the child and of the child's parents or guardians. The methods to preserve the confidentiality can include that reports and records made and maintained pursuant to the purposes of this Act only be made available to individuals who are the subject of the report; federal, state, or local government entities, or any agency of such entities having a need for such information in order to carry out its responsibilities under law to protect children from abuse and neglect; child abuse citizen review panels; a grand jury or court upon a finding that information in the record is necessary for the determination of an issue before the court or grant jury; and other entities or classes of individuals statutorily authorized by the state to receive such information pursuant to a legitimate state purpose.

42 USC §5106a(b)(2)(A)(x): The state plan required by 42 USC 5106(b)(2)(A) also must include provisions which allow for public disclosure of the findings or information about the case of child abuse or neglect which has resulted in a child fatality or near fatality.

42 USC §5106a(c)(4)(B)(i): Members and staff of a state-established citizen review panel related to child abuse and neglect, child fatalities or foster care shall not disclose to any person or government official any identifying information about any child protective case with respect to which the panel is provided information and shall not make public other information unless authorized by state statute.

42 USC §5106a(c)(5)(A): Requires that each state that establishes a citizen review panel provide the panel access to information on cases that the panel desires to review if such information is necessary for the panel to carry out its functions.

42 USC §5106a(c)(6): Requires that each citizen review panel prepare and make available to the public, on an annual basis, a report containing a summary of the activities of the panel.

45 CFR §205.50: The restrictions set out in this regulation were the same ones that restricted the release of Aid for Dependent Children applicant, recipient and former recipient information. This regulation requires that the State plan for financial assistance under Title IV-A restrict the use and disclosure of information concerning applicants and recipients, to purposes directly connected with: (1) the administration of the plan or program; (2) investigations, prosecutions, or criminal or civil proceedings conducted in connection with the administration of any such plans or programs; (3) the administration of any other federal or federally assisted program which provides assistance, in cash or in kind, or services, directly to individuals on the basis of need; (4) information to the Employment Security Agency as required by law; (5) audits conducted in connection with the administration of any such plan or program, by a government entity authorized by law to conduct such audits; (6) administration of a state unemployment compensation program; and (7)

reporting to the appropriate agency or official information on known or suspected child abuse, or negligent treatment or maltreatment of a child receiving aid under circumstances which indicate that the child's health or welfare is threatened. The regulation also requires states to impose sanctions for unauthorized use or disclosure.

Information to be safeguarded includes at least: (1) names and addresses of applicants and recipients; (2) information related to a person's economic and social conditions; (3) evaluation of information concerning a particular individual; and (4) medical data. Release or use of information concerning applicants or recipients is restricted to those persons who are subject to standards of confidentiality comparable to those of the agency administering the financial assistance program. Generally, notice and consent of an individual is required to release information to an outside source. Courts must also be informed of statutory provisions, rules, and policies against disclosure when a recipient or applicant information is subpoenaed. This provision also applies to IV-E information.

45 CFR §1340.14(i): This regulation requires that the State provide by statute that records concerning reports of child abuse and neglect be confidential and that their disclosure be a criminal offense (see RC §§ 2151.141, 2151.421 and §2151.99). This regulation specifies certain circumstances where release of the records would be acceptable but only if the state authorizes it through statute. This regulation permits Ohio to be more restrictive with abuse/neglect information than what is set out in the regulation itself.

45 CFR §1355.21: Requires that each state plan for Titles IV-E and IV-B of the Social Security Act provide for safeguards on the use and disclosure of information which meet the requirements contained in 42 USC 671(a)(8), as well as the provisions in 45 CFR §1355.30.

45 CFR §1355.30(p)(3): Requires that safeguarding of IV-E (adoption) and IV-B (child welfare) information adhere to restrictions set out in 45 CFR §205.50 (see below).

45 CFR §1355.40: Sets forth conditions for receipt of SACWIS funds, and requires states to collect and report foster care and adoption data to the HHS Administration for Children & Families (ACF).

State Laws:

OAC 5101:2-33-70 allows access to PCSAs, (K) Private child placing agencies (PCPAs) and private non-custodial agencies (PNAs), (L) IV-E Juvenile Courts, (M) Prosecutors representing PCSAs, (N) Wendy's Wonderful Kids recruiters and (O) PCSA interns.

(P) No direct access to SACWIS or any other state of Ohio database shall be requested by or on behalf of, nor approved for or granted to, any researcher conducting research under paragraph (Q) of rule 5101:2-33-21 of the Administrative Code.

ATTACHMENT 1

SCOPE OF WORK

The Warren County Children Services caseworker will work jointly with the Family Peer Mentor to deliver intensive wrap-around services to a child and his or her family.

I. Intake

- a. Cases shall be screened by Warren County Children Services using accepted screening guidelines as provided by the state of Ohio.
- b. Each case opened for investigation and identified as having drug involvement shall have the UNCOPE tool completed by an agency investigative caseworker within 15 days of the original intake that led to agency involvement.
- c. Each case opened for investigation and identified through the UNCOPE tool shall have a trauma screen completed for the adults and children by the Agency Ohio START Caseworker within 30 days of the original intake that led to agency involvement.
- d. A referral shall be made for the Ohio START program within 30 days of the original intake following the completion of the tools outlined in (b) and (c) above.

II. Ongoing/ Program

- a. To initiate the referral to the program the Ohio START Caseworker shall email the Ohio START Supervision Team within 1 business day of the referral to the program. Email shall include:
 - i. UNCOPE and trauma tools completed with the family.
 - ii. Initial list of recommended services for the family
 - iii. Date and time of the initial Family Team Meeting (FTM).
- b. Within two business days of the referral to the Ohio START program a "shared-decision making" meeting (FTM) will be held between the identified family and the Ohio-START team. This team shall include at a minimum the Family Peer Mentor assigned to the family, the assigned Ohio START Caseworker, and the family. The team may also include an identified support person for the family and a representative from the Mental Health/Recovery service provider agency as well as the CASA or GAL assigned to the family.
 - i. The purpose of the first Family Team Meeting shall be to introduce the Family Peer Mentor and to further explain the Ohio START program as well as each team member's role to the family. This meeting shall also be used to complete a safety or prevention plan for the safe care of the children, develop the case plan and to schedule the behavioral health assessments. The family should be asked to sign releases at this meeting.
- c. The first family home visit by the assigned Case Worker and Family Peer Mentor shall be within one week of the Family Team Meeting.
- d. Each family who has been referred for the program shall meet no less than weekly with their assigned Caseworker and Family Peer Mentor for the first 60 calendar days that

they are involved with the program. No less than two of the monthly home visits shall be in the family home.

- i. When children have been placed outside of the home the Family Peer Mentor shall meet with the children in coordination with the Assigned Caseworker in the placement setting no less than quarterly for the duration of the family's participation in the program.
- e. Following the first 60 days in the program the family shall meet with their Family Peer Mentor weekly, a minimum of one contact per month shall be in the home. The family shall meet with the Assigned Caseworker as agreed upon through a Family Team Meeting (FTM) but shall be no less than every other week. A minimum of one contact per month shall be in the home.
- f. Each family working in the program shall participate in regular Family Team Meetings (FTM) which shall emphasize shared decision making and is meant to empower the family to take ownership over their long-term success. Each meeting shall include the family and the assigned Ohio START team members.
 - i. First FTM shall be held within two business days of referral to the program
 - ii. Second FTM shall be held within 30 calendar days of case referral
 - iii. Additional regularly scheduled FTMs shall be held at the time of Case Reviews and Semi Annual Reviews
 - iv. Additional FTMs may be scheduled as needed at relapse, family crisis and when treatment recommendations change
- g. Supports will be provided to the caretakers in kinship placement situations to preserve placements and provide education on addiction.
- h. Once the family has successfully graduated from the Ohio START Program the Family Peer Mentor will continue to deliver support services as appropriate and as a part of the ongoing recovery process.

III. Exit from Program

- a. A family can be unsuccessfully exited from the program should any of the following occur:
 - i. 3 consecutive unexcused missed appointments with the peer or caseworker within 6 months
 - ii. Demonstrated non-compliance with:
 1. Random drug screens
 2. Family Team Meetings (FTM)
 3. Case planned programs or services
 - iii. As determined by the team
- b. If a family is exited from the program a new PCSA worker shall be assigned to the family within 1 week of the exit date

IV. Graduation

- a. A family shall be considered to have successfully completed the program or graduated when the following conditions have been met
 - i. Completion of the caseplan
 - ii. Demonstrated sobriety as documented through:
 1. Compliance with programs
 2. Negative drug screens

3. Improved protective capacities
4. As determined by the team

V. Ohio START Team

- a. Supervision Team shall include
 - i. Ohio START Supervisor
 - ii. Family Peer Mentor Supervisor
 - iii. Ohio START Agency Investigative Supervisor
 - iv. AD HOC members as required
- b. Family Peer Mentor
 - i. Responsibilities
 1. Written weekly reports
 - a. Contact notes are to be submitted to family peer mentor supervisor on a weekly basis for approval
 - b. Approved contact notes are to be submitted to Ohio START worker within 3 business days of receipt
 2. Timely reporting of child safety issues to their supervisor and the agency Ohio-START worker
 3. Timely reporting of family issues that affect treatment and or recovery
 4. Written weekly reports of treatment progress and attendance
 5. Monthly direct line and team meetings
 6. Attendance at Family Team Meetings
 7. Advocating and assisting with timely service provision
 8. Weekly home visits for the duration of the family's participation in the program
 9. Continue to deliver services as appropriate and as a part of the ongoing recovery process after graduation from the Ohio START Program
- c. Agency Caseworker and Ohio-START worker
 - i. Responsibilities
 1. UNCOPE Assessment- intake
 2. Trauma Assessment- Ohio-START worker
 3. Case management
 4. Ensure that Family Peer Mentor notes are entered into SACWIS within 1 week of receipt
 5. Timely reporting of drug screen results
 6. Timely reporting of family issues
 7. Coordination of Family Team Meetings and attendance
 8. Development of Case Plan/Family Service Plan and monitoring of Case Review and Semi Annual Reviews
 9. Weekly home visits for the first 60 days
 10. No less than biweekly home visits for the duration of the family's participation in the program
 - a. Additional visits may be required and shall be decided upon by the Ohio START Team
- d. Behavioral Health Consultant
 - i. Responsibilities

1. Timely reporting of missed behavioral health and substance abuse treatment appointments and meetings
 2. Timely reporting of child safety issues to the Ohio-START worker
 3. Timely reporting of family issues that affect treatment and or recovery
 4. Written weekly reports of treatment progress and attendance
 5. Assistance with coordination of timely service provision
 6. Continue to deliver services as appropriate and as a part of the ongoing recovery process after graduation from the Ohio START Program
- e. Other Family Team Members
- i. Designated on a case by case basis and may include
 1. Support person designated by the family
 2. GAL (Guardian Ad Litem)
 3. CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate)
 4. Supervision team member of Behavioral Health
 5. Supervision team member of Job and Family Services
 - ii. Team members are asked to attend meetings and participate in the decision making process

ATTACHMENT 2

Travel Policy for Peer Mentors

III. GENERAL PRACTICES

A. Staff Travel Policy

1. **Overview:** Some positions at MHA require employees to use their own vehicle for business purposes. The nature of this responsibility will vary based upon job classification and program expectations. Employees must provide MHA with a copy of a valid driver's license as well as proof of automobile insurance. It is the employee, student intern or volunteer's responsibility to provide this each time it renews. All employees are expected to abide by all State motor vehicle laws at all times while driving. Any employee or student intern/volunteer involved in an accident while on duty resulting in an injury may be required to undergo a post-accident drug and alcohol screen. The screen will be conducted through MHA's selected provider.

2. **Eligible Expenses:** MHA will reimburse employees' business-related travel expenses up to the limits approved annually by the Board in the organization's budgeting process. The Executive Director will review any cost in excess of this amount. Travelers are required to use common sense and keep in mind their stewardship of donated money in all spending decisions. Travel expenses include airfare, ground transportation, meals, lodging, telephone/fax, and tips. Prior approval for all business travel must be obtained from the employee's immediate supervisor. Travel "to" and "from" work (daily commute) are not eligible expenses.

3. **Use of Personal Vehicles:** Mileage for business use of personal vehicles will be reimbursed at the annually approved rate not to exceed the federal standard mileage rate.
Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky & Southwest Ohio

a. Mileage from work (work is considered the employees' office assignment location) to a MHA appointment or meeting and back to work.

b. The employee's normal commuting miles must be deducted for all business-related trips originating from the home residence or terminating to the home residence of the employee.

ATTACHMENT 3

MILEAGE FORM

ATTACHMENT 4 INVOICE



OH-START INVOICE

SERVICE MONTH/YEAR: _____

Mental Health America (MHA)
912 Scott St. Covington, Kentucky 41012

Invoice is due to Warren County Children Services (416 S. East Street Lebanon, OH 45036
Attn: Jennifer Carman) for reimbursement by the 5th of each month for the previous month activities.

*Please attach mileage form and MHA payroll timesheet to OH-START Business Manager for audit purposes.

Personnel:

Peer Name	Hours Worked	Hourly Rate	Total
		\$13.68	
		\$13.68	

Mileage:

Peer Name	Miles	Rate	Total
		\$.520	
		\$.520	

Remit to:
MHA
P.O. Box 122604
Covington, KY 41012-2604

Total amount billable to OH-START:

Mental Health America Supervisor: _____

Date: _____

OH-START Business Manager: _____

Date: _____

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0483

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AGREEMENT AND ADDENDUM WITH OHIO MENTOR, INC. AS A CHILD PLACEMENT AND RELATED SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON BEHALF OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into the agreement and addendum with Ohio Mentor, Inc., on behalf of Warren County Children Services, for calendar year 2020-2021, for the services of a child placement and related services provider. Copy of agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a— Ohio Mentor, Inc.
Children Services (file)

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT

This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between Warren County Children Services, a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is:

Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

and Ohio Mentor, Inc, hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

Ohio Mentor, Inc
6200 Rockside Woods BLVD STE 305 N
Independence, OH 44131

Collectively the "Parties."

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RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Agency is responsible under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Title 51, Chapter 5153 for the provision of protective services for dependent, neglected, and abused children; and,

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized under ORC Title 51, Chapter 5153.16 to provide care and services which it deems to be in the best interest of any child who needs or is likely to need public care and services; and,

WHEREAS, the Provider is an organization duly organized and validly existing and is qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Ohio or in the state where the placement facility or foster home is located and has all requisite legal power and authority to execute this Agreement and to carry out its terms, conditions and provisions, and is licensed, certified or approved to provide placement and related services to children in accordance with Ohio law or the state where the placement facility or foster home is located.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and responsibilities set forth herein, the Agency and Provider agree as follows:

Article I. SCOPE OF PLACEMENT SERVICES

In addition to the services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work, Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services specified in each Individual Child Care Agreement (ICCA) for children in the care and custody of the Title IV-E Agency. The ICCA shall be consistent with current federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Provider's license or certified functions and services. If an Agreement and ICCA both exist, the Agreement supersedes.

Section 1.01 FOR CONTRACTS COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

Without limiting the services set forth herein, Provider will provide the Services pursuant to and consistent with the Requests for Proposals (RFP) and the Provider's Proposal submitted in response to the RFP, the Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.02 FOR CONTRACTS NOT COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

The Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in the Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.03 EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are deemed to be a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work;
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable);
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Response to the Request for Proposals (if applicable); and
- D. Exhibit IV – Schedule A Rate Information.

Article II. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from **04/01/2020** through **05/31/2021**, unless this Agreement is suspended or terminated pursuant to Article IX prior to the termination date.

In addition to the initial term described above, this Agreement may be extended at the option of the Agency and upon written agreement of the Provider. Notice of Agency's intention to extend the Agreement shall be provided in writing to Provider no less than 90 calendar days before the expiration of any Agreement term then in effect. (If a previous Request for Proposal [RFP] allows, the Agreement may be extended for a period of time to ensure adequate completion of the Agency's competitive procurement process at the rates existing for the term then in effect.)

Article III. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement and all Exhibits are intended to supplement and complement each other and shall, where possible, be so interpreted. However, if any provision of this Agreement irreconcilably conflicts with an Exhibit, this Agreement takes precedence over the Exhibit(s).

In the event there is an inconsistency between the Exhibit(s), the inconsistency shall be resolved in the following order:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work; then
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable); then
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Proposals (if applicable); then
- D. Exhibit IV – Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information.

Article IV. DEFINITIONS GOVERNING THIS AGREEMENT

The following definitions govern this Agreement:

- A. Agreement means this Agreement, addenda and exhibits thereto.
- B. Material Breach shall mean an act or omission that violates or contravenes an obligation required under the Agreement and which, by itself or together with one or more other breaches, has a negative effect on, or thwarts the purpose of the Agreement as stated herein. A Material Breach shall not include an act or omission, which has a trivial or negligible effect on the quality, quantity, or delivery of the goods and services to be provided under the Agreement.
- C. Child(ren) means any person under eighteen years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped person under twenty-one years of age in the Agency's custody and under the care of the Provider for the provision of placement services.
- D. All other definitions to be resolved through Federal Regulations, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5101:2-1-01 and any related cross-references.

Article V. PROVIDER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Provider agrees to participate with Agency in the development and implementation of the Case Plan and ICCA including participation in case reviews and / or semi-annual administrative reviews, and the completion of reunification assessments for the children in placement with the Provider. Parties shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- B. Provider agrees to provide services agreed to in the Case Plan and ICCA (i.e., transportation of children for routine services, including, but not limited to, court hearings, medical appointments, school therapy, recreational activities, visitations/family visits) unless otherwise negotiated in writing as an attachment to this Agreement. Any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual-agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process. The cost of providing these services is to be included in the Agency approved per diem.
- C. Provider agrees to ensure that any and all persons who may act as alternative caregivers or who have contact with the children are suitable for interaction pursuant to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- D. Provider agrees that all caregivers must be approved by the Agency.
- E. Provider agrees to submit a progress report as negotiated by the parties for each child. The progress report will be based on the agreed upon services to be delivered to the child and/or family and will include documentation of services provided to the child and/or discharge summary. If Monthly Progress Reports are not received within 90 calendar days following the month of service provision, payment may be withheld at the Agency's discretion.
 - 1. Monthly Progress Reports shall be submitted by the 20th of the month following the month of service.
 - 2. The Monthly Progress Report will include the following medical related information:
 - a. Service type (i.e. medical, dental, vision, etc.);
 - b. Date(s) of service;
 - c. Reason for visit (i.e. routine, injury, etc.);
 - d. Practitioner name, address and contact number;
 - e. Name of hospital, practice, urgent care, etc.;
 - f. Prescribed medications and dosages;
 - g. Date(s) medication(s) were prescribed or changed; and
 - h. Changes to medications.
- F. Placement changes, emergency or non-emergency, shall occur only with the approval of the Agency. The following information shall be provided to the Agency for all placement changes: Name, address and phone number of the new foster home or other out-of-home care setting, the license/home study of the new care provider within 24 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.
- G. Provider agrees to notify all Agencies who have children placed in the same caregiver's home/group home/CRC when any child residing in the placement is critically injured or dies in that location. Notification will be made to the Agencies' Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline number or assigned Caseworker immediately.
- H. Notification to the Agency of Emergency Critical Incidents shall occur ASAP but no later than one hour of the incident becoming known. Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or

assigned Caseworker or by other established system. Critical incidents are those incidents defined in the Ohio Administrative Code that are applicable to the licensed or certified programs (ODJFS 5101:2-7-14, 5101:2-9-23 ODMHAS 5122-30-16, 5122-26-13, OAC 5123-17-02).

Emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. Absent Without Leave (AWOL);
 2. Child Alleging Physical or Sexual Abuse/Neglect;
 3. Death of Child;
 4. Illicit drug/alcohol use, Abuse of medication or toxic substance;
 5. Sudden injury or illness requiring an unplanned medical treatment or visit to the hospital;
 6. Perpetrator of Delinquent/Criminal Act (Assault, Dangerous Behaviors, Homicidal Behaviors);
 7. School Expulsion/Suspension (formal action by school);
 8. Self-Injury (Suicidal Behaviors, Self-Harm Requiring external Medical Treatment, Hospital or ER);
 9. Victim of assault, neglect, physical or sexual abuse;
 10. The filing of any law enforcement report involving the child.
- I. The Provider also agrees to notify the Agency within Twenty-four (24) hours, of any non-emergency situations. Non-emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:
1. When physical restraint is used/applied; and
 2. Medication lapses or errors.
- Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse\Neglect Hotline/assigned Caseworker or by other established notification system.
- J. Documentation of the emergency and non-emergency incidents as identified in "H and I" above shall be provided to the Agency via email, fax or other established notification system within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.
- K. The Provider agrees to submit each child's assessment and treatment plans as completed but no later than the 30th day of placement. Provider further agrees to provide treatment planning that will include, but is not limited to, education on or off site, preparation for integration into community-based school or vocational/job skills training, community service activities, independent living skills if age 14 or older, monitoring and supporting community adjustment.
- L. The Provider agrees to participate in joint planning with the Agency regarding modification to case plan services. Provider agrees that while the Provider may have input into the development of the child's case plan services and the ICCA, any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process.
- M. The Provider shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Agency prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. A placement Preservation meeting shall be held within seven (7) business days of said request. Unless otherwise mutually agreed upon a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice shall be given if placement preservation is unable to be achieved. A Discharge Plan Summary shall be provided no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of discharge in accordance with the applicable licensed or certified program. (OAC 5101:2-5-17, OAC 5122-30-22, OAC 5122-30-04, OAC 5123:2-3-05).
- N. The Provider shall work in cooperation and collaboration with the Agency to provide information for each child's Lifebook and will fully comply with the provision of OAC 5101:2-42-67 as applicable to private Providers. Provider's contribution to the Agency Lifebook for a child shall be for the episode of care with the Provider.
- O. The Provider agrees to provide Independent Living Services as set forth in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-19 for all children age 14 and above.
- P. When applicable, due to the Provider being part of a managed care agreement as defined in OAC 5101:2-1-01, the Provider agrees to visit with the child face-to-face in the foster home, speak privately with the child and to meet with the caregiver at least monthly in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- Q. The Provider agrees to maintain its licenses and certifications from any source in good standing. The Provider agrees to report to Agency in writing any change in licensure or certification that negatively impacts such standing immediately if the negative action results in a temporary license, suspension of license or termination of license.
- R. Provider agrees that the reasonable and prudent parent standard training required by SEC. 471. [42 U.S.C. 671] of the Social Security Act and in accordance to OAC 5101:2-5-33, OAC 5101:2-9-02 or OAC 5101:2-9-03 has been

completed.

- S. The Provider shall notify Agency of any changes in its status, such as intent to merge with another business or to close no later than forty-five (45) business days prior to the occurrence.
- T. The Provider agrees that the Agency shall have access to foster parent home studies and re-certifications for foster parents caring for children in placement, subject to confidentiality considerations. The Provider shall submit to Agency a copy of the current foster home license at the time of placement and recertification. Provider also agrees to notify Agency within twenty-four (24) hours of any change in the status of the foster home license.
- U. When there is a rule violation of a caregiver, a copy of the corrective action plan, if applicable, must be submitted to the Agency when the investigation is complete.
- V. The Provider agrees to notify the Agency of scheduling no less than fourteen (14) calendar days prior to all formal meetings (i.e. FTMs, Treatment Team Meetings, IEPs, etc.).
- W. The Provider agrees to adhere to the following Medical/Medication guidelines:
 - 1. To provide over-the-counter medications and/or supplies as part of the per diem of care;
 - 2. To comply with the medical consent process as identified by Agency;
 - 3. Only the Agency can give permission for the administering or change (addition or elimination) of psychotropic medication and its ongoing management; and
 - 4. Provide an initial placement medical screening within 72 hours of child's placement into a placement resource under the Provider's operation and/or oversight.
- X. To arrange for required health care/medical examinations within time frames required by OAC 5101:2-42-66.1 and provide reports from the health care providers to the agency within 30 days of occurrence if the appropriate releases of information have been obtained by the Provider.
- Y. The Network Provider agrees to notify the Agency if placement resource is currently under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children or other third-party investigation.
- Z. The Provider will immediately notify the Agency:
 - 1. If the Provider is out of compliance with any licensing authority rules or the placement resource is under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children. Immediately is defined as within one hour of knowledge of the non-compliance issue.
 - 2. Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or assigned Caseworker of any allegations of abuse or neglect made against the Caregiver within one hour of gaining knowledge of the allegation.
 - 3. Of any corrective action and the result of the correction action plan. The Provider will submit a comprehensive written report to the agency within sixty (60) days of the rules violation.
 - 4. Within twenty-four (24) hours any time there is an event which would impact the placement resource license.

Article VI. AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Agency certifies that it will comply with the Multiethnic Placement Act, 108 STAT. 3518, as amended by Section 1808 of the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, 110 STAT. 1755, which prohibits any Agency from denying any person the opportunity to become an adoptive or foster parent on the basis of race, color, national origin, or delaying or denying the placement of a child for adoption or into foster care on the basis of race, color, or national origin of the adoptive or foster parent or of the child involved.
- B. The Agency shall provide to the Provider within thirty (30) calendar days of placement or within a reasonable time thereafter as agreed to by the parties, a copy of each child's social history, medical history, and Medicaid card once obtained by the Agency for new cases, or at time of placement for existing cases. Agency shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- C. Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider. The Agency acknowledges that clinical treatment decisions must be recommended by licensed clinical professionals. Agency and Provider acknowledge that disagreement with a treatment decision may be taken through the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV of this Agreement.
- D. Agency agrees to visit with the child in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- E. Agency agrees to participate in periodic meetings with each child's treatment team for case treatment plan development, review, and revision. The Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider by the Agency.

- F. Agency certifies that it will comply with Every Student Succeeds Act (34 CFR part 200) and will work with local school districts in developing individualized plans to address the transportation needed for a child to remain in the school of origin. Agency agrees to arrange for the transfer of each child's school records to the child's new school upon placement but not later than ten (10) business days. The Agency agrees to work with the Provider for the timely enrollment of the child in the receiving school district. The Agency has the final responsibility to obtain the child's school records and to enroll the child in the receiving school district.
- G. The Agency shall provide an opportunity for the Provider to give input in the development, substantive amendment or modification of case plans. The Agency agrees to notify the Provider of scheduling no less than seven (7) calendar days prior to of all formal meetings (e.g. SARs, court hearings, family team conferences, etc.).
- H. The Agency shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Provider prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. The Agency shall provide a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice for planned removals, to the Provider for each child who is being terminated from placement with the Provider, unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- I. Agency agrees to provide the Provider with an emergency contact on a twenty-four (24) hour, seven (7) day per week basis.
- J. The Agency represents:
 - 1. It has adequate funds to meet its obligations under this Agreement; subject to the availability of funds as referenced in Article VIII (I);
 - 2. It intends to maintain this Agreement for the full period set forth herein and has no reason to believe that it will not have sufficient funds to enable it to make all payments due hereunder during such period; and
 - 3. It will make its best effort to obtain the appropriation of any necessary funds during the term of this Agreement.
- K. The Agency will provide information about the child being referred for placement in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-90. Prior to a child's placement in alternative care or respite, OAC 5101:2-42-90 (D) requires the Agency to share with care givers information that could impact the health, safety, or well-being of the child or others in the home.

Article VII. INVOICING FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The Provider agrees to submit a monthly invoice following the end of the month in which services were provided. The invoice shall be for services delivered in accordance with Article I of this Agreement and shall include:
 - 1. Provider's name, address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax identification number, Title IV-E Provider number, if applicable and Medicaid Provider number, if applicable.
 - 2. Billing date and the billing period.
 - 3. Name of child, date of birth of child, and the child's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) person I.D. number.
 - 4. Admission date and discharge date, if available.
 - 5. Agreed upon per diem for maintenance and the agreed per diem administration; and
 - 6. Invoicing procedures may also include the per diems associated with the following if applicable and agreeable to the Agency and Provider:
 - a. Case Management; allowable administration cost.
 - b. Transportation, allowable maintenance cost.
 - c. Transportation; allowable administration cost.
 - d. Other Direct Services; allowable maintenance cost.
 - e. Behavioral health care; non-reimbursable cost.
 - f. Other costs - (any other cost the Title IV-E Agency has agreed to participate in); non-allowable/non-reimbursable cost.
- B. Provider warrants and represents claims made for payment for services provided are for actual services rendered and do not duplicate claims made by Provider to other sources of public funds for the same service.

Article VIII. REIMBURSEMENT FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The maximum amount payable pursuant to this contract is **\$100,000.00**.
- B. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement, the per diem for maintenance and the per diem for

administration will be paid for each day the child was in placement. The first day of placement will be paid regardless of the time the child was placed. The last day of placement will not be paid regardless of the time the child left the placement.

- C. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement and in addition to Maintenance and Administration, the Agency may agree to pay a per diem for Case Management, Other Direct Services, Transportation Administration, Transportation Maintenance, Behavioral Health Care and Other. All other services and/or fees to be paid for shall be contained in the Addendum of this Agreement.
- D. To the extent that the Provider maintains a foster care network, the agreed upon per diem for maintenance shall be the amount paid directly to the foster parent. Maintenance includes the provision of food, clothing, shelter, daily supervision, graduation expenses, a child's personal incidentals, and liability insurance with respect to the child, reasonable cost of travel to the child's home for visitation and reasonable cost of travel for the child to remain in the school the child was enrolled in at the time of placement. Payment for private Agency staff transporting a child to a home visit or keeping the child in their home school will be paid in accordance with Schedule A (Transportation Maintenance) of this Agreement.
- E. If the plan as determined by the Agency is to return the child to placement with the Provider, the Agency may agree to pay for the days that a child is temporarily absent from the direct care of the Provider, as agreed to by the parties in writing.
- F. The service provider is required to utilize Medicaid-approved healthcare providers in the appropriate managed care network for the provision of mental health, dental and/or medical services (hereafter referred to collectively as "medical services") to children in the custody of Agency. The Service Provider will report applicable Medicaid/insurance information to the healthcare providers and instruct healthcare providers to seek payment from Medicaid or any other available third-party payer for medical services rendered to children in agency custody. Agency will not pay for the provision of any medical services to children in agency custody unless the agency Executive Director or authorized designee has provided specific prior written authorization for such medical services and associated costs.
- G. The Agency agrees to pay the Provider for all services agreed to on Schedule A and in the Addendum to this Agreement, where applicable, that have been provided and documented in the child's case file. Agency shall make best efforts to make payment of undisputed charges within thirty (30) business days of receipt.
- H. In the event of a disagreement regarding payment, Agency shall withhold payment only for that portion of the placement with which it disagrees. Agency will use best efforts to notify the Provider of any invoice discrepancies. Agency and Provider will make every effort to resolve payment discrepancies within 60 calendar days. Payment discrepancies brought to the Agency after 60 days will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
- I. This Agreement is conditioned upon the availability of federal, state, or local funds appropriated or allocated for payment for services provided under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. By sole determination of the Agency, if funds are not sufficiently allocated or available for the provision of the services performed by the Provider hereunder, the Agency reserves the right to exercise one of the following alternatives:
 1. Reduce the utilization of the services provided under this Agreement, without change to the terms and conditions of the Agreement; or
 2. Issue a notice of intent to terminate the Agreement.

The Agency will notify the Provider at the earliest possible time of such decision. No penalty shall accrue to the Agency in the event either of these provisions is exercised. The Agency shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or for any damages as a result of termination under this section.

Any denial of payment for service(s) rendered may be appealed in writing and will be part of the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV.

Article IX. TERMINATION; BREACH AND DEFAULT

- A. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience prior to the expiration of the term then in effect by either the Agency or the Provider upon written notification given no less than sixty (60) calendar days in advance by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the last known address of the terminated party shown hereinabove or at such other address as may hereinafter be specified in writing.
- B. If Provider fails to provide the Services as provided in this Agreement for any reason other than Force Majeure, or if Provider otherwise Materially Breaches this Agreement, Agency may consider Provider in default. Agency agrees to give Provider thirty (30) days written notice specifying the nature of the default and its intention to terminate. Provider shall have seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such notice to provide a written plan of action to Agency to cure such default. Agency is required to approve or disapprove such plan within five (5)

calendar days of receipt. In the event Provider fails to submit such plan or Agency disapproves such plan, Agency has the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Provider. If Provider fails to cure the default in accordance with an approved plan, then Agency may terminate this Agreement at the end of the thirty (30) day notice period.

- C. Upon the effective date of the termination, the Provider agrees that it shall cease work on the terminated activities under this Agreement, take all necessary or appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize costs, and furnish a report as of the date of discharge of the last child describing the status of all work under this Agreement, including without limitation, results accomplished, conclusions resulting therefrom, and such other matters as the Agency may require. The Agency agrees to remove all children in placement immediately with the Provider, consistent with the effective termination date. In all instances of termination, the Provider and Agency agree that they shall work in the best interests of children placed with the Provider to secure alternative placements for all children affected by the termination.
- D. In the event of termination, the Provider shall be entitled to reimbursement, upon submission of an invoice, for the agreed upon per diem incurred prior to the effective termination date. The reimbursement will be calculated by the Agency based on the per diem set forth in Article VIII. The Agency shall receive credit for reimbursement already made when determining the amount owed to the Provider. The Agency is not liable for costs incurred by the Provider after the effective termination date of the discharge of the last child.
- E. Notwithstanding the above, Agency may immediately terminate this Agreement upon delivery of a written notice of termination to the Provider under the following circumstances:
 - 1. Improper or inappropriate activities;
 - 2. Loss of required licenses;
 - 3. Actions, inactions or behaviors that may result in harm, injury or neglect of a child;
 - 4. Unethical business practices or procedures; and
 - 5. Any other event that Agency deems harmful to the well-being of a child; or
 - 6. Loss of funding as set forth in Article VIII.
- F. If the Agreement is terminated by Agency due to breach or default of any of the provisions, obligations, or duties embodied contained therein by the Provider, Agency may exercise any administrative, agreement, equitable, or legal remedies available, without limitation. Any extension of the time periods set forth above shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights or remedies the Agency may have under this Agreement.
- G. In the event of termination under this ARTICLE, both the Provider and the placing Agency shall make good faith efforts to minimize adverse effect on children resulting from the termination of the Agreement.

Article X. RECORDS RETENTION , CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Provider agrees that all records, documents, writings or other information, including, but not limited to, financial records, census records, client records and documentation of legal compliance with Ohio Administrative Code rules, produced by the Provider under this Agreement, and all records, documents, writings or other information, including but not limited to financial, census and client used by the Provider in the performance of this Agreement are treated according to the following terms:
 - 1. All records relating to costs, work performed and supporting documentation for invoices submitted to the Agency by the Provider along with copies of all Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, submitted to the Agency pursuant to this Agreement will be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after reimbursement for services rendered under this Agreement.
 - 2. If an audit, litigation, or other action is initiated during the time period of the Agreement, the Provider shall retain such records until the action is concluded and all issues resolved or three (3) years have expired, whichever is later.
 - 3. All records referred to in Section A 1) of this Article shall be available for inspection and audit by the Agency or other relevant agents of the State of Ohio (including, but not limited to, the County Prosecutor, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), the Auditor of the State of Ohio, the Inspector General of Ohio, or any duly authorized law enforcement officials), and the United States Department of Health and Human Services within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The Provider agrees to keep all financial records in a manner consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- C. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal and state laws applicable to the Agency and the confidentiality of children and families. Provider understands access to the identities of any Agency's child and families shall only be

as necessary for the purpose of performing its responsibilities under this Agreement. No identifying information on child(ren) served will be released for research or other publication without the express written consent of the Agency. Provider agrees that the use or disclosure of information concerning the child for any purpose not directly related to the administration of this Agreement is prohibited. Provider shall ensure all the children's and families' documentation is protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner.

- D. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws related to the confidentiality and transmission of medical records, including, but not limited to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- E. Although information about, and generated under, this Agreement may fall within the public domain, the Provider shall not release information about, or related to, this Agreement to the general public or media verbally, in writing, or by any electronic means without prior approval from the Agency, unless the Provider is required to release requested information by law. Agency reserves the right to announce to the general public and media: award of the Agreement, Agreement terms and conditions, scope of work under the Agreement, Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, and results obtained under the Agreement. Except where Agency approval has been granted in advance, the Provider shall not seek to publicize and will not respond to unsolicited media queries requesting: announcement of Agreement award, Agreement terms and conditions, Agreement scope of work, government-furnished documents the Agency may provide to the Provider to fulfill the Agreement scope of work, Deliverables required under the Agreement, results obtained under the Agreement, and impact of Agreement activities.
- F. If contacted by the media about this Agreement, the Provider agrees to notify the Agency in lieu of responding immediately to media queries. Nothing in this section is meant to restrict the Provider from using Agreement information and results to market to specific business prospects.
- G. Client data must be protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner whether located in Provider's facilities, stored in the Cloud, or used on mobile devices outside Provider's facility. Security of Provider's network, data storage, and mobile devices must conform to generally recognized industry standards and best practices. Maintenance of a secure processing environment includes, but is not limited to, network firewall provisioning, intrusion detection, antivirus protection, regular third-party vulnerability assessments, and the timely application of patches, fixes and updates to operating systems and applications.
- H. Provider agrees that it has implemented and shall maintain during the term of this Agreement the highest standard of administrative, technical, and physical safeguards and controls to:
 - 1. Ensure the security and confidentiality of data;
 - 2. Protect against any anticipated security threats or hazards to the security or integrity of data; and
 - 3. Protect against unauthorized access to or use of data. Such measures shall include at a minimum:
 - a. Access controls on information systems, including controls to authenticate and permit access to data only to authorized individuals and controls to prevent Provider employees from providing data to unauthorized individuals who may seek to obtain this information (whether through fraudulent means or otherwise);
 - b. Firewall protection;
 - c. Encryption of electronic data while in transit from Provider networks to external networks;
 - d. Measures to store in a secure fashion all data which shall include multiple levels of authentication;
 - e. Measures to ensure that data shall not be altered or corrupted without the prior written consent of the Agency;
 - f. Measures to protect against destruction, loss or damage of data due to potential environmental hazards, such as fire and water damage.
- I. Immediately upon discovery of a confirmed or suspected breach involving data, Provider will notify Agency no later than twenty-four (24) hours after Provider knows or reasonably suspects a breach has or may have occurred. Provider shall promptly take all appropriate or legally required corrective actions and shall cooperate fully with the Agency in all reasonable and lawful efforts to prevent, mitigate or rectify such data breach. In the event of a suspected breach, Provider shall keep the Agency informed of the progress of its investigation until the uncertainty is resolved.
- J. In the event the Provider does not carry the appropriate cyber security insurance to cover a security breach, the Provider shall reimburse the Agency for actual costs incurred, including, but not limited to, providing clients affected by a security breach with notice of the breach, and/or complimentary access for credit monitoring services, which the Agency deems necessary to protect such affected client.
- K. In the event the Agency discontinues operation, all child records for residential or any other placement settings shall be provided to the custodial agency. If the setting is licensed by ODJFS, licensing records shall be sent to:

ODJFS
ATTN: Licensing
P.O. Box 183204
Columbus, OH 43218-3204

Article XI. PROVIDER ASSURANCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- A. As applicable to the Provider's license and/or certification, the Provider certifies compliance with ORC 2151.86, ORC 5103.0328, ORC 5103.0319 and applicable OAC Sections as defined in Article XXII of this Agreement concerning criminal record checks, arrests, convictions and guilty pleas relative to foster caregivers, employees, volunteers and interns who are involved in the care for a child. Provider is responsible for any penalties, financial or otherwise, that may accrue because of noncompliance with this provision.
- B. To the extent that the Provider maintains a residential center or group home, the Provider agrees to comply with the provisions of their licensing Agency that relates to the operation, safety and maintenance of residential facilities. Specifically, Provider agrees that no firearm or other projectile weapon and no ammunition for such weapons will be kept on the premises.
- C. Provider certifies compliance with Drug Free Work Place Requirements as outlined in 45 C.F.R. Part 76, Subpart F.
- D. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 80, Non-Discrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- E. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 84, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- F. Provider certifies compliance 45 C.F.R. Part 90, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- G. Provider certifies compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336.
- H. Provider certifies that it will:
 - 1. Provide a copy of its license(s), certification, accreditation or a letter extending an expiring license, certification, or accreditation from the issuer to the Agency prior to the signing of the Agreement.
 - 2. Maintain its license(s), certification, accreditation and that upon receipt of the renewal of its license, certification, and/or accreditation or upon receipt of a letter extending an expiring license, certification, and/or accreditation from the issuer, a copy of the license, certification and/or accreditation will be provided to the Agency within five (5) business days.
 - 3. Provider shall immediately notify the Agency of any action, modification or issue relating to said licensure, accreditation or certification.
- I. Provider certifies that it will not deny or delay services to eligible persons because of the person's race, color, religion, national origin, gender, orientation, disability, or age.
- J. The Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR part 60.
- K. Provider further agrees to comply with OAC 5101:9-2-01 and OAC 5101:9-2-05(A)(4), as applicable, which require that assure that persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) can meaningfully access services. To the extent Provider provides assistance to an LEP Child through the use of an oral or written translator or interpretation services in compliance with this requirement, the LEP Child shall not be required to pay for such assistance.
- L. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857 (h)) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 C.F.R. Part 15).
- M. The Provider certifies compliance, where applicable, with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- N. The Provider certifies that all approvals, licenses, or other qualifications necessary to conduct business in Ohio have been obtained and are current.
- O. Provider shall comply with the Small Business Job Protection Act (Public Law ("P.L.") 104-188), the Multiethnic

Placement Act of 1994 (P.L. 103-382), Titles IV-B (42 U.S.C. 620 et seq.) and IV-E (42 U.S.C. 670 et seq.) of the Social Security Act ("the Act"), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-193), Section 471(a) of Title IV-E of the Act (42 U.S.C. 671(a)), and 45 C.F.R. 1356, including all rules, regulations and guidelines issued by federal and state authorities, OAC 5101:9-4-07 and OAC 5101:2-47-23.1.

Article XII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The Provider and the Agency agree that no employment, joint venture, or partnership has been or will be created between the parties hereto pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- B. The Provider and the Agency agree that the Provider is an independent contractor and assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums which may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or Deliverables rendered hereunder.
- C. The Provider and the Agency agree that no person and/or entities entering into this Agreement, nor any individual employed by any person or entity entering in to this Agreement, are public employees for purposes of contributions to Ohio Public Employees Retirement system by virtue of any work performed or services rendered in accordance with this Agreement.

Article XIII. AUDITS AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Provider agrees to submit to Agency a copy of the independent audit it receives in accordance with ORC 5103.0323.
- B. Upon request from the Agency, Provider shall submit a copy of the most recent Federal income tax return and related schedules filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- C. If Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, Provider agrees to timely file its Title IV-E cost report with all required items as outlined in OAC 5101:2-47-26.2 to ODJFS. Provider agrees that in the event a cost report cannot be timely filed, an extension shall be requested prior to the December 31st filing deadline.
- D. If a Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, an Agreed Upon Procedures engagement must be conducted by a certified public accountant for the Provider's cost report in accordance with OAC 5101:2-47-26.2. The procedures are conducted to verify the accuracy of costs used to establish reimbursement ceilings for maintenance and administration costs of child in care. Any overpayments or underpayment of federal funds to the Title IV-E Agency due to adjustments of cost report reimbursement ceiling amounts as a result of an audit, shall be resolved in accordance with ORC 5101.11, ORC 5101.14, and OAC 5101:2-47-01.
- E. Upon request from the Agency, the Provider shall submit a copy of the JFS 02911 and Agreed Upon Procedures.
- F. For financial reporting purposes and for Title IV-E cost reporting purposes, Provider agrees to follow the cost principles set forth in the following OAC Sections and publications:
 - 1. OAC 5101:2-47-11: "Reimbursement for Title IV-E foster care maintenance (FCM) costs for children's residential centers (CRC), group homes, maternity homes, residential parenting facilities, private foster homes, and substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities".
 - 2. OAC 5101:2-47-26.1: "Public child services agencies (PCSA), private child placing agencies (PCPA), private noncustodial agencies (PNA), residential care facilities, substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities: Title IV-E cost report filing requirements, record retention requirements, and related party disclosure requirements";
 - 3. OAC 5101:2-47-26.2: "Cost Report Agreed Upon Procedures Engagement".
 - 4. JFS 02911 Single Cost Report Instructions.
 - 5. For Private Agencies: 2 CFR part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Government.
 - 6. For Public Agencies: 2 CFR part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations.
 - 7. 2 CFR part 200.501, Audit Requirements.

Article XIV. GRIEVANCE /DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

In the event that a dispute arises under the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth below:

- 1. The party complaining of a dispute shall provide written notice of the nature of the dispute to the other party to this Agreement. A copy of the notice shall be sent to the Director or designee of the Agency and to the Executive Director or designee of the Provider. Within ten (10) business days of receiving the notice of a dispute, the parties involved in the dispute between the Agency and the Provider shall attempt to resolve the dispute.

ORC 102.03, ORC 102.04, ORC 2921.42, ORC 2921.43.

- C. The Provider further agrees that there is no financial interest involved on the part of the Agency or the respective county authority(ies) governing the agency. The Provider has no knowledge of any situation which would be a conflict of interest. It is understood that a conflict of interest occurs when an Agency employee or county official will gain financially or receive personal favors as a result of signing or implementation of this agreement. The Provider will report the discovery of any potential conflict of interest to the Agency. Should a conflict of interest be discovered during the term of this agreement, the Agency may exercise any right under the agreement, including termination of the agreement.

Article XX. INSURANCE

The Provider shall purchase and maintain for the term of this Agreement insurance of the types and amounts identified herein. Maintenance of the proper insurance for the duration of the Agreement is a material element of the Agreement.

Provider agrees to procure and maintain for the term of this Agreement the insurance set forth herein. The cost of all insurance shall be borne by Provider. Insurance shall be purchased from a company licensed to provide insurance in Ohio. Insurance is to be placed with an insurer provided an A.M. Best rating of no less than A-. Provider shall purchase the following coverage and minimum limits:

- A. Commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage contained in the most current Insurance Services Office Occurrence Form CG 00 01 or equivalent with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) in the aggregate and at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) coverage in legal liability fire damage. Coverage will include:

1. Additional insured endorsement;
2. Product liability;
3. Blanket contractual liability;
4. Broad form property damage;
5. Severability of interests;
6. Personal injury; and
7. Joint venture as named insured (if applicable).

Endorsements for physical abuse claims and for sexual molestation claims must be a minimum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) per occurrence and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in the aggregate.

- B. Business auto liability insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit, on all owned, non-owned, leased and hired automobiles. If the Agreement contemplates the transportation of the users of County services (such as but not limited to Agency consumers), "Consumers" and Provider provides this service through the use of its employees' privately owned vehicles "POV", then the Provider's Business Auto Liability insurance shall sit excess to the employees "POV" insurance and provide coverage above its employee's "POV" coverage. Provider agrees the business auto liability policy will be endorsed to provide this coverage.
- C. Professional liability (errors and omission) insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per claim and in the aggregate.
- D. Umbrella and excess liability insurance policy with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate, above the commercial general and business auto primary policies and containing the following coverage:

1. Additional insured endorsement;
2. Pay on behalf of wording;
3. Concurrency of effective dates with primary;
4. Blanket contractual liability;
5. Punitive damages coverage (where not prohibited by law);
6. Aggregates: apply where applicable in primary;
7. Care, custody and control – follow form primary; and
8. Drop down feature.

The amounts of insurance required in this section for General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability may be satisfied by Provider purchasing coverage for the limits specified or by any combination of underlying and umbrella limits, so long as the total amount of insurance is not less than the limits specified in

General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability when added together.

E. Workers' Compensation insurance at the statutory limits required by Ohio Revised code.

F. The Provider further agrees with the following provisions:

1. All policies, except workers' compensation and professional liability, will endorse as additional insured the Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers, including their Board of Trustees if applicable. The additional insured endorsement shall be on an ACORD or ISO form.
2. The insurance endorsement forms and the certificate of insurance forms will be sent to the Agency Director or Designee. The forms must state the following: "Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are endorsed as additional insured as required by agreement on the commercial general, business auto and umbrella/excess liability policies."
3. Each policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled or materially changed except after thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice given to the Agency Director or Designee.
4. Provider shall furnish the Agency with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received by the Agency before the Agreement commences. The Agency reserves the right at any time to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.
5. Failure of the Agency to demand such certificate or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of the Agency to identify a deficiency from evidence provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Provider's obligation to maintain such insurance.
6. Provider shall declare any self-insured retention to the Agency pertaining to liability insurance. Provider shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the Agency guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses for any self-insured retention.
7. If Provider provides insurance coverage under a "claims-made" basis, Provider shall provide evidence of either of the following for each type of insurance which is provided on a claims-made basis: unlimited extended reporting period coverage, which allows for an unlimited period of time to report claims from incidents that occurred after the policy's retroactive date and before the end of the policy period (tail coverage), or; continuous coverage from the original retroactive date of coverage. The original retroactive date of coverage means original effective date of the first claim-made policy issued for a similar coverage while Provider was under Agreement with the County on behalf of the Agency.
8. Provider will require all insurance policies in any way related to the work and secured and maintained by Provider to include endorsements stating each underwriter will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against the County and the Agency. Provider will require of subcontractors, by appropriate written agreements, similar waivers each in favor of all parties enumerated in this section.
9. Provider, the County, and the Agency agree to fully cooperate, participate, and comply with all reasonable requirements and recommendations of the insurers and insurance brokers issuing or arranging for issuance of the policies required here, in all areas of safety, insurance program administration, claim reporting and investigating and audit procedures.
10. Provider's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance with respect to the County, the Agency, their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the County or the Agency shall be excess of Provider's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
11. If any of the work or Services contemplated by this Agreement is subcontractors, Provider will ensure that any subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements contained herein.
12. If the Agreement provider is a government entity, insurance requirements will be fulfilled under the County Risk Sharing Authority (CORSAs).

Article XXI. INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by, and in compliance with, applicable law, Provider agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and the Board of County Commissioners, their respective members, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all damages, liability, losses, claims, suits, actions, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings/hearings, judgments and expenses, subrogation (of any party involved in the subject of this Agreement), attorneys' fees, court costs, defense costs or other injury or damage (collectively "Damages"), whether actual, alleged or threatened, resulting from injury or damages of any kind whatsoever to any business, entity or person (including death), or damage to property (including destruction, loss of, loss of use of resulting without injury damage or destruction) of whatsoever nature, arising out of or incident to in any way, the performance of the terms of this Agreement

including, without limitation, by Provider, its subcontractor(s), Provider's or its subcontractor(s)' employees, agents, assigns, and those designated by Provider to perform the work or services encompassed by the Agreement. Provider agrees to pay all damages, costs and expenses of the Indemnified Parties in defending any action arising out of the aforementioned acts or omissions.

- B. Each Party agrees to be responsible for any personal injury or property damage caused solely by its negligent acts or omissions as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as the parties may otherwise mutually agree in writing.
- C. This Article is not applicable to Agreements between governmental entities.

Article XXII. SCREENING AND SELECTION

A. Criminal Record Check

- 1. Provider warrants and represents it will comply with Article X as it relates to criminal record checks. Provider shall insure that every individual subject to a BCII check will sign a release of information to allow inspection and audit of the above criminal records transcripts or reports by the Agency or a private vendor hired by the Agency to conduct compliance reviews on their behalf.
- 2. Provider shall not assign any individual to work with or transport children until a BCII report and a criminal record transcript has been obtained.
- 3. Except as provided in Section C below, Provider shall not utilize any individual who has been convicted or plead guilty to any violations contained in ORC 5153.111(B)(1), ORC 2919.24, and OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.
- 4. Provider agrees to be financially responsible for any audit findings resulting in financial penalty due to lack of compliance with the criminal records checks requirements in OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.

B. Transportation of Child

- 1. The caregiver shall ensure the transportation of children in care will be reliable, legal and safe transportation with safety restraints, as appropriate for the child, and must be in compliance with applicable local, state and Federal transportation laws:
 - a. Maintenance of a current valid driver's license and vehicle insurance.
 - b. All children being transported by Provider must follow Ohio's Child Passenger Safety Law as defined in ORC 4511.81.
 - c. No child that is a passenger and is required to have a seat restraint can be transported by said provider until these requirements are met.
- 2. In addition to the requirements set forth above, Provider shall not permit any individual to transport a Child if:
 - a. The individual has a condition which would affect safe operation of a motor vehicle;
 - b. The individual has six (6) or more points on his/her driver's license; or
 - c. The individual has been convicted of, or pleaded guilty to, a violation of section 4511.19 (Operating vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – OVI or OVUAC) of the Revised Code if the individual previously was convicted of, or plead guilty to two or more violations within the three years immediately preceding the current violation.

C. Rehabilitation

- 1. Notwithstanding the above, Provider may make a request to the Agency to utilize an individual if Provider believes the individual has met the rehabilitative standards of OAC 5101:2-07-02(l) as follows:
 - a. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for a foster caregiver, a foster care applicant or other resident of the foster caregiver's household, Provider must provide written verification that the rehabilitation standards of OAC 5101:2-7-02 have been met.
 - b. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for any other individual serving Agency children, Provider must provide written verification from the individual that the rehabilitative conditions in accordance with OAC 5101:2-5-09 have been met.
- 2. The Agency shall review the facts presented and may allow the individual to work with, volunteer with or transport Agency children on a case-by-case basis. It is the Agency's sole discretion to permit a rehabilitated individual to work with, volunteer with or transport children.

D. Verification of Job or Volunteer Application:

Provider shall check and document each applicant's personal and employment references, general work history, relevant experience, and training information. Provider further agrees it will not employ an individual in relation to this Agreement unless it has received satisfactory employment references, work history, relevant experience, and training information.

Article XXIII. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL & DEGRADING PUNISHMENT

Agency prohibits the use of corporal or degrading punishment against children served by Agency and must comply with requirements in OAC 5101:2-7-09, OAC 5101:2-9-21, and OAC 5101:2-9-22

Article XXIV. FINDING FOR RECORDS

ORC 9.24 prohibits public agencies from awarding an Agreement for goods, services, or construction paid for in whole or in part from federal, state and local funds, to an entity against whom a finding for recovery has been issued if the finding is unresolved. By entering into this Agreement, Provider warrants and represents that they do not have an unresolved finding for recovery. Provider shall notify the Agency within ten (10) business days of its notification should the Provider be issued such finding by the Auditor of the State.

Article XXV. PUBLIC RECORDS

This Agreement is a matter of public record under the Ohio public records law. By entering into this Agreement, Provider acknowledges and understands that records maintained by Provider pursuant to this Agreement may also be deemed public records and subject to disclosure under Ohio law. Upon request made pursuant to Ohio law, the Agency shall make available the Agreement and all public records generated as a result of this Agreement.

Article XXVI. CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

Provider agrees to cooperate with ODJFS and any Ohio Child Support Enforcement Agency ("CSEA") in ensuring Provider and Provider's employees meet child support obligations established under state or federal law. Further, by executing this Agreement, Provider certifies present and future compliance with any court or valid administrative order for the withholding of support which is issued pursuant to the applicable sections in ORC Chapters 3119, 3121, 3123, and 3125.

Article XXVII. DECLARATION OF PROPERTY TAX DELINQUENCY

After award of an Agreement, and prior to the time the Agreement is entered into, the successful Provider shall submit a statement in accordance with ORC 5719.042. Such statement shall affirm under oath that the person with whom the Agreement is to be made was not charged at the time the bid was submitted with any delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of personal property of any county in which the taxing district has territory, or that such person was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on any such tax list, in which case the statement shall also set forth the amount of such due and unpaid delinquent taxes any due and unpaid penalties and interest thereon. If the statement indicates that the taxpayer was charged with any such taxes, a copy of the statement shall be transmitted by the fiscal officer to the county treasurer within thirty days of the date it is submitted. A copy of the statement shall also be incorporated into the Agreement, and no payment shall be made with respect to any contract to which this section applies unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

Article XXVIII. SUBCONTRACTING AND DELEGATION

The performance of any duty, responsibility or function which is the obligation of the Provider under this Agreement may be delegated or subcontracted to any agent or subcontractor of Provider if Provider has obtained the prior written consent of the Agency for that delegation subcontract. Provider is responsible for ensuring that the duties, responsibilities or functions so delegated or subcontracted are performed in accordance with the provisions and standards of this Agreement, and the actions and omissions of any such agent or subcontractor shall be deemed to be the actions and omissions of Provider for purposes of this Agreement.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Kathryn M. Horvath
Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

Article XXIX. PROPERTY OF AGENCY

The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the State of Ohio. The Agency is the sole author of the Deliverables and the sole owner of all rights therein. If any portion of the Deliverables are deemed not to be a "work made for hire", or if there are any rights in the Deliverables not so conveyed to the Agency, then Provider agrees to, and by executing this Agreement hereby does, assign to the Agency all worldwide rights, title, and interest in and to the Deliverables. The Agency acknowledges that its sole ownership of the Deliverables under this Agreement does not affect Provider's right to use general concepts, algorithms, programming techniques, methodologies, or technology that have been developed by Provider prior to this Agreement or that are generally known and available. Any Deliverable provided or produced by Provider under this Agreement or with funds hereunder, including any documents, data, photographs and negatives, electronic reports/records, or other media, are the property of the Agency, which has an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use the Deliverables. Provider shall not obtain copyright, patent, or other proprietary protection for the Deliverables. Provider shall not include in any Deliverable any copyrighted material, unless the copyright owner gives prior written approval for the Agency and Provider to use such copyrighted material. Provider agrees that all Deliverables will be made freely available to the general public unless the Agency determines that, pursuant to state or federal law, such materials are confidential or otherwise exempt from disclosure.

Article XXX. SEVERABILITY

If any term of this Agreement or its application thereof to any person or circumstance shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby. Each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XXXI. NO ADDITIONAL WAIVER IMPLIED

If the Agency or Provider fails to perform any obligations under this Agreement and thereafter such failure is waived by the other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular matter waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other failure hereunder, nor a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or condition. Waivers shall not be effective unless in writing.

Article XXXII. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

This Agreement and any modifications, amendments, or alterations, shall be governed, construed, and enforced under the laws of Ohio. Any legal action brought pursuant to this agreement will be filed in the Ohio courts, and Ohio law as well as Federal law will apply.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of the signature of the parties.

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

Provider: <i>[Signature]</i>	<i>3/18/2020</i>
Printed Name	Date
Ohio Mentor, Inc	
Agency: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Printed Name	Date
Warren County Children Services	<i>3/18/2020</i>

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

ADDENDA TO AGREEMENT

This Addenda sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between

IV-E Agency Name Warren County Children Services		
Street/Mailing Address 416 S East St		
City Lebanon	State OH	Zip Code 45036

a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is

and

hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

Provider Ohio Mentor, Inc		
Street/Mailing Address 6200 Rockside Woods BLVD STE 305 N		
City Independence	State OH	Zip Code 44131

Contract ID : 19180166

Originally Dated :04/01/2020 to 05/31/2021

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR
THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

Amendment Number 1 :

Amendment Reason:

OTHER

Amendment Begin Date:

04/01/2020

Amendment End Date :

05/31/2021

Increased Amount:

\$0.00

Article Name:

Article I. Scope of Placement Services

Amendment Reason Narrative:

Addendum #1 attached. See Addendum #1 for details.

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information
 Agency : Warren County Children Services
 Run Date: 02/11/2020
 Provider / ID : Ohio Mentor, Inc/ 6636400
 Contract Period : 04/01/2020 - 05/31/2021

Service Description	Service ID	Person ID	Maintenance Per Diem	Administration Per Diem	Case Management Per Diem	Transportation / Administration Per Diem	Transportation / Maintenance Per Diem	Other Direct Services Per Diem	Behavioral Healthcare Per Diem	Other Per Diem Cost	Total Per Diem	Cost Begin Date	Cost End Date
Level 1 - Family Foster Care (30389)- FFH	51155		\$28.40	\$24.95	\$2.31	\$1.05				\$1.13	\$57.84	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Level 2 - Treatment Foster Care (30390)- SN	51178		\$37.16	\$32.64	\$3.02	\$1.38				\$1.47	\$75.67	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Level 3 - Treatment Foster Care (30391)- EN	51172		\$50.02	\$43.94	\$4.07	\$1.86				\$1.98	\$101.87	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Level 4 - Treatment Foster Care (30413) Med Frag	51168		\$67.55	\$59.33	\$5.50	\$2.51				\$2.68	\$137.57	04/01/2020	05/31/2021

**ADDENDUM 1 TO AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS
FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreement seek to amend certain terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services standard Agreement for Title IV-E Agencies and Providers for the Provision of Child Placement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree that the Agreement shall include the following Amendments, additional terms, and conditions that address Provider and Agency responsibilities.

AMENDMENT #1:

Wherever referenced herein and throughout the Agreement, the terms "Agency" or "Warren County Children Services" shall refer to the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, contracting authority for Warren County Children Services, entering into this Agreement on behalf of Warren County Children Services.

AMENDMENT #2:

Article V, subsection (I) shall be amended to add the following language:

3. When a strip search or cavity search is conducted.

AMENDMENT #3:

The following provisions shall be added to Article V of the Agreement:

AA. Any notification required pursuant to subsections (G), (H), or (I) of Article V shall require verbal contact with an Agency representative. Leaving a voicemail shall not constitute notification under these sections.

BB. Provider shall make available for immediate inspection upon request by the Agency any and all written policies and procedures for operation of the facility, including, but not limited to, policies relating to use of physical restraint; searches, including policies for strip searches, and cavity searches; and policies for medication administration.

AMENDMENT #4:

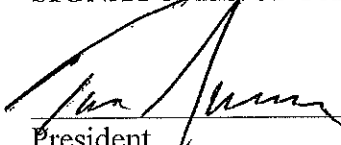
Article VI, subsection (H) of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

The language that states "thirty (30) calendar days" shall be replaced with "twenty-four (24) hours, not to exceed thirty (30) calendar days."

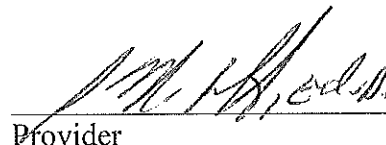
ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STANDARD AGREEMENT NOT SPECIFICALLY AMENDED, MODIFIED, ADDED, OR DELETED HEREBY SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Addendum to the Agreement by the President of the Warren County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Resolution Number 20-0483, dated 3/24/20, and by the duly authorized _____ of _____ [Provider].

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:



President
Warren County Board of Commissioners

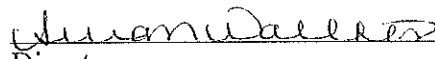


Provider

Date 3-24-2020

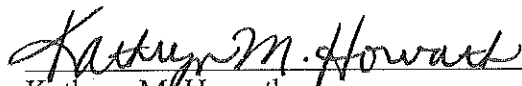
Date 3/6/2020

Reviewed by:



Director
Warren County Children's Services

Approved as to Form:



Kathryn M. Horvath
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF Ohio
COUNTY OF Cuyahoga

I, A.M. Bonsutto, holding the title and position of Executive Director at the firm Ohio Mentor Inc., affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

[Signature]

AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this (3) Third day of March 20 20

Jacquelyn R. Brucny
(Notary Public),

Cuyahoga County.

My commission expires May 30 20 21



Notary Public
Cuyahoga County
State of Ohio
Commission Expires May 30, 2021



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

10/1/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER RSC Insurance Brokerage, Inc. 1 New Hampshire Avenue, Suite 125 Portsmouth, NH 03801	CONTACT NAME:	
	PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (603) 778-8985	FAX (A/C, No): (603) 778-8987
E-MAIL ADDRESS:		
INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC #
INSURER A: AIG Affiliate: As Noted in Addendum		23841
INSURER B: National Union Fire Ins Co of Pittsburg, PA (A-XV)		19445
INSURER C: AIG Specialty Insurance Company (A-XV)		26883
INSURER D:		
INSURER E:		
INSURER F:		

INSURED
National Mentor Holdings, Inc.
Ohio Mentor, Inc.
6200 Rockside Woods Blvd, Suite 305
Independence OH 44131

COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 51562424 REVISION NUMBER:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL SUBR INSD WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
C	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prof Liability <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Abuse & Molestation Incl. GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: retro date 03/09/01		375-22-10	10/1/2019	10/1/2020	EACH OCCURRENCE \$4,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$300,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$15,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$4,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$4,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMPIOP AGG \$4,000,000 Prof Liab/occ \$4,000,000
B B B	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY		4993287 AOS 4993285 MA 4993286 VA	10/1/2019 10/1/2019 10/1/2019	10/1/2020 10/1/2020 10/1/2020	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$
	UMBRELLA LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE DED RETENTION \$					EACH OCCURRENCE \$ AGGREGATE \$ \$
A	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N N N/A	see attached for policy numbers	10/1/2019	10/1/2020	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

Foster Care and Behavioural Health Services provided by
Ohio Mentor
3085 W. Market Street, Suite 101
Fairlawn, OH 44333

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

CANCELLATION

Warren County Ohio Children Services
416 S. East Street
Lebanon OH 45036

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

Michael Christian

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AGENCY CUSTOMER ID: _____

LOC #: _____



ADDITIONAL REMARKS SCHEDULE

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AGENCY RSC Insurance Brokerage, Inc.		NAMED INSURED National Mentor Holdings, Inc. Ohio Mentor, Inc. 6200 Rockside Woods Blvd, Suite 305 Independence OH 44131	
POLICY NUMBER see attached			
CARRIER AIG Affiliate: As Noted in Addendum	NAIC CODE 23841	EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/1/2019	

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

THIS ADDITIONAL REMARKS FORM IS A SCHEDULE TO ACORD FORM,

FORM NUMBER: 25 **FORM TITLE:** Certificate of Liability (03/16)

HOLDER: Warren County Ohio Children Services

ADDRESS: 416 S. East Street Lebanon OH 45036

Policy Number - State(s) - Insurer

017515872 MA/ND/OH/WI - AIG/ New Hampshire Insurance Co

017515873 CA - AIG/American Home Assurance Company

017515874 AL, AR, CO, CT, DE, GA, IA, IN, KS, LA, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, MS, NE, NV, OK, OR, RI, SC, TN, TX, WV -
AIG/ New Hampshire Insurance Co.

017515875 FL - AIG/Illinois National Insurance Co.

017515876 AZ, IL, KY, NC, NH, NJ, PA, UT, VA- AIG/ New Hampshire Insurance Co.

017515877 NY - AIG/AIU Ins Co

**State of Ohio
Department of Job and Family Services**

**John R. Kasich
Governor**

This is to Certify that

**OHIO MENTOR, INC.
6200 ROCKSIDE WOODS BOULEVARD, SUITE 305
INDEPENDENCE, OHIO 44131
(RECERTIFICATION- STUDY# 82059)**

Has been inspected pursuant to Chapter 5103, of the Ohio Revised Code and applicable Ohio Administrative Code rules.

The specific functions which the agency is certified to perform are listed below and explained in detail in the accompanying letter.

To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Family Foster homes for certification

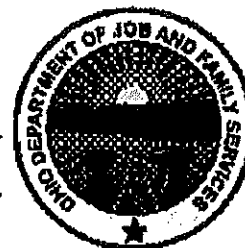
To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Treatment Foster homes for certification

To participate in the placement of children in Foster homes

This certificate is effective From October 29, 2018 To October 28, 2020

Temporary certificate expiration date To _____

Unless sooner revoked or amended by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services



*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0484

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AGREEMENT AND ADDENDUM WITH NATIONAL YOUTH ADVOCATE PROGRAM AS A CHILD PLACEMENT AND RELATED SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON BEHALF OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES


BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into the agreement and addendum with National Youth Advocate Program, on behalf of Warren County Children Services, for calendar year 2020-2021, for the services of a child placement and related services provider. Copy of agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a— National Youth Advocate Program
Children Services (file)

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT

This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between Warren County Children Services, a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is:

Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

and National Youth Advocate Program, hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

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RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Agency is responsible under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Title 51, Chapter 5153 for the provision of protective services for dependent, neglected, and abused children; and,

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized under ORC Title 51, Chapter 5153.16 to provide care and services which it deems to be in the best interest of any child who needs or is likely to need public care and services; and,

WHEREAS, the Provider is an organization duly organized and validly existing and is qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Ohio or in the state where the placement facility or foster home is located and has all requisite legal power and authority to execute this Agreement and to carry out its terms, conditions and provisions, and is licensed, certified or approved to provide placement and related services to children in accordance with Ohio law or the state where the placement facility or foster home is located.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and responsibilities set forth herein, the Agency and Provider agree as follows:

Article I. SCOPE OF PLACEMENT SERVICES

In addition to the services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work, Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services specified in each Individual Child Care Agreement (ICCA) for children in the care and custody of the Title IV-E Agency. The ICCA shall be consistent with current federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Provider's license or certified functions and services. If an Agreement and ICCA both exist, the Agreement supersedes.

Section 1.01 FOR CONTRACTS COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

Without limiting the services set forth herein, Provider will provide the Services pursuant to and consistent with the Requests for Proposals (RFP) and the Provider's Proposal submitted in response to the RFP, the Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.02 FOR CONTRACTS NOT COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

The Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in the Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.03 EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are deemed to be a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work;
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable);
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Response to the Request for Proposals (if applicable); and
- D. Exhibit IV – Schedule A Rate Information.

Article II. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from **04/01/2020** through **05/31/2021**, unless this Agreement is suspended or terminated pursuant to Article IX prior to the termination date.

In addition to the initial term described above, this Agreement may be extended at the option of the Agency and upon written agreement of the Provider. Notice of Agency's intention to extend the Agreement shall be provided in writing to Provider no less than 90 calendar days before the expiration of any Agreement term then in effect. (If a previous Request for Proposal [RFP] allows, the Agreement may be extended for a period of time to ensure adequate completion of the Agency's competitive procurement process at the rates existing for the term then in effect.)

Article III. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement and all Exhibits are intended to supplement and complement each other and shall, where possible, be so interpreted. However, if any provision of this Agreement irreconcilably conflicts with an Exhibit, this Agreement takes precedence over the Exhibit(s).

In the event there is an inconsistency between the Exhibit(s), the inconsistency shall be resolved in the following order:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work; then
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable); then
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Proposals (if applicable); then
- D. Exhibit IV – Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information.

Article IV. DEFINITIONS GOVERNING THIS AGREEMENT

The following definitions govern this Agreement:

- A. Agreement means this Agreement, addenda and exhibits thereto.
- B. Material Breach shall mean an act or omission that violates or contravenes an obligation required under the Agreement and which, by itself or together with one or more other breaches, has a negative effect on, or thwarts the purpose of the Agreement as stated herein. A Material Breach shall not include an act or omission, which has a trivial or negligible effect on the quality, quantity, or delivery of the goods and services to be provided under the Agreement.
- C. Child(ren) means any person under eighteen years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped person under twenty-one years of age in the Agency's custody and under the care of the Provider for the provision of placement services.
- D. All other definitions to be resolved through Federal Regulations, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5101:2-1-01 and any related cross-references.

Article V. PROVIDER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Provider agrees to participate with Agency in the development and implementation of the Case Plan and ICCA including participation in case reviews and / or semi-annual administrative reviews, and the completion of reunification assessments for the children in placement with the Provider. Parties shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- B. Provider agrees to provide services agreed to in the Case Plan and ICCA (i.e., transportation of children for routine services, including, but not limited to, court hearings, medical appointments, school therapy, recreational activities, visitations/family visits) unless otherwise negotiated in writing as an attachment to this Agreement. Any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual-agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process. The cost of providing these services is to be included in the Agency approved per diem.
- C. Provider agrees to ensure that any and all persons who may act as alternative caregivers or who have contact with the children are suitable for interaction pursuant to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- D. Provider agrees that all caregivers must be approved by the Agency.
- E. Provider agrees to submit a progress report as negotiated by the parties for each child. The progress report will be based on the agreed upon services to be delivered to the child and/or family and will include documentation of services provided to the child and/or discharge summary. If Monthly Progress Reports are not received within 90 calendar days following the month of service provision, payment may be withheld at the Agency's discretion.
 - 1. Monthly Progress Reports shall be submitted by the 20th of the month following the month of service.
 - 2. The Monthly Progress Report will include the following medical related information:
 - a. Service type (i.e. medical, dental, vision, etc.);
 - b. Date(s) of service;
 - c. Reason for visit (i.e. routine, injury, etc.);
 - d. Practitioner name, address and contact number;
 - e. Name of hospital, practice, urgent care, etc.;
 - f. Prescribed medications and dosages;
 - g. Date(s) medication(s) were prescribed or changed; and
 - h. Changes to medications.
- F. Placement changes, emergency or non-emergency, shall occur only with the approval of the Agency. The following information shall be provided to the Agency for all placement changes: Name, address and phone number of the new foster home or other out-of-home care setting, the license/home study of the new care provider within 24 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.
- G. Provider agrees to notify all Agencies who have children placed in the same caregiver's home/group home/CRC when any child residing in the placement is critically injured or dies in that location. Notification will be made to the Agencies' Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline number or assigned Caseworker immediately.
- H. Notification to the Agency of Emergency Critical Incidents shall occur ASAP but no later than one hour of the incident becoming known. Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or

assigned Caseworker or by other established system. Critical incidents are those incidents defined in the Ohio Administrative Code that are applicable to the licensed or certified programs(ODJFS 5101:2-7-14, 5101:2-9-23 ODMHAS 5122-30-16, 5122-26-13, OAC 5123-17-02).

Emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. Absent Without Leave (AWOL);
 2. Child Alleging Physical or Sexual Abuse/Neglect;
 3. Death of Child;
 4. Illicit drug/alcohol use, Abuse of medication or toxic substance;
 5. Sudden injury or illness requiring an unplanned medical treatment or visit to the hospital;
 6. Perpetrator of Delinquent/Criminal Act (Assault, Dangerous Behaviors, Homicidal Behaviors);
 7. School Expulsion/Suspension (formal action by school);
 8. Self-Injury (Suicidal Behaviors, Self-Harm Requiring external Medical Treatment, Hospital or ER);
 9. Victim of assault, neglect, physical or sexual abuse;
 10. The filing of any law enforcement report involving the child.
- I. The Provider also agrees to notify the Agency within Twenty-four (24) hours, of any non-emergency situations. Non-emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:
1. When physical restraint is used/applied; and
 2. Medication lapses or errors.

Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline/assigned Caseworker or by other established notification system.

- J. Documentation of the emergency and non-emergency incidents as identified in "H and I" above shall be provided to the Agency via email, fax or other established notification system within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.
- K. The Provider agrees to submit each child's assessment and treatment plans as completed but no later than the 30th day of placement. Provider further agrees to provide treatment planning that will include, but is not limited to, education on or off site, preparation for integration into community-based school or vocational/job skills training, community service activities, independent living skills if age 14 or older, monitoring and supporting community adjustment.
- L. The Provider agrees to participate in joint planning with the Agency regarding modification to case plan services. Provider agrees that while the Provider may have input into the development of the child's case plan services and the ICCA, any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process.
- M. The Provider shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Agency prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. A placement Preservation meeting shall be held within seven (7) business days of said request. Unless otherwise mutually agreed upon a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice shall be given if placement preservation is unable to be achieved. A Discharge Plan Summary shall be provided no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of discharge in accordance with the applicable licensed or certified program. (OAC 5101:2-5-17, OAC 5122-30-22, OAC 5122-30-04, OAC 5123:2-3-05).
- N. The Provider shall work in cooperation and collaboration with the Agency to provide information for each child's Lifebook and will fully comply with the provision of OAC 5101:2-42-67 as applicable to private Providers. Provider's contribution to the Agency Lifebook for a child shall be for the episode of care with the Provider.
- O. The Provider agrees to provide Independent Living Services as set forth in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-19 for all children age 14 and above.
- P. When applicable, due to the Provider being part of a managed care agreement as defined in OAC 5101:2-1-01, the Provider agrees to visit with the child face-to-face in the foster home, speak privately with the child and to meet with the caregiver at least monthly in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- Q. The Provider agrees to maintain its licenses and certifications from any source in good standing. The Provider agrees to report to Agency in writing any change in licensure or certification that negatively impacts such standing immediately if the negative action results in a temporary license, suspension of license or termination of license.
- R. Provider agrees that the reasonable and prudent parent standard training required by SEC. 471, [42 U.S.C. 671] of the Social Security Act and in accordance to OAC 5101:2-5-33, OAC 5101:2-9-02 or OAC 5101:2-9-03 has been

completed.

- S. The Provider shall notify Agency of any changes in its status, such as intent to merge with another business or to close no later than forty-five (45) business days prior to the occurrence.
- T. The Provider agrees that the Agency shall have access to foster parent home studies and re-certifications for foster parents caring for children in placement, subject to confidentiality considerations. The Provider shall submit to Agency a copy of the current foster home license at the time of placement and recertification. Provider also agrees to notify Agency within twenty-four (24) hours of any change in the status of the foster home license.
- U. When there is a rule violation of a caregiver, a copy of the corrective action plan, if applicable, must be submitted to the Agency when the investigation is complete.
- V. The Provider agrees to notify the Agency of scheduling no less than fourteen (14) calendar days prior to all formal meetings (i.e. FTMs, Treatment Team Meetings, IEPs, etc.).
- W. The Provider agrees to adhere to the following Medical/Medication guidelines:
 - 1. To provide over-the-counter medications and/or supplies as part of the per diem of care;
 - 2. To comply with the medical consent process as identified by Agency;
 - 3. Only the Agency can give permission for the administering or change (addition or elimination) of psychotropic medication and its ongoing management; and
 - 4. Provide an initial placement medical screening within 72 hours of child's placement into a placement resource under the Provider's operation and/or oversight.
- X. To arrange for required health care/medical examinations within time frames required by OAC 5101:2-42-66.1 and provide reports from the health care providers to the agency within 30 days of occurrence if the appropriate releases of information have been obtained by the Provider.
- Y. The Network Provider agrees to notify the Agency if placement resource is currently under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children or other third-party investigation.
- Z. The Provider will immediately notify the Agency:
 - 1. If the Provider is out of compliance with any licensing authority rules or the placement resource is under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children. Immediately is defined as within one hour of knowledge of the non-compliance issue.
 - 2. Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or assigned Caseworker of any allegations of abuse or neglect made against the Caregiver within one hour of gaining knowledge of the allegation.
 - 3. Of any corrective action and the result of the correction action plan. The Provider will submit a comprehensive written report to the agency within sixty (60) days of the rules violation.
 - 4. Within twenty-four (24) hours any time there is an event which would impact the placement resource license.

Article VI. AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Agency certifies that it will comply with the Multiethnic Placement Act, 108 STAT. 3518, as amended by Section 1808 of the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, 110 STAT. 1755, which prohibits any Agency from denying any person the opportunity to become an adoptive or foster parent on the basis of race, color, national origin, or delaying or denying the placement of a child for adoption or into foster care on the basis of race, color, or national origin of the adoptive or foster parent or of the child involved.
- B. The Agency shall provide to the Provider within thirty (30) calendar days of placement or within a reasonable time thereafter as agreed to by the parties, a copy of each child's social history, medical history, and Medicaid card once obtained by the Agency for new cases, or at time of placement for existing cases. Agency shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- C. Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider. The Agency acknowledges that clinical treatment decisions must be recommended by licensed clinical professionals. Agency and Provider acknowledge that disagreement with a treatment decision may be taken through the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV of this Agreement.
- D. Agency agrees to visit with the child in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- E. Agency agrees to participate in periodic meetings with each child's treatment team for case treatment plan development, review, and revision. The Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider by the Agency.

- F. Agency certifies that it will comply with Every Student Succeeds Act (34 CFR part 200) and will work with local school districts in developing individualized plans to address the transportation needed for a child to remain in the school of origin. Agency agrees to arrange for the transfer of each child's school records to the child's new school upon placement but not later than ten (10) business days. The Agency agrees to work with the Provider for the timely enrollment of the child in the receiving school district. The Agency has the final responsibility to obtain the child's school records and to enroll the child in the receiving school district.
- G. The Agency shall provide an opportunity for the Provider to give input in the development, substantive amendment or modification of case plans. The Agency agrees to notify the Provider of scheduling no less than seven (7) calendar days prior to of all formal meetings (e.g. SARs, court hearings, family team conferences, etc.).
- H. The Agency shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Provider prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. The Agency shall provide a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice for planned removals, to the Provider for each child who is being terminated from placement with the Provider, unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- I. Agency agrees to provide the Provider with an emergency contact on a twenty-four (24) hour, seven (7) day per week basis.
- J. The Agency represents:
 - 1. It has adequate funds to meet its obligations under this Agreement; subject to the availability of funds as referenced in Article VIII (I);
 - 2. It intends to maintain this Agreement for the full period set forth herein and has no reason to believe that it will not have sufficient funds to enable it to make all payments due hereunder during such period; and
 - 3. It will make its best effort to obtain the appropriation of any necessary funds during the term of this Agreement.
- K. The Agency will provide information about the child being referred for placement in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-90. Prior to a child's placement in alternative care or respite, OAC 5101:2-42-90 (D) requires the Agency to share with care givers information that could impact the health, safety, or well-being of the child or others in the home.

Article VII. INVOICING FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The Provider agrees to submit a monthly invoice following the end of the month in which services were provided. The invoice shall be for services delivered in accordance with Article I of this Agreement and shall include:
 - 1. Provider's name, address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax identification number, Title IV-E Provider number, if applicable and Medicaid Provider number, if applicable.
 - 2. Billing date and the billing period.
 - 3. Name of child, date of birth of child, and the child's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) person I.D. number.
 - 4. Admission date and discharge date, if available.
 - 5. Agreed upon per diem for maintenance and the agreed per diem administration; and
 - 6. Invoicing procedures may also include the per diems associated with the following if applicable and agreeable to the Agency and Provider:
 - a. Case Management; allowable administration cost.
 - b. Transportation, allowable maintenance cost.
 - c. Transportation; allowable administration cost.
 - d. Other Direct Services; allowable maintenance cost.
 - e. Behavioral health care; non-reimbursable cost.
 - f. Other costs - (any other cost the Title IV-E Agency has agreed to participate in); non-allowable/non-reimbursable cost.
- B. Provider warrants and represents claims made for payment for services provided are for actual services rendered and do not duplicate claims made by Provider to other sources of public funds for the same service.

Article VIII. REIMBURSEMENT FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The maximum amount payable pursuant to this contract is **\$100,000.00**.
- B. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement, the per diem for maintenance and the per diem for

administration will be paid for each day the child was in placement. The first day of placement will be paid regardless of the time the child was placed. The last day of placement will not be paid regardless of the time the child left the placement.

- C. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement and in addition to Maintenance and Administration, the Agency may agree to pay a per diem for Case Management, Other Direct Services, Transportation Administration, Transportation Maintenance, Behavioral Health Care and Other. All other services and/or fees to be paid for shall be contained in the Addendum of this Agreement.
- D. To the extent that the Provider maintains a foster care network, the agreed upon per diem for maintenance shall be the amount paid directly to the foster parent. Maintenance includes the provision of food, clothing, shelter, daily supervision, graduation expenses, a child's personal incidentals, and liability insurance with respect to the child, reasonable cost of travel to the child's home for visitation and reasonable cost of travel for the child to remain in the school the child was enrolled in at the time of placement. Payment for private Agency staff transporting a child to a home visit or keeping the child in their home school will be paid in accordance with Schedule A (Transportation Maintenance) of this Agreement.
- E. If the plan as determined by the Agency is to return the child to placement with the Provider, the Agency may agree to pay for the days that a child is temporarily absent from the direct care of the Provider, as agreed to by the parties in writing.
- F. The service provider is required to utilize Medicaid-approved healthcare providers in the appropriate managed care network for the provision of mental health, dental and/or medical services (hereafter referred to collectively as "medical services") to children in the custody of Agency. The Service Provider will report applicable Medicaid/insurance information to the healthcare providers and instruct healthcare providers to seek payment from Medicaid or any other available third-party payer for medical services rendered to children in agency custody. Agency will not pay for the provision of any medical services to children in agency custody unless the agency Executive Director or authorized designee has provided specific prior written authorization for such medical services and associated costs.
- G. The Agency agrees to pay the Provider for all services agreed to on Schedule A and in the Addendum to this Agreement, where applicable, that have been provided and documented in the child's case file. Agency shall make best efforts to make payment of undisputed charges within thirty (30) business days of receipt.
- H. In the event of a disagreement regarding payment, Agency shall withhold payment only for that portion of the placement with which it disagrees. Agency will use best efforts to notify the Provider of any invoice discrepancies. Agency and Provider will make every effort to resolve payment discrepancies within 60 calendar days. Payment discrepancies brought to the Agency after 60 days will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
- I. This Agreement is conditioned upon the availability of federal, state, or local funds appropriated or allocated for payment for services provided under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. By sole determination of the Agency, if funds are not sufficiently allocated or available for the provision of the services performed by the Provider hereunder, the Agency reserves the right to exercise one of the following alternatives:
 1. Reduce the utilization of the services provided under this Agreement, without change to the terms and conditions of the Agreement; or
 2. Issue a notice of intent to terminate the Agreement.

The Agency will notify the Provider at the earliest possible time of such decision. No penalty shall accrue to the Agency in the event either of these provisions is exercised. The Agency shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or for any damages as a result of termination under this section.

Any denial of payment for service(s) rendered may be appealed in writing and will be part of the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV.

Article IX. TERMINATION; BREACH AND DEFAULT

- A. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience prior to the expiration of the term then in effect by either the Agency or the Provider upon written notification given no less than sixty (60) calendar days in advance by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the last known address of the terminated party shown hereinabove or at such other address as may hereinafter be specified in writing.
- B. If Provider fails to provide the Services as provided in this Agreement for any reason other than Force Majeure, or if Provider otherwise Materially Breaches this Agreement, Agency may consider Provider in default. Agency agrees to give Provider thirty (30) days written notice specifying the nature of the default and its intention to terminate. Provider shall have seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such notice to provide a written plan of action to Agency to cure such default. Agency is required to approve or disapprove such plan within five (5)

calendar days of receipt. In the event Provider fails to submit such plan or Agency disapproves such plan, Agency has the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Provider. If Provider fails to cure the default in accordance with an approved plan, then Agency may terminate this Agreement at the end of the thirty (30) day notice period.

- C. Upon the effective date of the termination, the Provider agrees that it shall cease work on the terminated activities under this Agreement, take all necessary or appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize costs, and furnish a report as of the date of discharge of the last child describing the status of all work under this Agreement, including without limitation, results accomplished, conclusions resulting therefrom, and such other matters as the Agency may require. The Agency agrees to remove all children in placement immediately with the Provider, consistent with the effective termination date. In all instances of termination, the Provider and Agency agree that they shall work in the best interests of children placed with the Provider to secure alternative placements for all children affected by the termination.
- D. In the event of termination, the Provider shall be entitled to reimbursement, upon submission of an invoice, for the agreed upon per diem incurred prior to the effective termination date. The reimbursement will be calculated by the Agency based on the per diem set forth in Article VIII. The Agency shall receive credit for reimbursement already made when determining the amount owed to the Provider. The Agency is not liable for costs incurred by the Provider after the effective termination date of the discharge of the last child.
- E. Notwithstanding the above, Agency may immediately terminate this Agreement upon delivery of a written notice of termination to the Provider under the following circumstances:
 - 1. Improper or inappropriate activities;
 - 2. Loss of required licenses;
 - 3. Actions, inactions or behaviors that may result in harm, injury or neglect of a child;
 - 4. Unethical business practices or procedures; and
 - 5. Any other event that Agency deems harmful to the well-being of a child; or
 - 6. Loss of funding as set forth in Article VIII.
- F. If the Agreement is terminated by Agency due to breach or default of any of the provisions, obligations, or duties embodied contained therein by the Provider, Agency may exercise any administrative, agreement, equitable, or legal remedies available, without limitation. Any extension of the time periods set forth above shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights or remedies the Agency may have under this Agreement.
- G. In the event of termination under this ARTICLE, both the Provider and the placing Agency shall make good faith efforts to minimize adverse effect on children resulting from the termination of the Agreement.

Article X. RECORDS RETENTION ,CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Provider agrees that all records, documents, writings or other information, including, but not limited to, financial records, census records, client records and documentation of legal compliance with Ohio Administrative Code rules, produced by the Provider under this Agreement, and all records, documents, writings or other information, including but not limited to financial, census and client used by the Provider in the performance of this Agreement are treated according to the following terms:
 - 1. All records relating to costs, work performed and supporting documentation for invoices submitted to the Agency by the Provider along with copies of all Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, submitted to the Agency pursuant to this Agreement will be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after reimbursement for services rendered under this Agreement.
 - 2. If an audit, litigation, or other action is initiated during the time period of the Agreement, the Provider shall retain such records until the action is concluded and all issues resolved or three (3) years have expired, whichever is later.
 - 3. All records referred to in Section A 1) of this Article shall be available for inspection and audit by the Agency or other relevant agents of the State of Ohio (including, but not limited to, the County Prosecutor, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), the Auditor of the State of Ohio, the Inspector General of Ohio, or any duly authorized law enforcement officials), and the United States Department of Health and Human Services within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The Provider agrees to keep all financial records in a manner consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- C. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal and state laws applicable to the Agency and the confidentiality of children and families. Provider understands access to the identities of any Agency's child and families shall only be

as necessary for the purpose of performing its responsibilities under this Agreement. No identifying information on child(ren) served will be released for research or other publication without the express written consent of the Agency. Provider agrees that the use or disclosure of information concerning the child for any purpose not directly related to the administration of this Agreement is prohibited. Provider shall ensure all the children's and families' documentation is protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner.

- D. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws related to the confidentiality and transmission of medical records, including, but not limited to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- E. Although information about, and generated under, this Agreement may fall within the public domain, the Provider shall not release information about, or related to, this Agreement to the general public or media verbally, in writing, or by any electronic means without prior approval from the Agency, unless the Provider is required to release requested information by law. Agency reserves the right to announce to the general public and media: award of the Agreement, Agreement terms and conditions, scope of work under the Agreement, Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, and results obtained under the Agreement. Except where Agency approval has been granted in advance, the Provider shall not seek to publicize and will not respond to unsolicited media queries requesting: announcement of Agreement award, Agreement terms and conditions, Agreement scope of work, government-furnished documents the Agency may provide to the Provider to fulfill the Agreement scope of work, Deliverables required under the Agreement, results obtained under the Agreement, and impact of Agreement activities.
- F. If contacted by the media about this Agreement, the Provider agrees to notify the Agency in lieu of responding immediately to media queries. Nothing in this section is meant to restrict the Provider from using Agreement information and results to market to specific business prospects.
- G. Client data must be protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner whether located in Provider's facilities, stored in the Cloud, or used on mobile devices outside Provider's facility. Security of Provider's network, data storage, and mobile devices must conform to generally recognized industry standards and best practices. Maintenance of a secure processing environment includes, but is not limited to, network firewall provisioning, intrusion detection, antivirus protection, regular third-party vulnerability assessments, and the timely application of patches, fixes and updates to operating systems and applications.
- H. Provider agrees that it has implemented and shall maintain during the term of this Agreement the highest standard of administrative, technical, and physical safeguards and controls to:
 - 1. Ensure the security and confidentiality of data;
 - 2. Protect against any anticipated security threats or hazards to the security or integrity of data; and
 - 3. Protect against unauthorized access to or use of data. Such measures shall include at a minimum:
 - a. Access controls on information systems, including controls to authenticate and permit access to data only to authorized individuals and controls to prevent Provider employees from providing data to unauthorized individuals who may seek to obtain this information (whether through fraudulent means or otherwise);
 - b. Firewall protection;
 - c. Encryption of electronic data while in transit from Provider networks to external networks;
 - d. Measures to store in a secure fashion all data which shall include multiple levels of authentication;
 - e. Measures to ensure that data shall not be altered or corrupted without the prior written consent of the Agency;
 - f. Measures to protect against destruction, loss or damage of data due to potential environmental hazards, such as fire and water damage.
- I. Immediately upon discovery of a confirmed or suspected breach involving data, Provider will notify Agency no later than twenty-four (24) hours after Provider knows or reasonably suspects a breach has or may have occurred. Provider shall promptly take all appropriate or legally required corrective actions and shall cooperate fully with the Agency in all reasonable and lawful efforts to prevent, mitigate or rectify such data breach. In the event of a suspected breach, Provider shall keep the Agency informed of the progress of its investigation until the uncertainty is resolved.
- J. In the event the Provider does not carry the appropriate cyber security insurance to cover a security breach, the Provider shall reimburse the Agency for actual costs incurred, including, but not limited to, providing clients affected by a security breach with notice of the breach, and/or complimentary access for credit monitoring services, which the Agency deems necessary to protect such affected client.
- K. In the event the Agency discontinues operation, all child records for residential or any other placement settings shall be provided to the custodial agency. If the setting is licensed by ODJFS, licensing records shall be sent to:

ODJFS
ATTN: Licensing
P.O. Box 183204
Columbus, OH 43218-3204

Article XI. PROVIDER ASSURANCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- A. As applicable to the Provider's license and/or certification, the Provider certifies compliance with ORC 2151.86, ORC 5103.0328, ORC 5103.0319 and applicable OAC Sections as defined in Article XXII of this Agreement concerning criminal record checks, arrests, convictions and guilty pleas relative to foster caregivers, employees, volunteers and interns who are involved in the care for a child. Provider is responsible for any penalties, financial or otherwise, that may accrue because of noncompliance with this provision.
- B. To the extent that the Provider maintains a residential center or group home, the Provider agrees to comply with the provisions of their licensing Agency that relates to the operation, safety and maintenance of residential facilities. Specifically, Provider agrees that no firearm or other projectile weapon and no ammunition for such weapons will be kept on the premises.
- C. Provider certifies compliance with Drug Free Work Place Requirements as outlined in 45 C.F.R. Part 76, Subpart F.
- D. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 80, Non-Discrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- E. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 84, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- F. Provider certifies compliance 45 C.F.R. Part 90, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- G. Provider certifies compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336.
- H. Provider certifies that it will:
 - 1. Provide a copy of its license(s), certification, accreditation or a letter extending an expiring license, certification, or accreditation from the issuer to the Agency prior to the signing of the Agreement.
 - 2. Maintain its license(s), certification, accreditation and that upon receipt of the renewal of its license, certification, and/or accreditation or upon receipt of a letter extending an expiring license, certification, and/or accreditation from the issuer, a copy of the license, certification and/or accreditation will be provided to the Agency within five (5) business days.
 - 3. Provider shall immediately notify the Agency of any action, modification or issue relating to said licensure, accreditation or certification.
- I. Provider certifies that it will not deny or delay services to eligible persons because of the person's race, color, religion, national origin, gender, orientation, disability, or age.
- J. The Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR part 60.
- K. Provider further agrees to comply with OAC 5101:9-2-01 and OAC 5101:9-2-05(A)(4), as applicable, which require that assure that persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) can meaningfully access services. To the extent Provider provides assistance to an LEP Child through the use of an oral or written translator or interpretation services in compliance with this requirement, the LEP Child shall not be required to pay for such assistance.
- L. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857 (h) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 C.F.R. Part 15).
- M. The Provider certifies compliance, where applicable, with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- N. The Provider certifies that all approvals, licenses, or other qualifications necessary to conduct business in Ohio have been obtained and are current.
- O. Provider shall comply with the Small Business Job Protection Act (Public Law ("P.L.") 104-188), the Multiethnic

Placement Act of 1994 (P.L. 103-382), Titles IV-B (42 U.S.C. 620 et seq.) and IV-E (42 U.S.C. 670 et seq.) of the Social Security Act ("the Act"), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-193), Section 471(a) of Title IV-E of the Act (42 U.S.C. 671(a)), and 45 C.F.R. 1356, including all rules, regulations and guidelines issued by federal and state authorities, OAC 5101:9-4-07 and OAC 5101:2-47-23.1.

Article XII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The Provider and the Agency agree that no employment, joint venture, or partnership has been or will be created between the parties hereto pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- B. The Provider and the Agency agree that the Provider is an independent contractor and assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums which may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or Deliverables rendered hereunder.
- C. The Provider and the Agency agree that no person and/or entities entering into this Agreement, nor any individual employed by any person or entity entering in to this Agreement, are public employees for purposes of contributions to Ohio Public Employees Retirement system by virtue of any work performed or services rendered in accordance with this Agreement.

Article XIII. AUDITS AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Provider agrees to submit to Agency a copy of the independent audit it receives in accordance with ORC 5103.0323.
- B. Upon request from the Agency, Provider shall submit a copy of the most recent Federal income tax return and related schedules filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- C. If Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, Provider agrees to timely file its Title IV-E cost report with all required items as outlined in OAC 5101:2-47-26.2 to ODJFS. Provider agrees that in the event a cost report cannot be timely filed, an extension shall be requested prior to the December 31st filing deadline.
- D. If a Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, an Agreed Upon Procedures engagement must be conducted by a certified public accountant for the Provider's cost report in accordance with OAC 5101:2-47-26.2. The procedures are conducted to verify the accuracy of costs used to establish reimbursement ceilings for maintenance and administration costs of child in care. Any overpayments or underpayment of federal funds to the Title IV-E Agency due to adjustments of cost report reimbursement ceiling amounts as a result of an audit, shall be resolved in accordance with ORC 5101.11, ORC 5101.14, and OAC 5101:2-47-01.
- E. Upon request from the Agency, the Provider shall submit a copy of the JFS 02911 and Agreed Upon Procedures.
- F. For financial reporting purposes and for Title IV-E cost reporting purposes, Provider agrees to follow the cost principles set forth in the following OAC Sections and publications:
 - 1. OAC 5101:2-47-11: "Reimbursement for Title IV-E foster care maintenance (FCM) costs for children's residential centers (CRC), group homes, maternity homes, residential parenting facilities, private foster homes, and substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities".
 - 2. OAC 5101:2-47-26.1: "Public child services agencies (PCSA), private child placing agencies (PCPA), private noncustodial agencies (PNA), residential care facilities, substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities: Title IV-E cost report filing requirements, record retention requirements, and related party disclosure requirements";
 - 3. OAC 5101:2-47-26.2: "Cost Report Agreed Upon Procedures Engagement".
 - 4. JFS 02911 Single Cost Report Instructions.
 - 5. For Private Agencies: 2 CFR part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Government.
 - 6. For Public Agencies: 2 CFR part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations.
 - 7. 2 CFR part 200.501, Audit Requirements.

Article XIV. GRIEVANCE /DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

In the event that a dispute arises under the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth below:

- 1. The party complaining of a dispute shall provide written notice of the nature of the dispute to the other party to this Agreement. A copy of the notice shall be sent to the Director or designee of the Agency and to the Executive Director or designee of the Provider. Within ten (10) business days of receiving the notice of a dispute, the parties involved in the dispute between the Agency and the Provider shall attempt to resolve the dispute.

ORC 102.03, ORC 102.04, ORC 2921.42, ORC 2921.43.

- C. The Provider further agrees that there is no financial interest involved on the part of the Agency or the respective county authority(ies) governing the agency. The Provider has no knowledge of any situation which would be a conflict of interest. It is understood that a conflict of interest occurs when an Agency employee or county official will gain financially or receive personal favors as a result of signing or implementation of this agreement. The Provider will report the discovery of any potential conflict of interest to the Agency. Should a conflict of interest be discovered during the term of this agreement, the Agency may exercise any right under the agreement, including termination of the agreement.

Article XX. INSURANCE

The Provider shall purchase and maintain for the term of this Agreement insurance of the types and amounts identified herein. Maintenance of the proper insurance for the duration of the Agreement is a material element of the Agreement.

Provider agrees to procure and maintain for the term of this Agreement the insurance set forth herein. The cost of all insurance shall be borne by Provider. Insurance shall be purchased from a company licensed to provide insurance in Ohio. Insurance is to be placed with an insurer provided an A.M. Best rating of no less than A-; Provider shall purchase the following coverage and minimum limits:

- A. Commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage contained in the most current Insurance Services Office Occurrence Form CG 00 01 or equivalent with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) in the aggregate and at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) coverage in legal liability fire damage. Coverage will include:

1. Additional insured endorsement;
2. Product liability;
3. Blanket contractual liability;
4. Broad form property damage;
5. Severability of interests;
6. Personal injury; and
7. Joint venture as named insured (if applicable).

Endorsements for physical abuse claims and for sexual molestation claims must be a minimum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) per occurrence and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in the aggregate.

- B. Business auto liability insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit, on all owned, non-owned, leased and hired automobiles. If the Agreement contemplates the transportation of the users of County services (such as but not limited to Agency consumers), "Consumers" and Provider provides this service through the use of its employees' privately owned vehicles "POV", then the Provider's Business Auto Liability insurance shall sit excess to the employees' "POV" insurance and provide coverage above its employee's "POV" coverage. Provider agrees the business auto liability policy will be endorsed to provide this coverage.
- C. Professional liability (errors and omission) insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per claim and in the aggregate.
- D. Umbrella and excess liability insurance policy with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate, above the commercial general and business auto primary policies and containing the following coverage:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Pay on behalf of wording;
 3. Concurrency of effective dates with primary;
 4. Blanket contractual liability;
 5. Punitive damages coverage (where not prohibited by law);
 6. Aggregates: apply where applicable in primary;
 7. Care, custody and control – follow form primary; and
 8. Drop down feature.

The amounts of insurance required in this section for General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability may be satisfied by Provider purchasing coverage for the limits specified or by any combination of underlying and umbrella limits, so long as the total amount of insurance is not less than the limits specified in

General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability when added together.

- E. Workers' Compensation insurance at the statutory limits required by Ohio Revised code.
- F. The Provider further agrees with the following provisions:
1. All policies, except workers' compensation and professional liability, will endorse as additional insured the Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers, including their Board of Trustees if applicable. The additional insured endorsement shall be on an ACORD or ISO form.
 2. The insurance endorsement forms and the certificate of insurance forms will be sent to the Agency Director or Designee. The forms must state the following: "Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are endorsed as additional insured as required by agreement on the commercial general, business auto and umbrella/excess liability policies."
 3. Each policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled or materially changed except after thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice given to the Agency Director or Designee.
 4. Provider shall furnish the Agency with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received by the Agency before the Agreement commences. The Agency reserves the right at any time to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.
 5. Failure of the Agency to demand such certificate or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of the Agency to identify a deficiency from evidence provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Provider's obligation to maintain such insurance.
 6. Provider shall declare any self-insured retention to the Agency pertaining to liability insurance. Provider shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the Agency guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses for any self-insured retention.
 7. If Provider provides insurance coverage under a "claims-made" basis, Provider shall provide evidence of either of the following for each type of insurance which is provided on a claims-made basis: unlimited extended reporting period coverage, which allows for an unlimited period of time to report claims from incidents that occurred after the policy's retroactive date and before the end of the policy period (tail coverage), or; continuous coverage from the original retroactive date of coverage. The original retroactive date of coverage means original effective date of the first claim-made policy issued for a similar coverage while Provider was under Agreement with the County on behalf of the Agency.
 8. Provider will require all insurance policies in any way related to the work and secured and maintained by Provider to include endorsements stating each underwriter will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against the County and the Agency. Provider will require of subcontractors, by appropriate written agreements, similar waivers each in favor of all parties enumerated in this section.
 9. Provider, the County, and the Agency agree to fully cooperate, participate, and comply with all reasonable requirements and recommendations of the insurers and insurance brokers issuing or arranging for issuance of the policies required here, in all areas of safety, insurance program administration, claim reporting and investigating and audit procedures.
 10. Provider's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance with respect to the County, the Agency, their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the County or the Agency shall be excess of Provider's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
 11. If any of the work or Services contemplated by this Agreement is subcontractors, Provider will ensure that any subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements contained herein.
 12. If the Agreement provider is a government entity, insurance requirements will be fulfilled under the County Risk Sharing Authority (CORSAs).

Article XXI. INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by, and in compliance with, applicable law, Provider agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and the Board of County Commissioners, their respective members, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all damages, liability, losses, claims, suits, actions, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings/hearings, judgments and expenses, subrogation (of any party involved in the subject of this Agreement), attorneys' fees, court costs, defense costs or other injury or damage (collectively "Damages"), whether actual, alleged or threatened, resulting from injury or damages of any kind whatsoever to any business, entity or person (including death), or damage to property (including destruction, loss of, loss of use of resulting without injury damage or destruction) of whatsoever nature, arising out of or incident to in any way, the performance of the terms of this Agreement

including, without limitation, by Provider, its subcontractor(s), Provider's or its subcontractor(s) employees, agents, assigns, and those designated by Provider to perform the work or services encompassed by the Agreement. Provider agrees to pay all damages, costs and expenses of the Indemnified Parties in defending any action arising out of the aforementioned acts or omissions.

- B. Each Party agrees to be responsible for any personal injury or property damage caused solely by its negligent acts or omissions as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as the parties may otherwise mutually agree in writing.
- C. This Article is not applicable to Agreements between governmental entities.

Article XXII. SCREENING AND SELECTION

A. Criminal Record Check

- 1. Provider warrants and represents it will comply with Article X as it relates to criminal record checks. Provider shall insure that every individual subject to a BCII check will sign a release of information to allow inspection and audit of the above criminal records transcripts or reports by the Agency or a private vendor hired by the Agency to conduct compliance reviews on their behalf.
- 2. Provider shall not assign any individual to work with or transport children until a BCII report and a criminal record transcript has been obtained.
- 3. Except as provided in Section C below, Provider shall not utilize any individual who has been convicted or plead guilty to any violations contained in ORC 5153.111(B)(1), ORC 2919.24, and OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.
- 4. Provider agrees to be financially responsible for any audit findings resulting in financial penalty due to lack of compliance with the criminal records checks requirements in OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.

B. Transportation of Child

- 1. The caregiver shall ensure the transportation of children in care will be reliable, legal and safe transportation with safety restraints, as appropriate for the child, and must be in compliance with applicable local, state and Federal transportation laws:
 - a. Maintenance of a current valid driver's license and vehicle insurance.
 - b. All children being transported by Provider must follow Ohio's Child Passenger Safety Law as defined in ORC 4511.81.
 - c. No child that is a passenger and is required to have a seat restraint can be transported by said provider until these requirements are met.
- 2. In addition to the requirements set forth above, Provider shall not permit any individual to transport a Child if:
 - a. The individual has a condition which would affect safe operation of a motor vehicle;
 - b. The individual has six (6) or more points on his/her driver's license; or
 - c. The individual has been convicted of, or pleaded guilty to, a violation of section 4511.19 (Operating vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – OVI or OVUAC) of the Revised Code if the individual previously was convicted of, or plead guilty to two or more violations within the three years immediately preceding the current violation.

C. Rehabilitation

- 1. Notwithstanding the above, Provider may make a request to the Agency to utilize an individual if Provider believes the individual has met the rehabilitative standards of OAC 5101:2-07-02(I) as follows:
 - a. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for a foster caregiver, a foster care applicant or other resident of the foster caregiver's household, Provider must provide written verification that the rehabilitation standards of OAC 5101:2-7-02 have been met.
 - b. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for any other individual serving Agency children, Provider must provide written verification from the individual that the rehabilitative conditions in accordance with OAC 5101:2-5-09 have been met.
- 2. The Agency shall review the facts presented and may allow the individual to work with, volunteer with or transport Agency children on a case-by-case basis. It is the Agency's sole discretion to permit a rehabilitated individual to work with, volunteer with or transport children.

D. Verification of Job or Volunteer Application:

Provider shall check and document each applicant's personal and employment references, general work history, relevant experience, and training information. Provider further agrees it will not employ an individual in relation to this Agreement unless it has received satisfactory employment references, work history, relevant experience, and training information.

Article XXIII. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL & DEGRADING PUNISHMENT

Agency prohibits the use of corporal or degrading punishment against children served by Agency and must comply with requirements in OAC 5101:2-7-09, OAC 5101:2-9-21, and OAC 5101:2-9-22

Article XXIV. FINDING FOR RECORDS

ORC 9.24 prohibits public agencies from awarding an Agreement for goods, services, or construction paid for in whole or in part from federal, state and local funds, to an entity against whom a finding for recovery has been issued if the finding is unresolved. By entering into this Agreement, Provider warrants and represents that they do not have an unresolved finding for recovery. Provider shall notify the Agency within ten (10) business days of its notification should the Provider be issued such finding by the Auditor of the State.

Article XXV. PUBLIC RECORDS

This Agreement is a matter of public record under the Ohio public records law. By entering into this Agreement, Provider acknowledges and understands that records maintained by Provider pursuant to this Agreement may also be deemed public records and subject to disclosure under Ohio law. Upon request made pursuant to Ohio law, the Agency shall make available the Agreement and all public records generated as a result of this Agreement.

Article XXVI. CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

Provider agrees to cooperate with ODJFS and any Ohio Child Support Enforcement Agency ("CSEA") in ensuring Provider and Provider's employees meet child support obligations established under state or federal law. Further, by executing this Agreement, Provider certifies present and future compliance with any court or valid administrative order for the withholding of support which is issued pursuant to the applicable sections in ORC Chapters 3119, 3121, 3123, and 3125.

Article XXVII. DECLARATION OF PROPERTY TAX DELINQUENCY

After award of an Agreement, and prior to the time the Agreement is entered into, the successful Provider shall submit a statement in accordance with ORC 5719.042. Such statement shall affirm under oath that the person with whom the Agreement is to be made was not charged at the time the bid was submitted with any delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of personal property of any county in which the taxing district has territory, or that such person was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on any such tax list, in which case the statement shall also set forth the amount of such due and unpaid delinquent taxes any due and unpaid penalties and interest thereon. If the statement indicates that the taxpayer was charged with any such taxes, a copy of the statement shall be transmitted by the fiscal officer to the county treasurer within thirty days of the date it is submitted. A copy of the statement shall also be incorporated into the Agreement, and no payment shall be made with respect to any contract to which this section applies unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

Article XXVIII. SUBCONTRACTING AND DELEGATION

The performance of any duty, responsibility or function which is the obligation of the Provider under this Agreement may be delegated or subcontracted to any agent or subcontractor of Provider if Provider has obtained the prior written consent of the Agency for that delegation subcontract. Provider is responsible for ensuring that the duties, responsibilities or functions so delegated or subcontracted are performed in accordance with the provisions and standards of this Agreement, and the actions and omissions of any such agent or subcontractor shall be deemed to be the actions and omissions of Provider for purposes of this Agreement.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Kathryn M. Horvath
Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

Article XXIX. PROPERTY OF AGENCY

The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the State of Ohio. The Agency is the sole author of the Deliverables and the sole owner of all rights therein. If any portion of the Deliverables are deemed not to be a "work made for hire", or if there are any rights in the Deliverables not so conveyed to the Agency, then Provider agrees to, and by executing this Agreement hereby does, assign to the Agency all worldwide rights, title, and interest in and to the Deliverables. The Agency acknowledges that its sole ownership of the Deliverables under this Agreement does not affect Provider's right to use general concepts, algorithms, programming techniques, methodologies, or technology that have been developed by Provider prior to this Agreement or that are generally known and available. Any Deliverable provided or produced by Provider under this Agreement or with funds hereunder, including any documents, data, photographs and negatives, electronic reports/records, or other media, are the property of the Agency, which has an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use the Deliverables. Provider shall not obtain copyright, patent, or other proprietary protection for the Deliverables. Provider shall not include in any Deliverable any copyrighted material, unless the copyright owner gives prior written approval for the Agency and Provider to use such copyrighted material. Provider agrees that all Deliverables will be made freely available to the general public unless the Agency determines that, pursuant to state or federal law, such materials are confidential or otherwise exempt from disclosure.

Article XXX. SEVERABILITY

If any term of this Agreement or its application thereof to any person or circumstance shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby. Each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XXXI. NO ADDITIONAL WAIVER IMPLIED

If the Agency or Provider fails to perform any obligations under this Agreement and thereafter such failure is waived by the other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular matter waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other failure hereunder, nor a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or condition. Waivers shall not be effective unless in writing.

Article XXXII. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

This Agreement and any modifications, amendments, or alterations, shall be governed, construed, and enforced under the laws of Ohio. Any legal action brought pursuant to this agreement will be filed in the Ohio courts, and Ohio law as well as Federal law will apply.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of the signature of the parties.

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

Provider: <i>Shelia Owens</i>	<i>Shelia Owens</i>	<i>2/27/2020</i>
Printed Name		Date
National Youth Advocate Program		
Agency: <i>Warren County</i>		
Printed Name		Date
Warren County Children Services		
		<i>3/17/2020</i>

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

ADDENDA TO AGREEMENT

This Addenda sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between

a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is

hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

IV-E Agency Name Warren County Children Services		
Street/Mailing Address 416 S East St		
City Lebanon	State OH	Zip Code 45036

and

Provider National Youth Advocate Program		
Street/Mailing Address 1801 Watermark DR STE 200		
City Columbus	State OH	Zip Code 43215

Contract ID : 19180221

Originally Dated :04/01/2020 to 05/31/2021

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR
THE PROVISION
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Amendment Number 1 :

Amendment Reason:

OTHER

Amendment Begin Date:

04/01/2020

Amendment End Date :

05/31/2021

Increased Amount:

\$0.00

Article Name:

Article I. Scope of Placement Services

Amendment Reason Narrative:

Addendum #1 attached. See Addendum #1 for details.

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information
 Agency : Warren County Children Services
 Run Date: 02/11/2020
 Provider / ID : National Youth Advocate Program/ 3854818
 Contract Period : 04/01/2020 - 05/31/2021

Service Description	Service ID	Person ID	Maintenance Per Diem	Administration Per Diem	Case Management Per Diem	Transportation / Administration Per Diem	Transportation / Maintenance Per Diem	Other Direct Services Per Diem	Behavioral Healthcare Per Diem	Other Per Diem Cost	Total Per Diem	Cost Begin Date	Cost End Date
Specialized Foster Care (30356) FFH	493633		\$37.65	\$32.08	\$17.14	\$3.69	\$0.28				\$90.84	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Therapeutic Foster Care - Level 1 (30357) Spec Need	493637		\$48.37	\$40.51	\$21.65	\$4.66	\$0.35				\$115.54	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Therapeutic Foster Care - Level 2 (30358) Except Need	493638		\$59.14	\$50.13	\$26.80	\$5.77	\$0.44				\$142.28	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Traditional Foster Care (30355) FFH	493631		\$26.78	\$20.73	\$11.08	\$2.39	\$0.18				\$61.16	04/01/2020	05/31/2021

**ADDENDUM 1 TO AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS
FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreement seek to amend certain terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services standard Agreement for Title IV-E Agencies and Providers for the Provision of Child Placement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree that the Agreement shall include the following Amendments, additional terms, and conditions that address Provider and Agency responsibilities.

AMENDMENT #1:

Wherever referenced herein and throughout the Agreement, the terms "Agency" or "Warren County Children Services" shall refer to the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, contracting authority for Warren County Children Services, entering into this Agreement on behalf of Warren County Children Services.

AMENDMENT #2:

Article V, subsection (I) shall be amended to add the following language:

3. When a strip search or cavity search is conducted.

AMENDMENT #3:

The following provisions shall be added to Article V of the Agreement:

AA. Any notification required pursuant to subsections (G), (H), or (I) of Article V shall require verbal contact with an Agency representative. Leaving a voicemail shall not constitute notification under these sections.

BB. Provider shall make available for immediate inspection upon request by the Agency any and all written policies and procedures for operation of the facility, including, but not limited to, policies relating to use of physical restraint; searches, including policies for strip searches, and cavity searches; and policies for medication administration.

AMENDMENT #4:

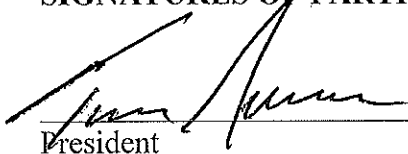
Article VI, subsection (H) of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

The language that states "thirty (30) calendar days" shall be replaced with "twenty-four (24) hours, not to exceed thirty (30) calendar days."

ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STANDARD AGREEMENT NOT SPECIFICALLY AMENDED, MODIFIED, ADDED, OR DELETED HEREBY SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Addendum to the Agreement by the President of the Warren County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Resolution Number 207404, dated 3/24/2020, and by the duly authorized _____ of _____ [Provider].


SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:



President

Warren County Board of Commissioners

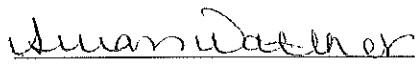
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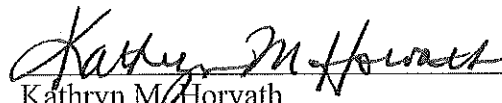
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Reviewed by:



Director
Warren County Children's Services

Approved as to Form:



Kathryn M. Horvath
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF Ohio
COUNTY OF Franklin

I, Shelina Owens, holding the title and position of Director of Service Integration at the firm National Youth Advocacy program affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

[Signature]
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of March 20 20

Amanda Jordan Burke
(Notary Public),

Franklin County.

My commission expires October 27 20 20



AMANDA JORDAN BURKE
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
October 27, 2023

Amanda Jordan Burke



Department of
Job and Family Services

Mike DeWine, Governor
Kimberly Hall, Director

August 21, 2019

Mary Ramseyer
National Youth Advocate Program
612 Crimson Maple Court
Bluffton, OH 45817

RE: Issuance of a Full Certificate to Perform Specific Functions to: National Youth Advocate Program, 1801 Watermark Drive, Suite 200, Columbus, Ohio 43215 (Recertification-Study ID# 82662)

Dear Ms. Ramseyer:

The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) is hereby issuing a two-year certificate to the above named agency to perform the functions identified below, in accordance with all applicable Chapters of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). Enclosed is a copy of the certificate that is in effect from **August 22, 2019 through August 21, 2021**. The original certificate has been sent to the agency's administrator.

The following functions are hereby under two-year certification:

1. To operate a Group Home, with a capacity of 10 Male Children from 12 to 17 years of age, and if mentally or physically handicapped persons under 21 years of age, known as:

Hampton Group Home
33 N. Hampton Road
Columbus, Ohio 43213

To operate a Group Home, with a capacity of 10 Male Children from 12 to 17 years of age, and if mentally or physically handicapped persons under 21 years of age, known as:

Alton ESC
818 Alton Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43219

To operate a Group Home, with a capacity of 10 Female Children from 12 to 17 years of age, and if mentally or physically handicapped persons under 21 years of age, known as:

Joyce
2824 Joyce Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43211

To operate a Group Home, with a capacity of 5 Female Children from 12 to 17 years of age, and if mentally or physically handicapped persons under 21 years of age, known as:

Chambers ESC
1036 Chambers Road
Columbus, Ohio 43215

2. To operate or provide Independent Living arrangements;
3. To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Family Foster Homes for certification;
4. To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Treatment Foster Homes for certification;

30 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215
jfs.ohio.gov


This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

Review Noncompliance

RULE	RULE TITLE
OAC 5101:2-9-12(C)	Service Plans
OAC 5101:2-5-10(B)	Child Records
OAC 5101:2-5-33(C)(3)(a)(b)	Foster Caregiver Preplacement and Continuing Training
OAC 5101:2-33-70	Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) Access
OAC 5101:2-5-20(K)(8)(b)(10)	Initial Application and Completion of the Foster Care Homestudy
OAC 5101:2-5-24(E)(7)	Foster Home Recertifications
OAC 5101:2-9-03(I)(3)(6)(10)	Staff Development and Evaluation
OAC 5101:2-48-12(L)(M)(Q)(10)	Completion of the Adoption Homestudy
OAC 5101:2-48-09(N)	Application Process and Preservice Training
OAC 5101:2-48-12.1(I)	Adoption Homestudy Updates
OAC 5101:2-9-08	Fire Safety
OAC 5101:2-5-07	Denial or Revocation of an Agency's Certificate or Certification to Perform Specific Functions; Temporary Certificates

If you have any questions, please contact Renita Tawney, Agency Licensing/Certification Specialist at the Columbus Field Office, P.O. Box 183204, Columbus, OH 43218-3204, at (614) 752-0022 or e-mail at Renita.Tawney01@jfs.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,


 Carla K. Carpenter
 Deputy Director
 Office of Families and Children

Enclosure

c: Sharon Marconi, Executive Director
 Colleen Tucker, OFC
 Lakeisha Hilton, OFC
 Renee Williams, OFC
 Renita Tawney, OFC
 File



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
04/08/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Marsh USA Inc. 325 John H. McConnell Boulevard, Suite 350 Columbus, OH 43215 Attn: columbus.cerrequest@marsh.com / fax 212-948-0798	CONTACT NAME: PHONE (A/C, No. Ext): FAX (A/C, No.): E-MAIL: ADDRESS:														
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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

Warren County Children Services
Attn: Nicol Copin
416 S. East Street
Lebanon, OH 46036

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
of Marsh USA Inc.

Sherril J. Willis

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September 26, 2018

Sharon Marconi, Executive Director
National Youth Advocate Program, Inc.
1801 Watermark Dr., Suite 200
Columbus, Ohio 43215-7088

Dear Ms. Marconi:

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with documentation that your request to relocate/add the site at **892 Cable Road, Suite B, Lima, Ohio 45805** to your agency's certification has been approved **effective September 28, 2018**.

Please contact **Kelly Taynor-Arledge** at **614-728-2546** if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Janel M. Pequignot, Chief
Bureau of Licensure and Certification

Enclosure: Certificate

pc: Executive Director, Franklin County ADAMHS Board
Executive Director, Allen, Auglaize & Hardin Counties ADAMHS Board
Kelly Taynor-Arledge, BSN, Behavioral Health Standards Surveyor
Denise Cole, Surveyor Supervisor, OhioMHAS
Certification File

Agency Site Location(s)

11156 Canal Road, Suite A Cincinnati, OH 45241	30 Northwest Avenue, Building A., Suite 120 Tallmadge, OH 44278
1303 East Main Street Columbus, OH 43205	810 Alton Avenue Columbus, OH 43219
818 Alton Avenue Columbus, OH 43219	1036 Chambers Avenue Columbus, OH 43212
527 South High Street Columbus, OH 43215	1384 West 117 th Street Lakewood, OH 44107
5900-A Sharon Woods Blvd. Columbus, OH 43229	15 North 3 rd Street, Suite 300 Newark, OH 43055
2824 Joyce Avenue Columbus, OH 45211	6000 Philadelphia Drive Dayton, OH 45415
892 Cable Road, Suite B Lima, OH 45805	15 North 3 rd Street, Suite 200 Newark, Ohio 43055
431 East Livingston Avenue Columbus, OH 43215	501 Main Street Zanesville, OH 43701
1020 Woodman Dr., Suite 330 Dayton, OH 45432	118 W. Jackson St., Suite B West Unity, OH 43750
1219 Jefferson Ave. Toledo, Ohio 43604	2112 Cherry Valley Rd. Newark, Ohio 43055
5423 Mahoning Ave., Suite H Austintown, OH 44515	

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0485

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AGREEMENT AND ADDENDUM WITH ONE WAY SERVICES FOR YOUTH, INC. AS A CHILD PLACEMENT AND RELATED SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON BEHALF OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

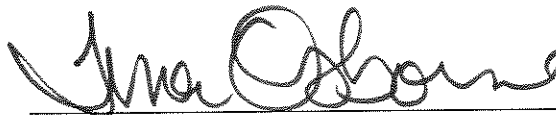
BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into the agreement and addendum with One Way Services for Youth, Inc., on behalf of Warren County Children Services, for calendar year 2020-2021, for the services of a child placement and related services provide; Copy of agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a— One Way Services for Youth, Inc.
Children Services (file)

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT

This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between Warren County Children Services, a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is:

Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

and One Way Services for Youth, Inc. , hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

One Way Services for Youth, Inc.
309 N Isabella ST
Springfield, OH 45504

Collectively the "Parties."

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RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Agency is responsible under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Title 51, Chapter 5153 for the provision of protective services for dependent, neglected, and abused children; and,

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized under ORC Title 51, Chapter 5153.16 to provide care and services which it deems to be in the best interest of any child who needs or is likely to need public care and services; and,

WHEREAS, the Provider is an organization duly organized and validly existing and is qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Ohio or in the state where the placement facility or foster home is located and has all requisite legal power and authority to execute this Agreement and to carry out its terms, conditions and provisions, and is licensed, certified or approved to provide placement and related services to children in accordance with Ohio law or the state where the placement facility or foster home is located.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and responsibilities set forth herein, the Agency and Provider agree as follows:

Article I. SCOPE OF PLACEMENT SERVICES

In addition to the services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work, Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services specified in each Individual Child Care Agreement (ICCA) for children in the care and custody of the Title IV-E Agency. The ICCA shall be consistent with current federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Provider's license or certified functions and services. If an Agreement and ICCA both exist, the Agreement supersedes.

Section 1.01 FOR AGREEMENTS COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

Without limiting the services set forth herein, Provider will provide the Services pursuant to and consistent with the Requests for Proposals (RFP) and the Provider's Proposal submitted in response to the RFP, the Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.02 FOR AGREEMENTS NOT COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

The Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in the Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.03 EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are deemed to be a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work;
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable);
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Response to the Request for Proposals (if applicable); and
- D. Exhibit IV – Schedule A Rate Information.

Article II. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from **04/01/2020** through **05/31/2021**, unless this Agreement is suspended or terminated pursuant to Article IX prior to the termination date.

In addition to the initial term described above, this Agreement may be extended at the option of the Agency and upon written agreement of the Provider. Notice of Agency's intention to extend the Agreement shall be provided in writing to Provider no less than 90 calendar days before the expiration of any Agreement term then in effect. (If a previous Request for Proposal [RFP] allows, the Agreement may be extended for a period of time to ensure adequate completion of the Agency's competitive procurement process at the rates existing for the term then in effect.)

Article III. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement and all Exhibits are intended to supplement and complement each other and shall, where possible, be so interpreted. However, if any provision of this Agreement irreconcilably conflicts with an Exhibit, this Agreement takes precedence over the Exhibit(s).

In the event there is an inconsistency between the Exhibit(s), the inconsistency shall be resolved in the following order:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work; then
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable); then
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Proposals (if applicable); then
- D. Exhibit IV – Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information.

Article IV. DEFINITIONS GOVERNING THIS AGREEMENT

The following definitions govern this Agreement:

- A. Agreement means this Agreement, addenda and exhibits thereto.
- B. Material Breach shall mean an act or omission that violates or contravenes an obligation required under the Agreement and which, by itself or together with one or more other breaches, has a negative effect on, or thwarts the purpose of the Agreement as stated herein. A Material Breach shall not include an act or omission, which has a trivial or negligible effect on the quality, quantity, or delivery of the goods and services to be provided under the Agreement.
- C. Child(ren) means any person under eighteen years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped person under twenty-one years of age in the Agency's custody and under the care of the Provider for the provision of placement services.
- D. All other definitions to be resolved through Federal Regulations, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5101:2-1-01 and any related cross-references.

Article V. PROVIDER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Provider agrees to participate with Agency in the development and implementation of the Case Plan and ICCA including participation in case reviews and / or semi-annual administrative reviews, and the completion of reunification assessments for the children in placement with the Provider. Parties shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- B. Provider agrees to provide services agreed to in the Case Plan and ICCA (i.e., transportation of children for routine services, including, but not limited to, court hearings, medical appointments, school therapy, recreational activities, visitations/family visits) unless otherwise negotiated in writing as an attachment to this Agreement. Any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual-agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process. The cost of providing these services is to be included in the Agency approved per diem.
- C. Provider agrees to ensure that any and all persons who may act as alternative caregivers or who have contact with the children are suitable for interaction pursuant to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- D. Provider agrees that all caregivers must be approved by the Agency.
- E. Provider agrees to submit a progress report as negotiated by the parties for each child. The progress report will be based on the agreed upon services to be delivered to the child and/or family and will include documentation of services provided to the child and/or discharge summary. If Monthly Progress Reports are not received within 90 calendar days following the month of service provision, payment may be withheld at the Agency's discretion.
 - 1. Monthly Progress Reports shall be submitted by the 20th of the month following the month of service.
 - 2. The Monthly Progress Report will include the following medical related information:
 - a. Service type (i.e. medical, dental, vision, etc.);
 - b. Date(s) of service;
 - c. Reason for visit (i.e. routine, injury, etc.);
 - d. Practitioner name, address and contact number;
 - e. Name of hospital, practice, urgent care, etc.;
 - f. Prescribed medications and dosages;
 - g. Date(s) medication(s) were prescribed or changed; and
 - h. Changes to medications.
- F. Placement changes, emergency or non-emergency, shall occur only with the approval of the Agency. The following information shall be provided to the Agency for all placement changes: Name, address and phone number of the new foster home or other out-of-home care setting, the license/home study of the new care provider within 24 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.
- G. Provider agrees to notify all Agencies who have children placed in the same caregiver's home/group home/CRC when any child residing in the placement is critically injured or dies in that location. Notification will be made to the Agencies' Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline number or assigned Caseworker immediately.
- H. Notification to the Agency of Emergency Critical Incidents shall occur ASAP but no later than one hour of the Incident becoming known. Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse\Neglect Hotline or

assigned Caseworker or by other established system. Critical incidents are those incidents defined in the Ohio Administrative Code that are applicable to the licensed or certified programs(ODJFS 5101:2-7-14, 5101:2-9-23 ODMHAS 5122-30-16, 5122-26-13, OAC 5123-17-02).

Emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. Absent Without Leave (AWOL);
 2. Child Alleging Physical or Sexual Abuse/Neglect;
 3. Death of Child;
 4. Illicit drug/alcohol use, Abuse of medication or toxic substance;
 5. Sudden injury or illness requiring an unplanned medical treatment or visit to the hospital;
 6. Perpetrator of Delinquent/Criminal Act (Assault, Dangerous Behaviors, Homicidal Behaviors);
 7. School Expulsion/Suspension (formal action by school);
 8. Self-Injury (Suicidal Behaviors, Self-Harm Requiring external Medical Treatment, Hospital or ER);
 9. Victim of assault, neglect, physical or sexual abuse;
 10. The filing of any law enforcement report involving the child.
- I. The Provider also agrees to notify the Agency within Twenty-four (24) hours, of any non-emergency situations. Non-emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:
1. When physical restraint is used/applied; and
 2. Medication lapses or errors.
- Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline/assigned Caseworker or by other established notification system.
- J. Documentation of the emergency and non-emergency incidents as identified in "H and I" above shall be provided to the Agency via email, fax or other established notification system within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.
- K. The Provider agrees to submit each child's assessment and treatment plans as completed but no later than the 30th day of placement. Provider further agrees to provide treatment planning that will include, but is not limited to, education on or off site, preparation for integration into community-based school or vocational/job skills training, community service activities, independent living skills if age 14 or older, monitoring and supporting community adjustment.
- L. The Provider agrees to participate in joint planning with the Agency regarding modification to case plan services. Provider agrees that while the Provider may have input into the development of the child's case plan services and the ICCA, any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process.
- M. The Provider shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Agency prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. A placement Preservation meeting shall be held within seven (7) business days of said request. Unless otherwise mutually agreed upon a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice shall be given if placement preservation is unable to be achieved. A Discharge Plan Summary shall be provided no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of discharge in accordance with the applicable licensed or certified program. (OAC 5101:2-5-17, OAC 5122-30-22, OAC 5122-30-04, OAC 5123:2-3-05).
- N. The Provider shall work in cooperation and collaboration with the Agency to provide information for each child's Lifebook and will fully comply with the provision of OAC 5101:2-42-67 as applicable to private Providers. Provider's contribution to the Agency Lifebook for a child shall be for the episode of care with the Provider.
- O. The Provider agrees to provide Independent Living Services as set forth in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-19 for all children age 14 and above.
- P. When applicable, due to the Provider being part of a managed care agreement as defined in OAC 5101:2-1-01, the Provider agrees to visit with the child face-to-face in the foster home, speak privately with the child and to meet with the caregiver at least monthly in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- Q. The Provider agrees to maintain its licenses and certifications from any source in good standing. The Provider agrees to report to Agency in writing any change in licensure or certification that negatively impacts such standing immediately if the negative action results in a temporary license, suspension of license or termination of license.
- R. Provider agrees that the reasonable and prudent parent standard training required by SEC. 471, [42 U.S.C. 671] of the Social Security Act and in accordance to OAC 5101:2-5-33, OAC 5101:2-9-02 or OAC 5101:2-9-03 has been

completed.

- S. The Provider shall notify Agency of any changes in its status, such as intent to merge with another business or to close no later than forty-five (45) business days prior to the occurrence.
- T. The Provider agrees that the Agency shall have access to foster parent home studies and re-certifications for foster parents caring for children in placement, subject to confidentiality considerations. The Provider shall submit to Agency a copy of the current foster home license at the time of placement and recertification. Provider also agrees to notify Agency within twenty-four (24) hours of any change in the status of the foster home license.
- U. When there is a rule violation of a caregiver, a copy of the corrective action plan, if applicable, must be submitted to the Agency when the investigation is complete.
- V. The Provider agrees to notify the Agency of scheduling no less than fourteen (14) calendar days prior to all formal meetings (i.e. FTMs, Treatment Team Meetings, IEPs, etc.).
- W. The Provider agrees to adhere to the following Medical/Medication guidelines:
 - 1. To provide over-the-counter medications and/or supplies as part of the per diem of care;
 - 2. To comply with the medical consent process as identified by Agency;
 - 3. Only the Agency can give permission for the administering or change (addition or elimination) of psychotropic medication and its ongoing management; and
 - 4. Provide an initial placement medical screening within 72 hours of child's placement into a placement resource under the Provider's operation and/or oversight.
- X. To arrange for required health care/medical examinations within time frames required by OAC 5101:2-42-66.1 and provide reports from the health care providers to the agency within 30 days of occurrence if the appropriate releases of information have been obtained by the Provider.
- Y. The Network Provider agrees to notify the Agency if placement resource is currently under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children or other third-party investigation.
- Z. The Provider will immediately notify the Agency:
 - 1. If the Provider is out of compliance with any licensing authority rules or the placement resource is under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children. Immediately is defined as within one hour of knowledge of the non-compliance issue.
 - 2. Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or assigned Caseworker of any allegations of abuse or neglect made against the Caregiver within one hour of gaining knowledge of the allegation.
 - 3. Of any corrective action and the result of the correction action plan. The Provider will submit a comprehensive written report to the agency within sixty (60) days of the rules violation.
 - 4. Within twenty-four (24) hours any time there is an event which would impact the placement resource license.

Article VI. AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Agency certifies that it will comply with the Multiethnic Placement Act, 108 STAT. 3518, as amended by Section 1808 of the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, 110 STAT. 1755, which prohibits any Agency from denying any person the opportunity to become an adoptive or foster parent on the basis of race, color, national origin, or delaying or denying the placement of a child for adoption or into foster care on the basis of race, color, or national origin of the adoptive or foster parent or of the child involved.
- B. The Agency shall provide to the Provider within thirty (30) calendar days of placement or within a reasonable time thereafter as agreed to by the parties, a copy of each child's social history, medical history, and Medicaid card once obtained by the Agency for new cases, or at time of placement for existing cases. Agency shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- C. Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider. The Agency acknowledges that clinical treatment decisions must be recommended by licensed clinical professionals. Agency and Provider acknowledge that disagreement with a treatment decision may be taken through the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV of this Agreement.
- D. Agency agrees to visit with the child in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- E. Agency agrees to participate in periodic meetings with each child's treatment team for case treatment plan development, review, and revision. The Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider by the Agency.

- F. Agency certifies that it will comply with Every Student Succeeds Act (34 CFR part 200) and will work with local school districts in developing individualized plans to address the transportation needed for a child to remain in the school of origin. Agency agrees to arrange for the transfer of each child's school records to the child's new school upon placement but not later than ten (10) business days. The Agency agrees to work with the Provider for the timely enrollment of the child in the receiving school district. The Agency has the final responsibility to obtain the child's school records and to enroll the child in the receiving school district.
- G. The Agency shall provide an opportunity for the Provider to give input in the development, substantive amendment or modification of case plans. The Agency agrees to notify the Provider of scheduling no less than seven (7) calendar days prior to of all formal meetings (e.g. SARs, court hearings, family team conferences, etc.).
- H. The Agency shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Provider prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. The Agency shall provide a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice for planned removals, to the Provider for each child who is being terminated from placement with the Provider, unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- I. Agency agrees to provide the Provider with an emergency contact on a twenty-four (24) hour, seven (7) day per week basis.
- J. The Agency represents:
 - 1. It has adequate funds to meet its obligations under this Agreement; subject to the availability of funds as referenced in Article VIII (I);
 - 2. It intends to maintain this Agreement for the full period set forth herein and has no reason to believe that it will not have sufficient funds to enable it to make all payments due hereunder during such period; and
 - 3. It will make its best effort to obtain the appropriation of any necessary funds during the term of this Agreement.
- K. The Agency will provide information about the child being referred for placement in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-90. Prior to a child's placement in alternative care or respite, OAC 5101:2-42-90 (D) requires the Agency to share with care givers information that could impact the health, safety, or well-being of the child or others in the home.

Article VII. INVOICING FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The Provider agrees to submit a monthly invoice following the end of the month in which services were provided. The invoice shall be for services delivered in accordance with Article I of this Agreement and shall include:
 - 1. Provider's name, address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax identification number, Title IV-E Provider number, if applicable and Medicaid Provider number, if applicable.
 - 2. Billing date and the billing period.
 - 3. Name of child, date of birth of child, and the child's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) person I.D. number.
 - 4. Admission date and discharge date, if available.
 - 5. Agreed upon per diem for maintenance and the agreed per diem administration; and
 - 6. Invoicing procedures may also include the per diems associated with the following if applicable and agreeable to the Agency and Provider:
 - a. Case Management; allowable administration cost.
 - b. Transportation, allowable maintenance cost.
 - c. Transportation; allowable administration cost.
 - d. Other Direct Services; allowable maintenance cost.
 - e. Behavioral health care; non-reimbursable cost.
 - f. Other costs - (any other cost the Title IV-E Agency has agreed to participate in); non-allowable/non-reimbursable cost.
- B. Provider warrants and represents claims made for payment for services provided are for actual services rendered and do not duplicate claims made by Provider to other sources of public funds for the same service.

Article VIII. REIMBURSEMENT FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The maximum amount payable pursuant to this contract is **\$100,000.00**.
- B. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement, the per diem for maintenance and the per diem for

administration will be paid for each day the child was in placement. The first day of placement will be paid regardless of the time the child was placed. The last day of placement will not be paid regardless of the time the child left the placement.

- C. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement and in addition to Maintenance and Administration, the Agency may agree to pay a per diem for Case Management, Other Direct Services, Transportation Administration, Transportation Maintenance, Behavioral Health Care and Other. All other services and/or fees to be paid for shall be contained in the Addendum of this Agreement.
- D. To the extent that the Provider maintains a foster care network, the agreed upon per diem for maintenance shall be the amount paid directly to the foster parent. Maintenance includes the provision of food, clothing, shelter, daily supervision, graduation expenses, a child's personal incidentals, and liability insurance with respect to the child, reasonable cost of travel to the child's home for visitation and reasonable cost of travel for the child to remain in the school the child was enrolled in at the time of placement. Payment for private Agency staff transporting a child to a home visit or keeping the child in their home school will be paid in accordance with Schedule A (Transportation Maintenance) of this Agreement.
- E. If the plan as determined by the Agency is to return the child to placement with the Provider, the Agency may agree to pay for the days that a child is temporarily absent from the direct care of the Provider, as agreed to by the parties in writing.
- F. The service provider is required to utilize Medicaid-approved healthcare providers in the appropriate managed care network for the provision of mental health, dental and/or medical services (hereafter referred to collectively as "medical services") to children in the custody of Agency. The Service Provider will report applicable Medicaid/insurance information to the healthcare providers and instruct healthcare providers to seek payment from Medicaid or any other available third-party payer for medical services rendered to children in agency custody. Agency will not pay for the provision of any medical services to children in agency custody unless the agency Executive Director or authorized designee has provided specific prior written authorization for such medical services and associated costs.
- G. The Agency agrees to pay the Provider for all services agreed to on Schedule A and in the Addendum to this Agreement, where applicable, that have been provided and documented in the child's case file. Agency shall make best efforts to make payment of undisputed charges within thirty (30) business days of receipt.
- H. In the event of a disagreement regarding payment, Agency shall withhold payment only for that portion of the placement with which it disagrees. Agency will use best efforts to notify the Provider of any invoice discrepancies. Agency and Provider will make every effort to resolve payment discrepancies within 60 calendar days. Payment discrepancies brought to the Agency after 60 days will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
- I. This Agreement is conditioned upon the availability of federal, state, or local funds appropriated or allocated for payment for services provided under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. By sole determination of the Agency, if funds are not sufficiently allocated or available for the provision of the services performed by the Provider hereunder, the Agency reserves the right to exercise one of the following alternatives:
 1. Reduce the utilization of the services provided under this Agreement, without change to the terms and conditions of the Agreement; or
 2. Issue a notice of intent to terminate the Agreement.

The Agency will notify the Provider at the earliest possible time of such decision. No penalty shall accrue to the Agency in the event either of these provisions is exercised. The Agency shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or for any damages as a result of termination under this section.

Any denial of payment for service(s) rendered may be appealed in writing and will be part of the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV.

Article IX. TERMINATION; BREACH AND DEFAULT

- A. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience prior to the expiration of the term then in effect by either the Agency or the Provider upon written notification given no less than sixty (60) calendar days in advance by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the last known address of the terminated party shown hereinabove or at such other address as may hereinafter be specified in writing.
- B. If Provider fails to provide the Services as provided in this Agreement for any reason other than Force Majeure, or if Provider otherwise Materially Breaches this Agreement, Agency may consider Provider in default. Agency agrees to give Provider thirty (30) days written notice specifying the nature of the default and its intention to terminate. Provider shall have seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such notice to provide a written plan of action to Agency to cure such default. Agency is required to approve or disapprove such plan within five (5)

calendar days of receipt. In the event Provider fails to submit such plan or Agency disapproves such plan, Agency has the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Provider. If Provider fails to cure the default in accordance with an approved plan, then Agency may terminate this Agreement at the end of the thirty (30) day notice period.

- C. Upon the effective date of the termination, the Provider agrees that it shall cease work on the terminated activities under this Agreement, take all necessary or appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize costs, and furnish a report as of the date of discharge of the last child describing the status of all work under this Agreement, including without limitation, results accomplished, conclusions resulting therefrom, and such other matters as the Agency may require. The Agency agrees to remove all children in placement immediately with the Provider, consistent with the effective termination date. In all instances of termination, the Provider and Agency agree that they shall work in the best interests of children placed with the Provider to secure alternative placements for all children affected by the termination.
- D. In the event of termination, the Provider shall be entitled to reimbursement, upon submission of an invoice, for the agreed upon per diem incurred prior to the effective termination date. The reimbursement will be calculated by the Agency based on the per diem set forth in Article VIII. The Agency shall receive credit for reimbursement already made when determining the amount owed to the Provider. The Agency is not liable for costs incurred by the Provider after the effective termination date of the discharge of the last child.
- E. Notwithstanding the above, Agency may immediately terminate this Agreement upon delivery of a written notice of termination to the Provider under the following circumstances:
 - 1. Improper or inappropriate activities;
 - 2. Loss of required licenses;
 - 3. Actions, inactions or behaviors that may result in harm, injury or neglect of a child;
 - 4. Unethical business practices or procedures; and
 - 5. Any other event that Agency deems harmful to the well-being of a child; or
 - 6. Loss of funding as set forth in Article VIII.
- F. If the Agreement is terminated by Agency due to breach or default of any of the provisions, obligations, or duties embodied contained therein by the Provider, Agency may exercise any administrative, agreement, equitable, or legal remedies available, without limitation. Any extension of the time periods set forth above shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights or remedies the Agency may have under this Agreement.
- G. In the event of termination under this ARTICLE, both the Provider and the placing Agency shall make good faith efforts to minimize adverse effect on children resulting from the termination of the Agreement.

Article X. RECORDS RETENTION, CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Provider agrees that all records, documents, writings or other information, including, but not limited to, financial records, census records, client records and documentation of legal compliance with Ohio Administrative Code rules, produced by the Provider under this Agreement, and all records, documents, writings or other information, including but not limited to financial, census and client used by the Provider in the performance of this Agreement are treated according to the following terms:
 - 1. All records relating to costs, work performed and supporting documentation for invoices submitted to the Agency by the Provider along with copies of all Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, submitted to the Agency pursuant to this Agreement will be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after reimbursement for services rendered under this Agreement.
 - 2. If an audit, litigation, or other action is initiated during the time period of the Agreement, the Provider shall retain such records until the action is concluded and all issues resolved or three (3) years have expired, whichever is later.
 - 3. All records referred to in Section A 1) of this Article shall be available for inspection and audit by the Agency or other relevant agents of the State of Ohio (including, but not limited to, the County Prosecutor, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), the Auditor of the State of Ohio, the Inspector General of Ohio, or any duly authorized law enforcement officials), and the United States Department of Health and Human Services within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The Provider agrees to keep all financial records in a manner consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- C. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal and state laws applicable to the Agency and the confidentiality of children and families. Provider understands access to the identities of any Agency's child and families shall only be

as necessary for the purpose of performing its responsibilities under this Agreement. No identifying information on child(ren) served will be released for research or other publication without the express written consent of the Agency. Provider agrees that the use or disclosure of information concerning the child for any purpose not directly related to the administration of this Agreement is prohibited. Provider shall ensure all the children's and families' documentation is protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner.

- D. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws related to the confidentiality and transmission of medical records, including, but not limited to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- E. Although information about, and generated under, this Agreement may fall within the public domain, the Provider shall not release information about, or related to, this Agreement to the general public or media verbally, in writing, or by any electronic means without prior approval from the Agency, unless the Provider is required to release requested information by law. Agency reserves the right to announce to the general public and media: award of the Agreement, Agreement terms and conditions, scope of work under the Agreement, Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, and results obtained under the Agreement. Except where Agency approval has been granted in advance, the Provider shall not seek to publicize and will not respond to unsolicited media queries requesting: announcement of Agreement award, Agreement terms and conditions, Agreement scope of work, government-furnished documents the Agency may provide to the Provider to fulfill the Agreement scope of work, Deliverables required under the Agreement, results obtained under the Agreement, and impact of Agreement activities.
- F. If contacted by the media about this Agreement, the Provider agrees to notify the Agency in lieu of responding immediately to media queries. Nothing in this section is meant to restrict the Provider from using Agreement information and results to market to specific business prospects.
- G. Client data must be protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner whether located in Provider's facilities, stored in the Cloud, or used on mobile devices outside Provider's facility. Security of Provider's network, data storage, and mobile devices must conform to generally recognized industry standards and best practices. Maintenance of a secure processing environment includes, but is not limited to, network firewall provisioning, intrusion detection, antivirus protection, regular third-party vulnerability assessments, and the timely application of patches, fixes and updates to operating systems and applications.
- H. Provider agrees that it has implemented and shall maintain during the term of this Agreement the highest standard of administrative, technical, and physical safeguards and controls to:
 - 1. Ensure the security and confidentiality of data;
 - 2. Protect against any anticipated security threats or hazards to the security or integrity of data; and
 - 3. Protect against unauthorized access to or use of data. Such measures shall include at a minimum:
 - a. Access controls on information systems, including controls to authenticate and permit access to data only to authorized individuals and controls to prevent Provider employees from providing data to unauthorized individuals who may seek to obtain this information (whether through fraudulent means or otherwise);
 - b. Firewall protection;
 - c. Encryption of electronic data while in transit from Provider networks to external networks;
 - d. Measures to store in a secure fashion all data which shall include multiple levels of authentication;
 - e. Measures to ensure that data shall not be altered or corrupted without the prior written consent of the Agency;
 - f. Measures to protect against destruction, loss or damage of data due to potential environmental hazards, such as fire and water damage.
- I. Immediately upon discovery of a confirmed or suspected breach involving data, Provider will notify Agency no later than twenty-four (24) hours after Provider knows or reasonably suspects a breach has or may have occurred. Provider shall promptly take all appropriate or legally required corrective actions and shall cooperate fully with the Agency in all reasonable and lawful efforts to prevent, mitigate or rectify such data breach. In the event of a suspected breach, Provider shall keep the Agency informed of the progress of its investigation until the uncertainty is resolved.
- J. In the event the Provider does not carry the appropriate cyber security insurance to cover a security breach, the Provider shall reimburse the Agency for actual costs incurred, including, but not limited to, providing clients affected by a security breach with notice of the breach, and/or complimentary access for credit monitoring services, which the Agency deems necessary to protect such affected client.
- K. In the event the Agency discontinues operation, all child records for residential or any other placement settings shall be provided to the custodial agency. If the setting is licensed by ODJFS, licensing records shall be sent to:

ODJFS
ATTN: Licensing
P.O. Box 183204
Columbus, OH 43218-3204

Article XI. PROVIDER ASSURANCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- A. As applicable to the Provider's license and/or certification, the Provider certifies compliance with ORC 2151.86, ORC 5103.0328, ORC 5103.0319 and applicable OAC Sections as defined in Article XXII of this Agreement concerning criminal record checks, arrests, convictions and guilty pleas relative to foster caregivers, employees, volunteers and interns who are involved in the care for a child. Provider is responsible for any penalties, financial or otherwise, that may accrue because of noncompliance with this provision.
- B. To the extent that the Provider maintains a residential center or group home, the Provider agrees to comply with the provisions of their licensing Agency that relates to the operation, safety and maintenance of residential facilities. Specifically, Provider agrees that no firearm or other projectile weapon and no ammunition for such weapons will be kept on the premises.
- C. Provider certifies compliance with Drug Free Work Place Requirements as outlined in 45 C.F.R. Part 76, Subpart F.
- D. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 80, Non-Discrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- E. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 84, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- F. Provider certifies compliance 45 C.F.R. Part 90, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- G. Provider certifies compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336.
- H. Provider certifies that it will:
 - 1. Provide a copy of its license(s), certification, accreditation or a letter extending an expiring license, certification, or accreditation from the issuer to the Agency prior to the signing of the Agreement.
 - 2. Maintain its license(s), certification, accreditation and that upon receipt of the renewal of its license, certification, and/or accreditation or upon receipt of a letter extending an expiring license, certification, and/or accreditation from the issuer, a copy of the license, certification and/or accreditation will be provided to the Agency within five (5) business days.
 - 3. Provider shall immediately notify the Agency of any action, modification or issue relating to said licensure, accreditation or certification.
- I. Provider certifies that it will not deny or delay services to eligible persons because of the person's race, color, religion, national origin, gender, orientation, disability, or age.
- J. The Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR part 60.
- K. Provider further agrees to comply with OAC 5101:9-2-01 and OAC 5101:9-2-05(A)(4), as applicable, which require that assure that persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) can meaningfully access services. To the extent Provider provides assistance to an LEP Child through the use of an oral or written translator or interpretation services in compliance with this requirement, the LEP Child shall not be required to pay for such assistance.
- L. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857 (h) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 C.F.R. Part 15).
- M. The Provider certifies compliance, where applicable, with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- N. The Provider certifies that all approvals, licenses, or other qualifications necessary to conduct business in Ohio have been obtained and are current.
- O. Provider shall comply with the Small Business Job Protection Act (Public Law ("P.L.") 104-188), the Multiethnic

Placement Act of 1994 (P.L. 103-382), Titles IV-B (42 U.S.C. 620 et seq.) and IV-E (42 U.S.C. 670 et seq.) of the Social Security Act ("the Act"), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-193), Section 471(a) of Title IV-E of the Act (42 U.S.C. 671(a)), and 45 C.F.R. 1356, including all rules, regulations and guidelines issued by federal and state authorities, OAC 5101:9-4-07 and OAC 5101:2-47-23.1.

Article XII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The Provider and the Agency agree that no employment, joint venture, or partnership has been or will be created between the parties hereto pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- B. The Provider and the Agency agree that the Provider is an independent contractor and assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums which may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or Deliverables rendered hereunder.
- C. The Provider and the Agency agree that no person and/or entities entering into this Agreement, nor any individual employed by any person or entity entering in to this Agreement, are public employees for purposes of contributions to Ohio Public Employees Retirement system by virtue of any work performed or services rendered in accordance with this Agreement.

Article XIII. AUDITS AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Provider agrees to submit to Agency a copy of the independent audit it receives in accordance with ORC 5103.0323.
- B. Upon request from the Agency, Provider shall submit a copy of the most recent Federal income tax return and related schedules filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- C. If Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, Provider agrees to timely file its Title IV-E cost report with all required items as outlined in OAC 5101:2-47-26.2 to ODJFS. Provider agrees that in the event a cost report cannot be timely filed, an extension shall be requested prior to the December 31st filing deadline.
- D. If a Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, an Agreed Upon Procedures engagement must be conducted by a certified public accountant for the Provider's cost report in accordance with OAC 5101:2-47-26.2. The procedures are conducted to verify the accuracy of costs used to establish reimbursement ceilings for maintenance and administration costs of child in care. Any overpayments or underpayment of federal funds to the Title IV-E Agency due to adjustments of cost report reimbursement ceiling amounts as a result of an audit, shall be resolved in accordance with ORC 5101.11, ORC 5101.14, and OAC 5101:2-47-01.
- E. Upon request from the Agency, the Provider shall submit a copy of the JFS 02911 and Agreed Upon Procedures.
- F. For financial reporting purposes and for Title IV-E cost reporting purposes, Provider agrees to follow the cost principles set forth in the following OAC Sections and publications:
 1. OAC 5101:2-47-11: "Reimbursement for Title IV-E foster care maintenance (FCM) costs for children's residential centers (CRC), group homes, maternity homes, residential parenting facilities, private foster homes, and substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities".
 2. OAC 5101:2-47-26.1: "Public child services agencies (PCSA), private child placing agencies (PCPA), private noncustodial agencies (PNA), residential care facilities, substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities: Title IV-E cost report filing requirements, record retention requirements, and related party disclosure requirements";
 3. OAC 5101:2-47-26.2: "Cost Report Agreed Upon Procedures Engagement".
 4. JFS 02911 Single Cost Report Instructions.
 5. For Private Agencies: 2 CFR part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Government.
 6. For Public Agencies: 2 CFR part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations.
 7. 2 CFR part 200.501, Audit Requirements.

Article XIV. GRIEVANCE /DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

In the event that a dispute arises under the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth below:

1. The party complaining of a dispute shall provide written notice of the nature of the dispute to the other party to this Agreement. A copy of the notice shall be sent to the Director or designee of the Agency and to the Executive Director or designee of the Provider. Within ten (10) business days of receiving the notice of a dispute, the parties involved in the dispute between the Agency and the Provider shall attempt to resolve the dispute.

2. If the parties are unable to resolve the dispute in (1 business day), the highest official or designee of the Agency shall make the final determination within twenty (20) business days, which will be non-binding.
3. Neither party will be deemed to have waived any other rights or remedies available to them by initiating, participating in or completing this process.

Article XV. AMENDMENTS

This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits hereto constitutes the entire Agreement and may be amended only with a written amendment signed by both parties; however, it is agreed by the parties that any amendments to laws or regulations cited herein will result in the correlative modification of this Agreement, without the necessity for executing written amendments. The impact of any applicable law, statute, or regulation not cited herein and enacted after the date of execution of this Agreement will be incorporated into this Agreement by written amendment signed by both parties and effective as of the date of enactment of the law, statute, or regulation. Any other written amendment to this Agreement is prospective in nature.

Article XVI. NOTICE

Unless otherwise set forth herein, all notices, requests, demands and other communications pertaining to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if delivered or mailed by certified or registered mail, postage pre-paid:

if to Agency, to Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

if to Provider , to One Way Services for Youth, Inc.
309 N Isabella ST
Springfield, OH 45504

Article XVII. CONSTRUCTION

This Agreement shall be governed, construed, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. Should any portion of this Agreement be found to be unenforceable by operation of statute or by administrative or judicial decision, the operation of the balance of this Agreement is not affected thereby; provided, however, the absence of the illegal provision does not render the performance of the remainder of the Agreement impossible.

Article XVIII. NO ASSURANCES

- A. Provider acknowledges that, by entering into this Agreement, Agency is not making any guarantees or other assurances as to the extent, if any, that Agency shall utilize Provider's services or purchase its goods. In this same regard, this Agreement in no way precludes, prevents, or restricts Provider from obtaining and working under additional arrangement(s) with other parties, assuming the work in no way impedes Provider's ability to perform the services required under this Agreement. Provider warrants that at the time of entering into this Agreement, it has no interest in nor shall it acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Agreement that will impede its ability to provide the goods or perform the services under this Agreement.
- B. This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits embodies the entire agreement of the Parties. There are no promises, terms, conditions or obligations other than those contained herein; and this Agreement shall supersede all previous communications, representations or Agreements, either written or oral, between the parties to this Agreement. Also, this Agreement shall not be modified in any manner except by an instrument, in writing, executed by both the parties.

Article XIX. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

- A. Provider agrees that the Provider, its officers, members and employees currently have no, nor will they acquire any interest, whether personal, professional, direct or indirect, which is incompatible, in conflict with or which would compromise the discharge and fulfillment of Provider's functions, duties and responsibilities hereunder. If the Provider, or any of its officers, members or employees acquire any incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest, the Provider shall immediately disclose, in writing, such interest to the Agency. If any such conflict of interest develops, the Provider agrees that the person with the incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest will not participate in any activities related to this Agreement.
- B. Provider agrees: (1) to refrain from promising or giving to Agency employees anything of value to manifest improper influence upon the employee; (2) to refrain from conflicts of interest; and, (3) to certify that Provider complies with

ORC 102.03, ORC 102.04, ORC 2921.42, ORC 2921.43.

- C. The Provider further agrees that there is no financial interest involved on the part of the Agency or the respective county authority(ies) governing the agency. The Provider has no knowledge of any situation which would be a conflict of interest. It is understood that a conflict of interest occurs when an Agency employee or county official will gain financially or receive personal favors as a result of signing or implementation of this agreement. The Provider will report the discovery of any potential conflict of interest to the Agency. Should a conflict of interest be discovered during the term of this agreement, the Agency may exercise any right under the agreement, including termination of the agreement.

Article XX. INSURANCE

The Provider shall purchase and maintain for the term of this Agreement insurance of the types and amounts identified herein. Maintenance of the proper insurance for the duration of the Agreement is a material element of the Agreement.

Provider agrees to procure and maintain for the term of this Agreement the insurance set forth herein. The cost of all insurance shall be borne by Provider. Insurance shall be purchased from a company licensed to provide insurance in Ohio. Insurance is to be placed with an insurer provided an A.M. Best rating of no less than A-. Provider shall purchase the following coverage and minimum limits:

- A. Commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage contained in the most current Insurance Services Office Occurrence Form CG 00 01 or equivalent with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) in the aggregate and at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) coverage in legal liability fire damage. Coverage will include:

1. Additional insured endorsement;
2. Product liability;
3. Blanket contractual liability;
4. Broad form property damage;
5. Severability of interests;
6. Personal injury; and
7. Joint venture as named insured (if applicable).

Endorsements for physical abuse claims and for sexual molestation claims must be a minimum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) per occurrence and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in the aggregate.

- B. Business auto liability insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit, on all owned, non-owned, leased and hired automobiles. If the Agreement contemplates the transportation of the users of County services (such as but not limited to Agency consumers), "Consumers" and Provider provides this service through the use of its employees' privately owned vehicles "POV", then the Provider's Business Auto Liability insurance shall sit excess to the employees "POV" insurance and provide coverage above its employee's "POV" coverage. Provider agrees the business auto liability policy will be endorsed to provide this coverage.
- C. Professional liability (errors and omission) insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per claim and in the aggregate.
- D. Umbrella and excess liability insurance policy with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate, above the commercial general and business auto primary policies and containing the following coverage:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Pay on behalf of wording;
 3. Concurrency of effective dates with primary;
 4. Blanket contractual liability;
 5. Punitive damages coverage (where not prohibited by law);
 6. Aggregates: apply where applicable in primary;
 7. Care, custody and control – follow form primary; and
 8. Drop down feature.

The amounts of insurance required in this section for General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability may be satisfied by Provider purchasing coverage for the limits specified or by any combination of underlying and umbrella limits, so long as the total amount of insurance is not less than the limits specified in

General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability when added together.

E. Workers' Compensation insurance at the statutory limits required by Ohio Revised code.

F. The Provider further agrees with the following provisions:

1. All policies, except workers' compensation and professional liability, will endorse as additional insured the Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers, including their Board of Trustees if applicable. The additional insured endorsement shall be on an ACORD or ISO form.
2. The insurance endorsement forms and the certificate of insurance forms will be sent to the Agency Director or Designee. The forms must state the following: "Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are endorsed as additional insured as required by agreement on the commercial general, business auto and umbrella/excess liability policies."
3. Each policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled or materially changed except after thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice given to the Agency Director or Designee.
4. Provider shall furnish the Agency with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received by the Agency before the Agreement commences. The Agency reserves the right at any time to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.
5. Failure of the Agency to demand such certificate or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of the Agency to identify a deficiency from evidence provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Provider's obligation to maintain such insurance.
6. Provider shall declare any self-insured retention to the Agency pertaining to liability insurance. Provider shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the Agency guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses for any self-insured retention.
7. If Provider provides insurance coverage under a "claims-made" basis, Provider shall provide evidence of either of the following for each type of insurance which is provided on a claims-made basis: unlimited extended reporting period coverage, which allows for an unlimited period of time to report claims from incidents that occurred after the policy's retroactive date and before the end of the policy period (tail coverage), or; continuous coverage from the original retroactive date of coverage. The original retroactive date of coverage means original effective date of the first claim-made policy issued for a similar coverage while Provider was under Agreement with the County on behalf of the Agency.
8. Provider will require all insurance policies in any way related to the work and secured and maintained by Provider to include endorsements stating each underwriter will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against the County and the Agency. Provider will require of subcontractors, by appropriate written agreements, similar waivers each in favor of all parties enumerated in this section.
9. Provider, the County, and the Agency agree to fully cooperate, participate, and comply with all reasonable requirements and recommendations of the insurers and insurance brokers issuing or arranging for issuance of the policies required here, in all areas of safety, insurance program administration, claim reporting and investigating and audit procedures.
10. Provider's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance with respect to the County, the Agency, their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the County or the Agency shall be excess of Provider's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
11. If any of the work or Services contemplated by this Agreement is subcontractors, Provider will ensure that any subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements contained herein.
12. If the Agreement provider is a government entity, insurance requirements will be fulfilled under the County Risk Sharing Authority (CORSA).

Article XXI. INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by, and in compliance with, applicable law, Provider agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and the Board of County Commissioners, their respective members, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all damages, liability, losses, claims, suits, actions, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings/hearings, judgments and expenses, subrogation (of any party involved in the subject of this Agreement), attorneys' fees, court costs, defense costs or other injury or damage (collectively "Damages"), whether actual, alleged or threatened, resulting from injury or damages of any kind whatsoever to any business, entity or person (including death), or damage to property (including destruction, loss of, loss of use of resulting without injury damage or destruction) of whatsoever nature, arising out of or incident to in any way, the performance of the terms of this Agreement

including, without limitation, by Provider, its subcontractor(s), Provider's or its subcontractor(s)' employees, agents, assigns, and those designated by Provider to perform the work or services encompassed by the Agreement. Provider agrees to pay all damages, costs and expenses of the Indemnified Parties in defending any action arising out of the aforementioned acts or omissions.

- B. Each Party agrees to be responsible for any personal injury or property damage caused solely by its negligent acts or omissions as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as the parties may otherwise mutually agree in writing.
- C. This Article is not applicable to Agreements between governmental entities.

Article XXII. SCREENING AND SELECTION

A. Criminal Record Check

- 1. Provider warrants and represents it will comply with Article X as it relates to criminal record checks. Provider shall insure that every individual subject to a BCII check will sign a release of information to allow inspection and audit of the above criminal records transcripts or reports by the Agency or a private vendor hired by the Agency to conduct compliance reviews on their behalf.
- 2. Provider shall not assign any individual to work with or transport children until a BCII report and a criminal record transcript has been obtained.
- 3. Except as provided in Section C below, Provider shall not utilize any individual who has been convicted or plead guilty to any violations contained in ORC 5153.111(B)(1), ORC 2919.24, and OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.
- 4. Provider agrees to be financially responsible for any audit findings resulting in financial penalty due to lack of compliance with the criminal records checks requirements in OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.

B. Transportation of Child

- 1. The caregiver shall ensure the transportation of children in care will be reliable, legal and safe transportation with safety restraints, as appropriate for the child, and must be in compliance with applicable local, state and Federal transportation laws:
 - a. Maintenance of a current valid driver's license and vehicle insurance.
 - b. All children being transported by Provider must follow Ohio's Child Passenger Safety Law as defined in ORC 4511.81.
 - c. No child that is a passenger and is required to have a seat restraint can be transported by said provider until these requirements are met.
- 2. In addition to the requirements set forth above, Provider shall not permit any individual to transport a Child if:
 - a. The individual has a condition which would affect safe operation of a motor vehicle;
 - b. The individual has six (6) or more points on his/her driver's license; or
 - c. The individual has been convicted of, or pleaded guilty to, a violation of section 4511.19 (Operating vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – OVI or OVUAC) of the Revised Code if the individual previously was convicted of, or plead guilty to two or more violations within the three years immediately preceding the current violation.

C. Rehabilitation

- 1. Notwithstanding the above, Provider may make a request to the Agency to utilize an individual if Provider believes the individual has met the rehabilitative standards of OAC 5101:2-07-02(l) as follows:
 - a. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for a foster caregiver, a foster care applicant or other resident of the foster caregiver's household, Provider must provide written verification that the rehabilitation standards of OAC 5101:2-7-02 have been met.
 - b. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for any other individual serving Agency children, Provider must provide written verification from the individual that the rehabilitative conditions in accordance with OAC 5101:2-5-09 have been met.
- 2. The Agency shall review the facts presented and may allow the individual to work with, volunteer with or transport Agency children on a case-by-case basis. It is the Agency's sole discretion to permit a rehabilitated individual to work with, volunteer with or transport children.

D. Verification of Job or Volunteer Application:

Provider shall check and document each applicant's personal and employment references, general work history, relevant experience, and training information. Provider further agrees it will not employ an individual in relation to this Agreement unless it has received satisfactory employment references, work history, relevant experience, and training information.

Article XXIII. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL & DEGRADING PUNISHMENT

Agency prohibits the use of corporal or degrading punishment against children served by Agency and must comply with requirements in OAC 5101:2-7-09, OAC 5101:2-9-21, and OAC 5101:2-9-22

Article XXIV. FINDINGS FOR RECOVERY

ORC 9.24 prohibits public agencies from awarding an Agreement for goods, services, or construction paid for in whole or in part from federal, state and local funds, to an entity against whom a finding for recovery has been issued if the finding is unresolved. By entering into this Agreement, Provider warrants and represents that they do not have an unresolved finding for recovery. Provider shall notify the Agency within ten (10) business days of its notification should the Provider be issued such finding by the Auditor of the State.

Article XXV. PUBLIC RECORDS

This Agreement is a matter of public record under the Ohio public records law. By entering into this Agreement, Provider acknowledges and understands that records maintained by Provider pursuant to this Agreement may also be deemed public records and subject to disclosure under Ohio law. Upon request made pursuant to Ohio law, the Agency shall make available the Agreement and all public records generated as a result of this Agreement.

Article XXVI. CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

Provider agrees to cooperate with ODJFS and any Ohio Child Support Enforcement Agency ("CSEA") in ensuring Provider and Provider's employees meet child support obligations established under state or federal law. Further, by executing this Agreement, Provider certifies present and future compliance with any court or valid administrative order for the withholding of support which is issued pursuant to the applicable sections in ORC Chapters 3119, 3121, 3123, and 3125.

Article XXVII. DECLARATION OF PROPERTY TAX DELINQUENCY

After award of an Agreement, and prior to the time the Agreement is entered into, the successful Provider shall submit a statement in accordance with ORC 5719.042. Such statement shall affirm under oath that the person with whom the Agreement is to be made was not charged at the time the bid was submitted with any delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of personal property of any county in which the taxing district has territory, or that such person was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on any such tax list, in which case the statement shall also set forth the amount of such due and unpaid delinquent taxes any due and unpaid penalties and interest thereon. If the statement indicates that the taxpayer was charged with any such taxes, a copy of the statement shall be transmitted by the fiscal officer to the county treasurer within thirty days of the date it is submitted.

A copy of the statement shall also be incorporated into the Agreement, and no payment shall be made with respect to any contract to which this section applies unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

Article XXVIII. SUBCONTRACTING AND DELEGATION

The performance of any duty, responsibility or function which is the obligation of the Provider under this Agreement may be delegated or subcontracted to any agent or subcontractor of Provider if Provider has obtained the prior written consent of the Agency for that delegation subcontract. Provider is responsible for ensuring that the duties, responsibilities or functions so delegated or subcontracted are performed in accordance with the provisions and standards of this Agreement, and the actions and omissions of any such agent or subcontractor shall be deemed to be the actions and omissions of Provider for purposes of this Agreement.

Article XXIX. PROPERTY OF AGENCY

The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Kathryn M. Horvath
Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

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The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the State of Ohio. The Agency is the sole author of the Deliverables and the sole owner of all rights therein. If any portion of the Deliverables are deemed not to be a "work made for hire", or if there are any rights in the Deliverables not so conveyed to the Agency, then Provider agrees to, and by executing this Agreement hereby does, assign to the Agency all worldwide rights, title, and interest in and to the Deliverables. The Agency acknowledges that its sole ownership of the Deliverables under this Agreement does not affect Provider's right to use general concepts, algorithms, programming techniques, methodologies, or technology that have been developed by Provider prior to this Agreement or that are generally known and available. Any Deliverable provided or produced by Provider under this Agreement or with funds hereunder, including any documents, data, photographs and negatives, electronic reports/records, or other media, are the property of the Agency, which has an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use the Deliverables. Provider shall not obtain copyright, patent, or other proprietary protection for the Deliverables. Provider shall not include in any Deliverable any copyrighted material, unless the copyright owner gives prior written approval for the Agency and Provider to use such copyrighted material. Provider agrees that all Deliverables will be made freely available to the general public unless the Agency determines that, pursuant to state or federal law, such materials are confidential or otherwise exempt from disclosure.

Article XXX. SEVERABILITY

If any term of this Agreement or its application thereof to any person or circumstance shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby. Each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XXXI. NO ADDITIONAL WAIVER IMPLIED

If the Agency or Provider fails to perform any obligations under this Agreement and thereafter such failure is waived by the other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular matter waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other failure hereunder, nor a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or condition. Waivers shall not be effective unless in writing.

Article XXXII. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

This Agreement and any modifications, amendments, or alterations, shall be governed, construed, and enforced under the laws of Ohio. Any legal action brought pursuant to this agreement will be filed in the Ohio courts, and Ohio law as well as Federal law will apply.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of the signature of the parties.

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

Provider:	<i>Gerard P. K... [Signature]</i>	3-9-20
Printed Name		Date
One Way Services for Youth, Inc.		
Agency:	<i>Juan Watter</i>	
Printed Name		Date
Warren County Children Services		3/16/2020

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

ADDENDA TO AGREEMENT

This Addenda sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between

a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is

hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

IV-E Agency Name Warren County Children Services		
Street/Mailing Address 416 S East St		
City Lebanon	State OH	Zip Code 45036

and

Provider One Way Services for Youth, Inc.		
Street/Mailing Address 309 N Isabella ST		
City Springfield	State OH	Zip Code 45504

Contract ID : 19180167

Originally Dated :04/01/2020 to 05/31/2021

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
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THE PROVISION
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Amendment Number **1** :

Amendment Reason:

OTHER

Amendment Begin Date:

04/01/2020

Amendment End Date :

05/31/2021

Increased Amount:

\$0.00

Article Name:

Article I. Scope of Placement Services

Amendment Reason Narrative:

Addendum #1 attached. See Addendum #1 for details.

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information

Agency : Warren County Children Services

Run Date: 03/10/2020

Provider / ID : One Way Services for Youth, Inc. / 11756866

Contract Period : 04/01/2020 - 05/31/2021

Service Description	Service ID	Person ID	Person ID	Maintenance Per Diem	Administration Per Diem	Case Management Per Diem	Transportation / Administration Per Diem	Transportation / Maintenance Per Diem	Other Direct Services Per Diem	Behavioral Healthcare Per Diem	Other Per Diem Cost	Total Per Diem	Cost Begin Date	Cost End Date
One Way Services for Youth Group Home (20836)	4713664			\$201.00	\$3.00							\$204.00	04/01/2020	05/31/2021

**ADDENDUM 1 TO AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS
FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreement seek to amend certain terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services standard Agreement for Title IV-E Agencies and Providers for the Provision of Child Placement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree that the Agreement shall include the following Amendments, additional terms, and conditions that address Provider and Agency responsibilities.

AMENDMENT #1:

Wherever referenced herein and throughout the Agreement, the terms "Agency" or "Warren County Children Services" shall refer to the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, contracting authority for Warren County Children Services, entering into this Agreement on behalf of Warren County Children Services.

AMENDMENT #2:

Article V, subsection (I) shall be amended to add the following language:

3. When a strip search or cavity search is conducted.

AMENDMENT #3:

The following provisions shall be added to Article V of the Agreement:

AA. Any notification required pursuant to subsections (G), (H), or (I) of Article V shall require verbal contact with an Agency representative. Leaving a voicemail shall not constitute notification under these sections.

BB. Provider shall make available for immediate inspection upon request by the Agency any and all written policies and procedures for operation of the facility, including, but not limited to, policies relating to use of physical restraint; searches, including policies for strip searches, and cavity searches; and policies for medication administration.

AMENDMENT #4:

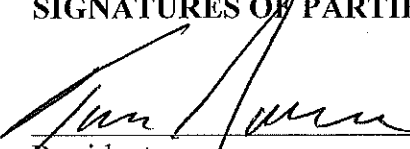
Article VI, subsection (H) of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

The language that states "thirty (30) calendar days" shall be replaced with "twenty-four (24) hours, not to exceed thirty (30) calendar days."

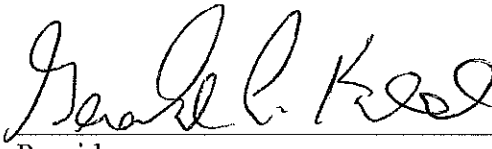
ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STANDARD AGREEMENT NOT SPECIFICALLY AMENDED, MODIFIED, ADDED, OR DELETED HEREBY SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Addendum to the Agreement by the President of the Warren County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Resolution Number 20-0485, dated 3/24/2020, and by the duly authorized _____ of ONE WAY SERVICES FOR YOUTH [Provider].

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:



President
Warren County Board of Commissioners

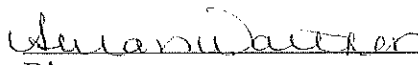


Provider

Date 3/24/2020

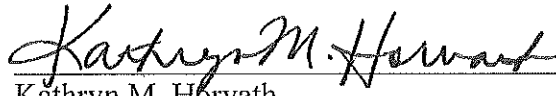
Date 3-9-20

Reviewed by:



Director
Warren County Children's Services

Approved as to Form:



Kathryn M. Horvath
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF Ohio
COUNTY OF CLARK

I, GERALD KUD, holding the title and position of ASSET DIRECTOR at the firm ONE WAY SERVICES, affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

Gerald Kud
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March 2020

Duretha M. Rosasco
(Notary Public),

Clark County.

My commission expires 11/7 2021



Duretha M. Rosasco
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires 11-07-2021

Resolution

Number 20-0486

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AGREEMENT AND ADDENDUM WITH LIGHTHOUSE YOUTH SERVICES, INC. AS A CHILD PLACEMENT AND RELATED SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON BEHALF OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into the agreement and addendum with Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc., on behalf of Warren County Children Services, for calendar year 2020-2021, for the services of a child placement and related services provider. Copy of agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a— Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc.
Children Services (file)

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

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This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between Warren County Children Services, a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is:

Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

and Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc., hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc.
401 E Mcmillan St
Cincinnati, OH 45206

Collectively the "Parties."

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WHEREAS, the Agency is responsible under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Title 51, Chapter 5153 for the provision of protective services for dependent, neglected, and abused children; and,

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized under ORC Title 51, Chapter 5153.16 to provide care and services which it deems to be in the best interest of any child who needs or is likely to need public care and services; and,

WHEREAS, the Provider is an organization duly organized and validly existing and is qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Ohio or in the state where the placement facility or foster home is located and has all requisite legal power and authority to execute this Agreement and to carry out its terms, conditions and provisions, and is licensed, certified or approved to provide placement and related services to children in accordance with Ohio law or the state where the placement facility or foster home is located.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and responsibilities set forth herein, the Agency and Provider agree as follows:

Article I. SCOPE OF PLACEMENT SERVICES

In addition to the services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work, Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services specified in each Individual Child Care Agreement (ICCA) for children in the care and custody of the Title IV-E Agency. The ICCA shall be consistent with current federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Provider's license or certified functions and services. If an Agreement and ICCA both exist, the Agreement supersedes.

Section 1.01 FOR CONTRACTS COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

Without limiting the services set forth herein, Provider will provide the Services pursuant to and consistent with the Requests for Proposals (RFP) and the Provider's Proposal submitted in response to the RFP, the Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.02 FOR CONTRACTS NOT COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

The Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in the Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.03 EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are deemed to be a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work;
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable);
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Response to the Request for Proposals (if applicable); and
- D. Exhibit IV – Schedule A Rate Information.

Article II. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from **04/01/2020** through **05/31/2021**, unless this Agreement is suspended or terminated pursuant to Article IX prior to the termination date.

In addition to the initial term described above, this Agreement may be extended at the option of the Agency and upon written agreement of the Provider. Notice of Agency's intention to extend the Agreement shall be provided in writing to Provider no less than 90 calendar days before the expiration of any Agreement term then in effect. (If a previous Request for Proposal [RFP] allows, the Agreement may be extended for a period of time to ensure adequate completion of the Agency's competitive procurement process at the rates existing for the term then in effect.)

Article III. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement and all Exhibits are intended to supplement and complement each other and shall, where possible, be so interpreted. However, if any provision of this Agreement irreconcilably conflicts with an Exhibit, this Agreement takes precedence over the Exhibit(s).

In the event there is an inconsistency between the Exhibit(s), the inconsistency shall be resolved in the following order:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work; then
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable); then
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Proposals (if applicable); then
- D. Exhibit IV – Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information.

Article IV. DEFINITIONS GOVERNING THIS AGREEMENT

The following definitions govern this Agreement:

- A. Agreement means this Agreement, addenda and exhibits thereto.
- B. Material Breach shall mean an act or omission that violates or contravenes an obligation required under the Agreement and which, by itself or together with one or more other breaches, has a negative effect on, or thwarts the purpose of the Agreement as stated herein. A Material Breach shall not include an act or omission, which has a trivial or negligible effect on the quality, quantity, or delivery of the goods and services to be provided under the Agreement.
- C. Child(ren) means any person under eighteen years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped person under twenty-one years of age in the Agency's custody and under the care of the Provider for the provision of placement services.
- D. All other definitions to be resolved through Federal Regulations, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5101:2-1-01 and any related cross-references.

Article V. PROVIDER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Provider agrees to participate with Agency in the development and implementation of the Case Plan and ICCA including participation in case reviews and / or semi-annual administrative reviews, and the completion of reunification assessments for the children in placement with the Provider. Parties shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- B. Provider agrees to provide services agreed to in the Case Plan and ICCA (i.e., transportation of children for routine services, including, but not limited to, court hearings, medical appointments, school therapy, recreational activities, visitations/family visits) unless otherwise negotiated in writing as an attachment to this Agreement. Any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual-agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process. The cost of providing these services is to be included in the Agency approved per diem.
- C. Provider agrees to ensure that any and all persons who may act as alternative caregivers or who have contact with the children are suitable for interaction pursuant to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- D. Provider agrees that all caregivers must be approved by the Agency.
- E. Provider agrees to submit a progress report as negotiated by the parties for each child. The progress report will be based on the agreed upon services to be delivered to the child and/or family and will include documentation of services provided to the child and/or discharge summary. If Monthly Progress Reports are not received within 90 calendar days following the month of service provision, payment may be withheld at the Agency's discretion.
 - 1. Monthly Progress Reports shall be submitted by the 20th of the month following the month of service.
 - 2. The Monthly Progress Report will include the following medical related information:
 - a. Service type (i.e. medical, dental, vision, etc.);
 - b. Date(s) of service;
 - c. Reason for visit (i.e. routine, injury, etc.);
 - d. Practitioner name, address and contact number;
 - e. Name of hospital, practice, urgent care, etc.;
 - f. Prescribed medications and dosages;
 - g. Date(s) medication(s) were prescribed or changed; and
 - h. Changes to medications.
- F. Placement changes, emergency or non-emergency, shall occur only with the approval of the Agency. The following information shall be provided to the Agency for all placement changes: Name, address and phone number of the new foster home or other out-of-home care setting, the license/home study of the new care provider within 24 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.
- G. Provider agrees to notify all Agencies who have children placed in the same caregiver's home/group home/CRC when any child residing in the placement is critically injured or dies in that location. Notification will be made to the Agencies' Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline number or assigned Caseworker immediately.
- H. Notification to the Agency of Emergency Critical Incidents shall occur ASAP but no later than one hour of the incident becoming known. Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or

assigned Caseworker or by other established system. Critical incidents are those incidents defined in the Ohio Administrative Code that are applicable to the licensed or certified programs(ODJFS 5101:2-7-14, 5101:2-9-23 ODMHAS 5122-30-16, 5122-26-13, OAC 5123-17-02).

Emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. Absent Without Leave (AWOL);
 2. Child Alleging Physical or Sexual Abuse/Neglect;
 3. Death of Child;
 4. Illicit drug/alcohol use, Abuse of medication or toxic substance;
 5. Sudden injury or illness requiring an unplanned medical treatment or visit to the hospital;
 6. Perpetrator of Delinquent/Criminal Act (Assault, Dangerous Behaviors, Homicidal Behaviors);
 7. School Expulsion/Suspension (formal action by school);
 8. Self-Injury (Suicidal Behaviors, Self-Harm Requiring external Medical Treatment, Hospital or ER);
 9. Victim of assault, neglect, physical or sexual abuse;
 10. The filing of any law enforcement report involving the child.
- I. The Provider also agrees to notify the Agency within Twenty-four (24) hours, of any non-emergency situations. Non-emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:
1. When physical restraint is used/applied; and
 2. Medication lapses or errors.
- Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse\Neglect Hotline/assigned Caseworker or by other established notification system.
- J. Documentation of the emergency and non-emergency incidents as identified in "H and I" above shall be provided to the Agency via email, fax or other established notification system within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.
- K. The Provider agrees to submit each child's assessment and treatment plans as completed but no later than the 30th day of placement. Provider further agrees to provide treatment planning that will include, but is not limited to, education on or off site, preparation for integration into community-based school or vocational/job skills training, community service activities, independent living skills if age 14 or older, monitoring and supporting community adjustment.
- L. The Provider agrees to participate in joint planning with the Agency regarding modification to case plan services. Provider agrees that while the Provider may have input into the development of the child's case plan services and the ICCA, any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process.
- M. The Provider shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Agency prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. A placement Preservation meeting shall be held within seven (7) business days of said request. Unless otherwise mutually agreed upon a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice shall be given if placement preservation is unable to be achieved. A Discharge Plan Summary shall be provided no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of discharge in accordance with the applicable licensed or certified program. (OAC 5101:2-5-17, OAC 5122-30-22, OAC 5122-30-04, OAC 5123:2-3-05).
- N. The Provider shall work in cooperation and collaboration with the Agency to provide information for each child's Lifebook and will fully comply with the provision of OAC 5101:2-42-67 as applicable to private Providers. Provider's contribution to the Agency Lifebook for a child shall be for the episode of care with the Provider.
- O. The Provider agrees to provide Independent Living Services as set forth in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-19 for all children age 14 and above.
- P. When applicable, due to the Provider being part of a managed care agreement as defined in OAC 5101:2-1-01, the Provider agrees to visit with the child face-to-face in the foster home, speak privately with the child and to meet with the caregiver at least monthly in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- Q. The Provider agrees to maintain its licenses and certifications from any source in good standing. The Provider agrees to report to Agency in writing any change in licensure or certification that negatively impacts such standing immediately if the negative action results in a temporary license, suspension of license or termination of license.
- R. Provider agrees that the reasonable and prudent parent standard training required by SEC. 471. [42 U.S.C. 671] of the Social Security Act and in accordance to OAC 5101:2-5-33, OAC 5101:2-9-02 or OAC 5101:2-9-03 has been

completed.

- S. The Provider shall notify Agency of any changes in its status, such as intent to merge with another business or to close no later than forty-five (45) business days prior to the occurrence.
- T. The Provider agrees that the Agency shall have access to foster parent home studies and re-certifications for foster parents caring for children in placement, subject to confidentiality considerations. The Provider shall submit to Agency a copy of the current foster home license at the time of placement and recertification. Provider also agrees to notify Agency within twenty-four (24) hours of any change in the status of the foster home license.
- U. When there is a rule violation of a caregiver, a copy of the corrective action plan, if applicable, must be submitted to the Agency when the investigation is complete.
- V. The Provider agrees to notify the Agency of scheduling no less than fourteen (14) calendar days prior to all formal meetings (i.e. FTMs, Treatment Team Meetings, IEPs, etc.).
- W. The Provider agrees to adhere to the following Medical/Medication guidelines:
 - 1. To provide over-the-counter medications and/or supplies as part of the per diem of care;
 - 2. To comply with the medical consent process as identified by Agency;
 - 3. Only the Agency can give permission for the administering or change (addition or elimination) of psychotropic medication and its ongoing management; and
 - 4. Provide an initial placement medical screening within 72 hours of child's placement into a placement resource under the Provider's operation and/or oversight.
- X. To arrange for required health care/medical examinations within time frames required by OAC 5101:2-42-66.1 and provide reports from the health care providers to the agency within 30 days of occurrence if the appropriate releases of information have been obtained by the Provider.
- Y. The Network Provider agrees to notify the Agency if placement resource is currently under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children or other third-party investigation.
- Z. The Provider will immediately notify the Agency:
 - 1. If the Provider is out of compliance with any licensing authority rules or the placement resource is under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children. Immediately is defined as within one hour of knowledge of the non-compliance issue.
 - 2. Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or assigned Caseworker of any allegations of abuse or neglect made against the Caregiver within one hour of gaining knowledge of the allegation.
 - 3. Of any corrective action and the result of the correction action plan. The Provider will submit a comprehensive written report to the agency within sixty (60) days of the rules violation.
 - 4. Within twenty-four (24) hours any time there is an event which would impact the placement resource license.

Article VI. AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Agency certifies that it will comply with the Multiethnic Placement Act, 108 STAT. 3518, as amended by Section 1808 of the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, 110 STAT. 1755, which prohibits any Agency from denying any person the opportunity to become an adoptive or foster parent on the basis of race, color, national origin, or delaying or denying the placement of a child for adoption or into foster care on the basis of race, color, or national origin of the adoptive or foster parent or of the child involved.
- B. The Agency shall provide to the Provider within thirty (30) calendar days of placement or within a reasonable time thereafter as agreed to by the parties, a copy of each child's social history, medical history, and Medicaid card once obtained by the Agency for new cases, or at time of placement for existing cases. Agency shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- C. Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider. The Agency acknowledges that clinical treatment decisions must be recommended by licensed clinical professionals. Agency and Provider acknowledge that disagreement with a treatment decision may be taken through the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV of this Agreement.
- D. Agency agrees to visit with the child in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- E. Agency agrees to participate in periodic meetings with each child's treatment team for case treatment plan development, review, and revision. The Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider by the Agency.

- F. Agency certifies that it will comply with Every Student Succeeds Act (34 CFR part 200) and will work with local school districts in developing individualized plans to address the transportation needed for a child to remain in the school of origin. Agency agrees to arrange for the transfer of each child's school records to the child's new school upon placement but not later than ten (10) business days. The Agency agrees to work with the Provider for the timely enrollment of the child in the receiving school district. The Agency has the final responsibility to obtain the child's school records and to enroll the child in the receiving school district.
- G. The Agency shall provide an opportunity for the Provider to give input in the development, substantive amendment or modification of case plans. The Agency agrees to notify the Provider of scheduling no less than seven (7) calendar days prior to of all formal meetings (e.g. SARs, court hearings, family team conferences, etc.).
- H. The Agency shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Provider prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. The Agency shall provide a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice for planned removals, to the Provider for each child who is being terminated from placement with the Provider, unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- I. Agency agrees to provide the Provider with an emergency contact on a twenty-four (24) hour, seven (7) day per week basis.
- J. The Agency represents:
 - 1. It has adequate funds to meet its obligations under this Agreement; subject to the availability of funds as referenced in Article VIII (I);
 - 2. It intends to maintain this Agreement for the full period set forth herein and has no reason to believe that it will not have sufficient funds to enable it to make all payments due hereunder during such period; and
 - 3. It will make its best effort to obtain the appropriation of any necessary funds during the term of this Agreement.
- K. The Agency will provide information about the child being referred for placement in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-90. Prior to a child's placement in alternative care or respite, OAC 5101:2-42-90 (D) requires the Agency to share with care givers information that could impact the health, safety, or well-being of the child or others in the home.

Article VII. INVOICING FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The Provider agrees to submit a monthly invoice following the end of the month in which services were provided. The invoice shall be for services delivered in accordance with Article I of this Agreement and shall include:
 - 1. Provider's name, address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax identification number, Title IV-E Provider number, if applicable and Medicaid Provider number, if applicable.
 - 2. Billing date and the billing period.
 - 3. Name of child, date of birth of child, and the child's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) person I.D. number.
 - 4. Admission date and discharge date, if available.
 - 5. Agreed upon per diem for maintenance and the agreed per diem administration; and
 - 6. Invoicing procedures may also include the per diems associated with the following if applicable and agreeable to the Agency and Provider:
 - a. Case Management; allowable administration cost.
 - b. Transportation, allowable maintenance cost.
 - c. Transportation; allowable administration cost.
 - d. Other Direct Services; allowable maintenance cost.
 - e. Behavioral health care; non-reimbursable cost.
 - f. Other costs - (any other cost the Title IV-E Agency has agreed to participate in); non-allowable/non-reimbursable cost.
- B. Provider warrants and represents claims made for payment for services provided are for actual services rendered and do not duplicate claims made by Provider to other sources of public funds for the same service.

Article VIII. REIMBURSEMENT FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The maximum amount payable pursuant to this contract is **\$100,000.00**.
- B. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement, the per diem for maintenance and the per diem for

administration will be paid for each day the child was in placement. The first day of placement will be paid regardless of the time the child was placed. The last day of placement will not be paid regardless of the time the child left the placement.

- C. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement and in addition to Maintenance and Administration, the Agency may agree to pay a per diem for Case Management, Other Direct Services, Transportation Administration, Transportation Maintenance, Behavioral Health Care and Other. All other services and/or fees to be paid for shall be contained in the Addendum of this Agreement.
- D. To the extent that the Provider maintains a foster care network, the agreed upon per diem for maintenance shall be the amount paid directly to the foster parent. Maintenance includes the provision of food, clothing, shelter, daily supervision, graduation expenses, a child's personal incidentals, and liability insurance with respect to the child, reasonable cost of travel to the child's home for visitation and reasonable cost of travel for the child to remain in the school the child was enrolled in at the time of placement. Payment for private Agency staff transporting a child to a home visit or keeping the child in their home school will be paid in accordance with Schedule A (Transportation Maintenance) of this Agreement.
- E. If the plan as determined by the Agency is to return the child to placement with the Provider, the Agency may agree to pay for the days that a child is temporarily absent from the direct care of the Provider, as agreed to by the parties in writing.
- F. The service provider is required to utilize Medicaid-approved healthcare providers in the appropriate managed care network for the provision of mental health, dental and/or medical services (hereafter referred to collectively as "medical services") to children in the custody of Agency. The Service Provider will report applicable Medicaid/insurance information to the healthcare providers and instruct healthcare providers to seek payment from Medicaid or any other available third-party payer for medical services rendered to children in agency custody. Agency will not pay for the provision of any medical services to children in agency custody unless the agency Executive Director or authorized designee has provided specific prior written authorization for such medical services and associated costs.
- G. The Agency agrees to pay the Provider for all services agreed to on Schedule A and in the Addendum to this Agreement, where applicable, that have been provided and documented in the child's case file. Agency shall make best efforts to make payment of undisputed charges within thirty (30) business days of receipt.
- H. In the event of a disagreement regarding payment, Agency shall withhold payment only for that portion of the placement with which it disagrees. Agency will use best efforts to notify the Provider of any invoice discrepancies. Agency and Provider will make every effort to resolve payment discrepancies within 60 calendar days. Payment discrepancies brought to the Agency after 60 days will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
- I. This Agreement is conditioned upon the availability of federal, state, or local funds appropriated or allocated for payment for services provided under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. By sole determination of the Agency, if funds are not sufficiently allocated or available for the provision of the services performed by the Provider hereunder, the Agency reserves the right to exercise one of the following alternatives:
 1. Reduce the utilization of the services provided under this Agreement, without change to the terms and conditions of the Agreement; or
 2. Issue a notice of intent to terminate the Agreement.

The Agency will notify the Provider at the earliest possible time of such decision. No penalty shall accrue to the Agency in the event either of these provisions is exercised. The Agency shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or for any damages as a result of termination under this section.

Any denial of payment for service(s) rendered may be appealed in writing and will be part of the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV.

Article IX. TERMINATION; BREACH AND DEFAULT

- A. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience prior to the expiration of the term then in effect by either the Agency or the Provider upon written notification given no less than sixty (60) calendar days in advance by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the last known address of the terminated party shown hereinabove or at such other address as may hereinafter be specified in writing.
- B. If Provider fails to provide the Services as provided in this Agreement for any reason other than Force Majeure, or if Provider otherwise Materially Breaches this Agreement, Agency may consider Provider in default. Agency agrees to give Provider thirty (30) days written notice specifying the nature of the default and its intention to terminate. Provider shall have seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such notice to provide a written plan of action to Agency to cure such default. Agency is required to approve or disapprove such plan within five (5)

calendar days of receipt. In the event Provider fails to submit such plan or Agency disapproves such plan, Agency has the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Provider. If Provider fails to cure the default in accordance with an approved plan, then Agency may terminate this Agreement at the end of the thirty (30) day notice period.

- C. Upon the effective date of the termination, the Provider agrees that it shall cease work on the terminated activities under this Agreement, take all necessary or appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize costs, and furnish a report as of the date of discharge of the last child describing the status of all work under this Agreement, including without limitation, results accomplished, conclusions resulting therefrom, and such other matters as the Agency may require. The Agency agrees to remove all children in placement immediately with the Provider, consistent with the effective termination date. In all instances of termination, the Provider and Agency agree that they shall work in the best interests of children placed with the Provider to secure alternative placements for all children affected by the termination.
- D. In the event of termination, the Provider shall be entitled to reimbursement, upon submission of an invoice, for the agreed upon per diem incurred prior to the effective termination date. The reimbursement will be calculated by the Agency based on the per diem set forth in Article VIII. The Agency shall receive credit for reimbursement already made when determining the amount owed to the Provider. The Agency is not liable for costs incurred by the Provider after the effective termination date of the discharge of the last child.
- E. Notwithstanding the above, Agency may immediately terminate this Agreement upon delivery of a written notice of termination to the Provider under the following circumstances:
 - 1. Improper or inappropriate activities;
 - 2. Loss of required licenses;
 - 3. Actions, inactions or behaviors that may result in harm, injury or neglect of a child;
 - 4. Unethical business practices or procedures; and
 - 5. Any other event that Agency deems harmful to the well-being of a child; or
 - 6. Loss of funding as set forth in Article VIII.
- F. If the Agreement is terminated by Agency due to breach or default of any of the provisions, obligations, or duties embodied contained therein by the Provider, Agency may exercise any administrative, agreement, equitable, or legal remedies available, without limitation. Any extension of the time periods set forth above shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights or remedies the Agency may have under this Agreement.
- G. In the event of termination under this ARTICLE, both the Provider and the placing Agency shall make good faith efforts to minimize adverse effect on children resulting from the termination of the Agreement.

Article X. RECORDS RETENTION ,CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Provider agrees that all records, documents, writings or other information, including, but not limited to, financial records, census records, client records and documentation of legal compliance with Ohio Administrative Code rules, produced by the Provider under this Agreement, and all records, documents, writings or other information, including but not limited to financial, census and client used by the Provider in the performance of this Agreement are treated according to the following terms:
 - 1. All records relating to costs, work performed and supporting documentation for invoices submitted to the Agency by the Provider along with copies of all Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, submitted to the Agency pursuant to this Agreement will be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after reimbursement for services rendered under this Agreement.
 - 2. If an audit, litigation, or other action is initiated during the time period of the Agreement, the Provider shall retain such records until the action is concluded and all issues resolved or three (3) years have expired, whichever is later.
 - 3. All records referred to in Section A 1) of this Article shall be available for inspection and audit by the Agency or other relevant agents of the State of Ohio (including, but not limited to, the County Prosecutor, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), the Auditor of the State of Ohio, the Inspector General of Ohio, or any duly authorized law enforcement officials), and the United States Department of Health and Human Services within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The Provider agrees to keep all financial records in a manner consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- C. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal and state laws applicable to the Agency and the confidentiality of children and families. Provider understands access to the identities of any Agency's child and families shall only be

as necessary for the purpose of performing its responsibilities under this Agreement. No identifying information on child(ren) served will be released for research or other publication without the express written consent of the Agency. Provider agrees that the use or disclosure of information concerning the child for any purpose not directly related to the administration of this Agreement is prohibited. Provider shall ensure all the children's and families' documentation is protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner.

- D. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws related to the confidentiality and transmission of medical records, including, but not limited to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- E. Although information about, and generated under, this Agreement may fall within the public domain, the Provider shall not release information about, or related to, this Agreement to the general public or media verbally, in writing, or by any electronic means without prior approval from the Agency, unless the Provider is required to release requested information by law. Agency reserves the right to announce to the general public and media: award of the Agreement, Agreement terms and conditions, scope of work under the Agreement, Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, and results obtained under the Agreement. Except where Agency approval has been granted in advance, the Provider shall not seek to publicize and will not respond to unsolicited media queries requesting: announcement of Agreement award, Agreement terms and conditions, Agreement scope of work, government-furnished documents the Agency may provide to the Provider to fulfill the Agreement scope of work, Deliverables required under the Agreement, results obtained under the Agreement, and impact of Agreement activities.
- F. If contacted by the media about this Agreement, the Provider agrees to notify the Agency in lieu of responding immediately to media queries. Nothing in this section is meant to restrict the Provider from using Agreement information and results to market to specific business prospects.
- G. Client data must be protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner whether located in Provider's facilities, stored in the Cloud, or used on mobile devices outside Provider's facility. Security of Provider's network, data storage, and mobile devices must conform to generally recognized industry standards and best practices. Maintenance of a secure processing environment includes, but is not limited to, network firewall provisioning, intrusion detection, antivirus protection, regular third-party vulnerability assessments, and the timely application of patches, fixes and updates to operating systems and applications.
- H. Provider agrees that it has implemented and shall maintain during the term of this Agreement the highest standard of administrative, technical, and physical safeguards and controls to:
 - 1. Ensure the security and confidentiality of data;
 - 2. Protect against any anticipated security threats or hazards to the security or integrity of data; and
 - 3. Protect against unauthorized access to or use of data. Such measures shall include at a minimum:
 - a. Access controls on information systems, including controls to authenticate and permit access to data only to authorized individuals and controls to prevent Provider employees from providing data to unauthorized individuals who may seek to obtain this information (whether through fraudulent means or otherwise);
 - b. Firewall protection;
 - c. Encryption of electronic data while in transit from Provider networks to external networks;
 - d. Measures to store in a secure fashion all data which shall include multiple levels of authentication;
 - e. Measures to ensure that data shall not be altered or corrupted without the prior written consent of the Agency;
 - f. Measures to protect against destruction, loss or damage of data due to potential environmental hazards, such as fire and water damage.
- I. Immediately upon discovery of a confirmed or suspected breach involving data, Provider will notify Agency no later than twenty-four (24) hours after Provider knows or reasonably suspects a breach has or may have occurred. Provider shall promptly take all appropriate or legally required corrective actions and shall cooperate fully with the Agency in all reasonable and lawful efforts to prevent, mitigate or rectify such data breach. In the event of a suspected breach, Provider shall keep the Agency informed of the progress of its investigation until the uncertainty is resolved.
- J. In the event the Provider does not carry the appropriate cyber security insurance to cover a security breach, the Provider shall reimburse the Agency for actual costs incurred, including, but not limited to, providing clients affected by a security breach with notice of the breach, and/or complimentary access for credit monitoring services, which the Agency deems necessary to protect such affected client.
- K. In the event the Agency discontinues operation, all child records for residential or any other placement settings shall be provided to the custodial agency. If the setting is licensed by ODJFS, licensing records shall be sent to:

ODJFS
ATTN: Licensing
P.O. Box 183204
Columbus, OH 43218-3204

Article XI. PROVIDER ASSURANCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- A. As applicable to the Provider's license and/or certification, the Provider certifies compliance with ORC 2151.86, ORC 5103.0328, ORC 5103.0319 and applicable OAC Sections as defined in Article XXII of this Agreement concerning criminal record checks, arrests, convictions and guilty pleas relative to foster caregivers, employees, volunteers and interns who are involved in the care for a child. Provider is responsible for any penalties, financial or otherwise, that may accrue because of noncompliance with this provision.
- B. To the extent that the Provider maintains a residential center or group home, the Provider agrees to comply with the provisions of their licensing Agency that relates to the operation, safety and maintenance of residential facilities. Specifically, Provider agrees that no firearm or other projectile weapon and no ammunition for such weapons will be kept on the premises.
- C. Provider certifies compliance with Drug Free Work Place Requirements as outlined in 45 C.F.R. Part 76, Subpart F.
- D. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 80, Non-Discrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- E. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 84, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- F. Provider certifies compliance 45 C.F.R. Part 90, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- G. Provider certifies compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336.
- H. Provider certifies that it will:
1. Provide a copy of its license(s), certification, accreditation or a letter extending an expiring license, certification, or accreditation from the issuer to the Agency prior to the signing of the Agreement.
 2. Maintain its license(s), certification, accreditation and that upon receipt of the renewal of its license, certification, and/or accreditation or upon receipt of a letter extending an expiring license, certification, and/or accreditation from the issuer, a copy of the license, certification and/or accreditation will be provided to the Agency within five (5) business days.
 3. Provider shall immediately notify the Agency of any action, modification or issue relating to said licensure, accreditation or certification.
- I. Provider certifies that it will not deny or delay services to eligible persons because of the person's race, color, religion, national origin, gender, orientation, disability, or age.
- J. The Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR part 60.
- K. Provider further agrees to comply with OAC 5101:9-2-01 and OAC 5101:9-2-05(A)(4), as applicable, which require that assure that persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) can meaningfully access services. To the extent Provider provides assistance to an LEP Child through the use of an oral or written translator or interpretation services in compliance with this requirement, the LEP Child shall not be required to pay for such assistance.
- L. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857 (h) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 C.F.R. Part 15).
- M. The Provider certifies compliance, where applicable, with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- N. The Provider certifies that all approvals, licenses, or other qualifications necessary to conduct business in Ohio have been obtained and are current.
- O. Provider shall comply with the Small Business Job Protection Act (Public Law ("P.L.") 104-188), the Multiethnic

Placement Act of 1994 (P.L. 103-382), Titles IV-B (42 U.S.C. 620 et seq.) and IV-E (42 U.S.C. 670 et seq.) of the Social Security Act ("the Act"), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-193), Section 471(a) of Title IV-E of the Act (42 U.S.C. 671(a)), and 45 C.F.R. 1356, including all rules, regulations and guidelines issued by federal and state authorities, OAC 5101:9-4-07 and OAC 5101:2-47-23.1.

Article XII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The Provider and the Agency agree that no employment, joint venture, or partnership has been or will be created between the parties hereto pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- B. The Provider and the Agency agree that the Provider is an independent contractor and assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums which may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or Deliverables rendered hereunder.
- C. The Provider and the Agency agree that no person and/or entities entering into this Agreement, nor any individual employed by any person or entity entering in to this Agreement, are public employees for purposes of contributions to Ohio Public Employees Retirement system by virtue of any work performed or services rendered in accordance with this Agreement.

Article XIII. AUDITS AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Provider agrees to submit to Agency a copy of the independent audit it receives in accordance with ORC 5103.0323.
- B. Upon request from the Agency, Provider shall submit a copy of the most recent Federal income tax return and related schedules filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- C. If Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, Provider agrees to timely file its Title IV-E cost report with all required items as outlined in OAC 5101:2-47-26.2 to ODJFS. Provider agrees that in the event a cost report cannot be timely filed, an extension shall be requested prior to the December 31st filing deadline.
- D. If a Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, an Agreed Upon Procedures engagement must be conducted by a certified public accountant for the Provider's cost report in accordance with OAC 5101:2-47-26.2. The procedures are conducted to verify the accuracy of costs used to establish reimbursement ceilings for maintenance and administration costs of child in care. Any overpayments or underpayment of federal funds to the Title IV-E Agency due to adjustments of cost report reimbursement ceiling amounts as a result of an audit, shall be resolved in accordance with ORC 5101.11, ORC 5101.14, and OAC 5101:2-47-01.
- E. Upon request from the Agency, the Provider shall submit a copy of the JFS 02911 and Agreed Upon Procedures.
- F. For financial reporting purposes and for Title IV-E cost reporting purposes, Provider agrees to follow the cost principles set forth in the following OAC Sections and publications:
 - 1. OAC 5101:2-47-11: "Reimbursement for Title IV-E foster care maintenance (FCM) costs for children's residential centers (CRC), group homes, maternity homes, residential parenting facilities, private foster homes, and substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities".
 - 2. OAC 5101:2-47-26.1: "Public child services agencies (PCSA), private child placing agencies (PCPA), private noncustodial agencies (PNA), residential care facilities, substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities: Title IV-E cost report filing requirements, record retention requirements, and related party disclosure requirements";
 - 3. OAC 5101:2-47-26.2: "Cost Report Agreed Upon Procedures Engagement".
 - 4. JFS 02911 Single Cost Report Instructions.
 - 5. For Private Agencies: 2 CFR part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Government.
 - 6. For Public Agencies: 2 CFR part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations.
 - 7. 2 CFR part 200.501, Audit Requirements.

Article XIV. GRIEVANCE /DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

In the event that a dispute arises under the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth below:

- 1. The party complaining of a dispute shall provide written notice of the nature of the dispute to the other party to this Agreement. A copy of the notice shall be sent to the Director or designee of the Agency and to the Executive Director or designee of the Provider. Within ten (10) business days of receiving the notice of a dispute, the parties involved in the dispute between the Agency and the Provider shall attempt to resolve the dispute.

ORC 102.03, ORC 102.04, ORC 2921.42, ORC 2921.43.

- C. The Provider further agrees that there is no financial interest involved on the part of the Agency or the respective county authority(ies) governing the agency. The Provider has no knowledge of any situation which would be a conflict of interest. It is understood that a conflict of interest occurs when an Agency employee or county official will gain financially or receive personal favors as a result of signing or implementation of this agreement. The Provider will report the discovery of any potential conflict of interest to the Agency. Should a conflict of interest be discovered during the term of this agreement, the Agency may exercise any right under the agreement, including termination of the agreement.

Article XX. INSURANCE

The Provider shall purchase and maintain for the term of this Agreement insurance of the types and amounts identified herein. Maintenance of the proper insurance for the duration of the Agreement is a material element of the Agreement.

Provider agrees to procure and maintain for the term of this Agreement the insurance set forth herein. The cost of all insurance shall be borne by Provider. Insurance shall be purchased from a company licensed to provide insurance in Ohio. Insurance is to be placed with an insurer provided an A.M. Best rating of no less than A-. Provider shall purchase the following coverage and minimum limits:

- A. Commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage contained in the most current Insurance Services Office Occurrence Form CG 00 01 or equivalent with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) in the aggregate and at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) coverage in legal liability fire damage. Coverage will include:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Product liability;
 3. Blanket contractual liability;
 4. Broad form property damage;
 5. Severability of interests;
 6. Personal injury; and
 7. Joint venture as named insured (if applicable).
- Endorsements for physical abuse claims and for sexual molestation claims must be a minimum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) per occurrence and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in the aggregate.
- B. Business auto liability insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit, on all owned, non-owned, leased and hired automobiles. If the Agreement contemplates the transportation of the users of County services (such as but not limited to Agency consumers), "Consumers" and Provider provides this service through the use of its employees' privately owned vehicles "POV", then the Provider's Business Auto Liability insurance shall sit excess to the employees' "POV" insurance and provide coverage above its employee's "POV" coverage. Provider agrees the business auto liability policy will be endorsed to provide this coverage.
- C. Professional liability (errors and omission) insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per claim and in the aggregate.
- D. Umbrella and excess liability insurance policy with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate, above the commercial general and business auto primary policies and containing the following coverage:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Pay on behalf of wording;
 3. Concurrency of effective dates with primary;
 4. Blanket contractual liability;
 5. Punitive damages coverage (where not prohibited by law);
 6. Aggregates: apply where applicable in primary;
 7. Care, custody and control – follow form primary; and
 8. Drop down feature.

The amounts of insurance required in this section for General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability may be satisfied by Provider purchasing coverage for the limits specified or by any combination of underlying and umbrella limits, so long as the total amount of insurance is not less than the limits specified in

General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability when added together.

E. Workers' Compensation insurance at the statutory limits required by Ohio Revised code.

F. The Provider further agrees with the following provisions:

1. All policies, except workers' compensation and professional liability, will endorse as additional insured the Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers, including their Board of Trustees if applicable. The additional insured endorsement shall be on an ACORD or ISO form.
2. The insurance endorsement forms and the certificate of insurance forms will be sent to the Agency Director or Designee. The forms must state the following: "Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are endorsed as additional insured as required by agreement on the commercial general, business auto and umbrella/excess liability policies."
3. Each policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled or materially changed except after thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice given to the Agency Director or Designee.
4. Provider shall furnish the Agency with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received by the Agency before the Agreement commences. The Agency reserves the right at any time to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.
5. Failure of the Agency to demand such certificate or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of the Agency to identify a deficiency from evidence provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Provider's obligation to maintain such insurance.
6. Provider shall declare any self-insured retention to the Agency pertaining to liability insurance. Provider shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the Agency guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses for any self-insured retention.
7. If Provider provides insurance coverage under a "claims-made" basis, Provider shall provide evidence of either of the following for each type of insurance which is provided on a claims-made basis: unlimited extended reporting period coverage, which allows for an unlimited period of time to report claims from incidents that occurred after the policy's retroactive date and before the end of the policy period (tail coverage), or; continuous coverage from the original retroactive date of coverage. The original retroactive date of coverage means original effective date of the first claim-made policy issued for a similar coverage while Provider was under Agreement with the County on behalf of the Agency.
8. Provider will require all insurance policies in any way related to the work and secured and maintained by Provider to include endorsements stating each underwriter will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against the County and the Agency. Provider will require of subcontractors, by appropriate written agreements, similar waivers each in favor of all parties enumerated in this section.
9. Provider, the County, and the Agency agree to fully cooperate, participate, and comply with all reasonable requirements and recommendations of the insurers and insurance brokers issuing or arranging for issuance of the policies required here, in all areas of safety, insurance program administration, claim reporting and investigating and audit procedures.
10. Provider's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance with respect to the County, the Agency, their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the County or the Agency shall be excess of Provider's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
11. If any of the work or Services contemplated by this Agreement is subcontractors, Provider will ensure that any subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements contained herein.
12. If the Agreement provider is a government entity, insurance requirements will be fulfilled under the County Risk Sharing Authority (CORSAs).

Article XXI. INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by, and in compliance with, applicable law, Provider agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and the Board of County Commissioners, their respective members, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all damages, liability, losses, claims, suits, actions, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings/hearings, judgments and expenses, subrogation (of any party involved in the subject of this Agreement), attorneys' fees, court costs, defense costs or other injury or damage (collectively "Damages"), whether actual, alleged or threatened, resulting from injury or damages of any kind whatsoever to any business, entity or person (including death), or damage to property (including destruction, loss of, loss of use of resulting without injury damage or destruction) of whatsoever nature, arising out of or incident to in any way, the performance of the terms of this Agreement

including, without limitation, by Provider, its subcontractor(s), Provider's or its subcontractor(s) employees, agents, assigns, and those designated by Provider to perform the work or services encompassed by the Agreement. Provider agrees to pay all damages, costs and expenses of the Indemnified Parties in defending any action arising out of the aforementioned acts or omissions.

- B. Each Party agrees to be responsible for any personal injury or property damage caused solely by its negligent acts or omissions as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as the parties may otherwise mutually agree in writing.
- C. This Article is not applicable to Agreements between governmental entities.

Article XXII. SCREENING AND SELECTION

A. Criminal Record Check

- 1. Provider warrants and represents it will comply with Article X as it relates to criminal record checks. Provider shall insure that every individual subject to a BCII check will sign a release of information to allow inspection and audit of the above criminal records transcripts or reports by the Agency or a private vendor hired by the Agency to conduct compliance reviews on their behalf.
- 2. Provider shall not assign any individual to work with or transport children until a BCII report and a criminal record transcript has been obtained.
- 3. Except as provided in Section C below, Provider shall not utilize any individual who has been convicted or plead guilty to any violations contained in ORC 5153.111(B)(1), ORC 2919.24, and OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.
- 4. Provider agrees to be financially responsible for any audit findings resulting in financial penalty due to lack of compliance with the criminal records checks requirements in OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.

B. Transportation of Child

- 1. The caregiver shall ensure the transportation of children in care will be reliable, legal and safe transportation with safety restraints, as appropriate for the child, and must be in compliance with applicable local, state and Federal transportation laws:
 - a. Maintenance of a current valid driver's license and vehicle insurance.
 - b. All children being transported by Provider must follow Ohio's Child Passenger Safety Law as defined in ORC 4511.81.
 - c. No child that is a passenger and is required to have a seat restraint can be transported by said provider until these requirements are met.
- 2. In addition to the requirements set forth above, Provider shall not permit any individual to transport a Child if:
 - a. The individual has a condition which would affect safe operation of a motor vehicle;
 - b. The individual has six (6) or more points on his/her driver's license; or
 - c. The individual has been convicted of, or pleaded guilty to, a violation of section 4511.19 (Operating vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – OVI or OVUAC) of the Revised Code if the individual previously was convicted of, or plead guilty to two or more violations within the three years immediately preceding the current violation.

C. Rehabilitation

- 1. Notwithstanding the above, Provider may make a request to the Agency to utilize an individual if Provider believes the individual has met the rehabilitative standards of OAC 5101:2-07-02(i) as follows:
 - a. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for a foster caregiver, a foster care applicant or other resident of the foster caregiver's household, Provider must provide written verification that the rehabilitation standards of OAC 5101:2-7-02 have been met.
 - b. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for any other individual serving Agency children, Provider must provide written verification from the individual that the rehabilitative conditions in accordance with OAC 5101:2-5-09 have been met.
- 2. The Agency shall review the facts presented and may allow the individual to work with, volunteer with or transport Agency children on a case-by-case basis. It is the Agency's sole discretion to permit a rehabilitated individual to work with, volunteer with or transport children.

D. Verification of Job or Volunteer Application:

Provider shall check and document each applicant's personal and employment references, general work history, relevant experience, and training information. Provider further agrees it will not employ an individual in relation to this Agreement unless it has received satisfactory employment references, work history, relevant experience, and training information.

Article XXIII. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL & DEGRADING PUNISHMENT

Agency prohibits the use of corporal or degrading punishment against children served by Agency and must comply with requirements in OAC 5101:2-7-09, OAC 5101:2-9-21, and OAC 5101:2-9-22

Article XXIV. FINDING FOR RECORDS

ORC 9.24 prohibits public agencies from awarding an Agreement for goods, services, or construction paid for in whole or in part from federal, state and local funds, to an entity against whom a finding for recovery has been issued if the finding is unresolved. By entering into this Agreement, Provider warrants and represents that they do not have an unresolved finding for recovery. Provider shall notify the Agency within ten (10) business days of its notification should the Provider be issued such finding by the Auditor of the State.

Article XXV. PUBLIC RECORDS

This Agreement is a matter of public record under the Ohio public records law. By entering into this Agreement, Provider acknowledges and understands that records maintained by Provider pursuant to this Agreement may also be deemed public records and subject to disclosure under Ohio law. Upon request made pursuant to Ohio law, the Agency shall make available the Agreement and all public records generated as a result of this Agreement.

Article XXVI. CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

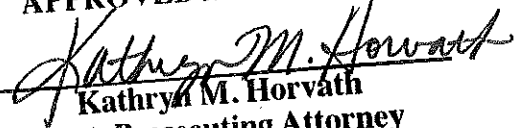
Provider agrees to cooperate with ODJFS and any Ohio Child Support Enforcement Agency ("CSEA") in ensuring Provider and Provider's employees meet child support obligations established under state or federal law. Further, by executing this Agreement, Provider certifies present and future compliance with any court or valid administrative order for the withholding of support which is issued pursuant to the applicable sections in ORC Chapters 3119, 3121, 3123, and 3125.

Article XXVII. DECLARATION OF PROPERTY TAX DELINQUENCY

After award of an Agreement, and prior to the time the Agreement is entered into, the successful Provider shall submit a statement in accordance with ORC 5719.042. Such statement shall affirm under oath that the person with whom the Agreement is to be made was not charged at the time the bid was submitted with any delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of personal property of any county in which the taxing district has territory, or that such person was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on any such tax list, in which case the statement shall also set forth the amount of such due and unpaid delinquent taxes any due and unpaid penalties and interest thereon. If the statement indicates that the taxpayer was charged with any such taxes, a copy of the statement shall be transmitted by the fiscal officer to the county treasurer within thirty days of the date it is submitted. A copy of the statement shall also be incorporated into the Agreement, and no payment shall be made with respect to any contract to which this section applies unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

Article XXVIII. SUBCONTRACTING AND DELEGATION

The performance of any duty, responsibility or function which is the obligation of the Provider under this Agreement may be delegated or subcontracted to any agent or subcontractor of Provider if Provider has obtained the prior written consent of the Agency for that delegation subcontract. Provider is responsible for ensuring that the duties, responsibilities or functions so delegated or subcontracted are performed in accordance with the provisions and standards of this Agreement, and the actions and omissions of any such agent or subcontractor shall be deemed to be the actions and omissions of Provider for purposes of this Agreement.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

Article XXIX. PROPERTY OF AGENCY

The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the State of Ohio. The Agency is the sole author of the Deliverables and the sole owner of all rights therein. If any portion of the Deliverables are deemed not to be a "work made for hire", or if there are any rights in the Deliverables not so conveyed to the Agency, then Provider agrees to, and by executing this Agreement hereby does, assign to the Agency all worldwide rights, title, and interest in and to the Deliverables. The Agency acknowledges that its sole ownership of the Deliverables under this Agreement does not affect Provider's right to use general concepts, algorithms, programming techniques, methodologies, or technology that have been developed by Provider prior to this Agreement or that are generally known and available. Any Deliverable provided or produced by Provider under this Agreement or with funds hereunder, including any documents, data, photographs and negatives, electronic reports/records, or other media, are the property of the Agency, which has an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use the Deliverables. Provider shall not obtain copyright, patent, or other proprietary protection for the Deliverables. Provider shall not include in any Deliverable any copyrighted material, unless the copyright owner gives prior written approval for the Agency and Provider to use such copyrighted material. Provider agrees that all Deliverables will be made freely available to the general public unless the Agency determines that, pursuant to state or federal law, such materials are confidential or otherwise exempt from disclosure.

Article XXX. SEVERABILITY

If any term of this Agreement or its application thereof to any person or circumstance shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby. Each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XXXI. NO ADDITIONAL WAIVER IMPLIED

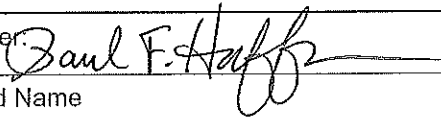

If the Agency or Provider fails to perform any obligations under this Agreement and thereafter such failure is waived by the other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular matter waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other failure hereunder, nor a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or condition. Waivers shall not be effective unless in writing.

Article XXXII. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

This Agreement and any modifications, amendments, or alterations, shall be governed, construed, and enforced under the laws of Ohio. Any legal action brought pursuant to this agreement will be filed in the Ohio courts, and Ohio law as well as Federal law will apply.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of the signature of the parties.

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

Provider: 	2/18/2020
Printed Name Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc.	Date
Agency: 	
Printed Name Warren County Children Services	Date 3/4/2020

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

ADDENDA TO AGREEMENT

This Addenda sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between

a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is

hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

IV-E Agency Name Warren County Children Services		
Street/Mailing Address 416 S East St		
City Lebanon	State OH	Zip Code 45036

and

Provider Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc.		
Street/Mailing Address 401 E Mcmillan St		
City Cincinnati	State OH	Zip Code 45206

Contract ID : 19180227

Originally Dated :04/01/2020 to 05/31/2021

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR
THE PROVISION
OF
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Amendment Number 1 :

Amendment Reason:

OTHER

Amendment Begin Date:

04/01/2020

Amendment End Date :

05/31/2021

Increased Amount:

\$0.00

Article Name:

Article I. Scope of Placement Services

Amendment Reason Narrative:

Addendum #1 attached. See Addendum #1 for details.

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information
 Agency : Warren County Children Services
 Run Date: 02/11/2020
 Provider / ID : Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc./ 24316
 Contract Period : 04/01/2020 - 05/31/2021

Service Description	Service ID	Person ID	Maintenance Per Diem	Administration Per Diem	Case Management Per Diem	Transportation / Administration Per Diem	Transportation / Maintenance Per Diem	Other Direct Services Per Diem	Behavioral Healthcare Per Diem	Other Per Diem Cost	Total Per Diem	Cost Begin Date	Cost End Date
Independent Living	43317		\$12.60								\$12.60	05/01/2020	05/31/2021
Independent Living	43317		\$104.31								\$104.31	05/01/2020	05/31/2021
Independent Living	43317		\$118.86								\$118.86	05/01/2020	05/31/2021
Special Needs Foster Care (30420)-FFH	6657663		\$60.00	\$85.69							\$145.69	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Traditional Foster Care (30011)-FFH	371670		\$36.00	\$34.41							\$70.41	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Traditional Foster Care (30011)-FFH	371670		\$39.00	\$31.41							\$70.41	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Traditional Foster Care (30011)-FFH	371670		\$41.00	\$29.41							\$70.41	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Level 1 (30418)-FFH	6653663		\$36.00	\$51.64							\$87.64	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Level 1 (30418)-FFH	6653663		\$39.00	\$48.64							\$87.64	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Level 1 (30418)-FFH	6653663		\$41.00	\$46.64							\$87.64	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Level 3 (30419)-FFH	6655663		\$36.00	\$51.28							\$87.28	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Level 3 (30419)-FFH	6655663		\$39.00	\$48.28							\$87.28	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Level 3 (30419)-FFH	6655663		\$41.00	\$46.28							\$87.28	04/01/2020	05/31/2021

**ADDENDUM 1 TO AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS
FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreement seek to amend certain terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services standard Agreement for Title IV-E Agencies and Providers for the Provision of Child Placement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree that the Agreement shall include the following Amendments, additional terms, and conditions that address Provider and Agency responsibilities.

AMENDMENT #1:

Wherever referenced herein and throughout the Agreement, the terms "Agency" or "Warren County Children Services" shall refer to the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, contracting authority for Warren County Children Services, entering into this Agreement on behalf of Warren County Children Services.

AMENDMENT #2:

Article V, subsection (I) shall be amended to add the following language:

3. When a strip search or cavity search is conducted.

AMENDMENT #3:

The following provisions shall be added to Article V of the Agreement:

AA. Any notification required pursuant to subsections (G), (H), or (I) of Article V shall require verbal contact with an Agency representative. Leaving a voicemail shall not constitute notification under these sections.

BB. Provider shall make available for immediate inspection upon request by the Agency any and all written policies and procedures for operation of the facility, including, but not limited to, policies relating to use of physical restraint; searches, including policies for strip searches, and cavity searches; and policies for medication administration.

AMENDMENT #4:

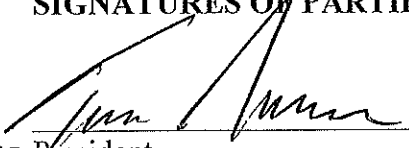
Article VI, subsection (H) of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

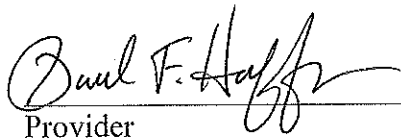
The language that states "thirty (30) calendar days" shall be replaced with "twenty-four (24) hours, not to exceed thirty (30) calendar days."

ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STANDARD AGREEMENT NOT SPECIFICALLY AMENDED, MODIFIED, ADDED, OR DELETED HEREBY SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT

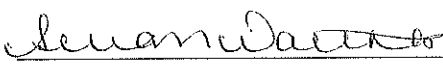
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Addendum to the Agreement by the President of the Warren County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Resolution Number 20-0486, dated 3/24/20, and by the duly authorized _____ of _____ [Provider].

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

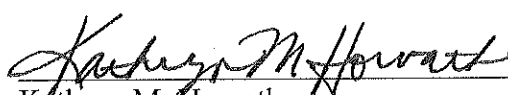

Vice-President _____
Warren County Board of Commissioners
Date 3/24/20


Provider _____
Date 2/18/2020

Reviewed by:


Director _____
Warren County Children's Services

Approved as to Form:


Kathryn M. Horvath
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF Ohio
COUNTY OF Hamilton

I, Paul Haffner, holding the title and position of President & CEO at the firm Lighthouse Youth Services, Inc. affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

Paul F. Haffner
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18. day of FEBRUARY 20 20

Pamela Oeffler
(Notary Public),

HAMILTON County.

My commission expires 4-1-25 20 25



PAMELA OEFFLER
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
April 1, 2025



Department of
Job and Family Services

Mike DeWine, Governor
Kimberly Hall, Director

April 8, 2019

Paul Haffner, Board President
Lighthouse Youth Services
401 E. McMillan Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45206

RE: Issuance of a Full Certificate to Perform Specific Functions to: Lighthouse Youth Services, 401 E. McMillan Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45206 (Recertification - Study ID# 82538)

Dear Mr. Haffner:

The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) is hereby issuing a full certificate to the above named agency to perform the functions identified below, in accordance with all applicable Chapters of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). Enclosed is a copy of the certificate that is in effect from **February 3, 2019 through February 2, 2021**. The original certificate has been sent to the agency's administrator.

The following functions are hereby under full certification:

1. To operate a Children's Residential Center, with a capacity of 58 male children from 14 to 17 years of age, and if mentally or physically handicapped persons under 21 years of age, known as:

Paint Creek
1071 Tong Hollow Road
Bainbridge, Ohio 45612
Ross County

To operate a Children's Residential Center, with a capacity of 15 children from 12 to 17 years of age, and if mentally or physically handicapped persons under 21 years of age, known as:

Youth Development Center
3330 Jefferson Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio 45220
Hamilton County

To operate a Children's Residential Center, with a capacity of 12 children from 12 to 17 years of age, and if mentally or physically handicapped persons under 21 years of age, known as:

New Beginnings
6124 Dryden Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio 45213
Hamilton County

2. To operate or provide Independent Living arrangements;
3. To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Family Foster Homes for certification;
4. To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Treatment Foster Homes for certification;
5. To participate in the placement of children in Foster Homes; and
6. To participate in the placement of children for Adoption.

30 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215
jfs.ohio.gov

This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

The full certificate to perform the above listed functions extends to the agency's branch office(s) located at:

2314 Iowa Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45206
Hamilton County

Although the review completed by ODJFS showed your agency to be in acceptable compliance with applicable OAC rules, the following noncompliance areas were cited. A Corrective Action Plan has been submitted and approved for each of the following areas:

Review Noncompliance

RULE	RULE TITLE
OAC 5101:2-9-03(E)(6)(J)(K)	Staff Development and Evaluation
OAC 5101:2-9-08 (A)(6)	Fire Safety
OAC 5101:5-9-12(A)(1)(2)	Service Plans
OAC 5101:5-9-14 (A)(B)(6)(D)	Medications
OAC 5101:2-9-23(B)	Notification and Documentation of Critical Incidents
OAC 5101:2-5-08(A)(6)	PCPA and PNA Governance and Administration
OAC 5101:2-5-09(C)	Personnel and Prohibited Convictions for Employment
OAC 5101:2-5-17 (B)(2)(3)	Discharge Summary
OAC 5101:2-5-33 (G)	Foster Caregiver Preplacement and Continuing Training
OAC 5101:2-48-12.1(I)(R)	Adoption Homestudy Update
OAC 5101:2-48-12(Y)(E)	Completion of the Adoption Homestudy
OAC 5101:2-48-12.2(A)	Required Notification and Adoption Homestudy Amendments

If you have any questions, please contact Rowena Hayslip, Licensing/Certification Specialist at Dayton Field Office, 6680 Poe Avenue, Suite 350, Dayton, Ohio, 45414 at (937) 264-5740 or e-mail at Rowena.Hayslip@jfs.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,



Carla K. Carpenter
Deputy Director
Office of Families and Children

Enclosure

c: Jodi Harding, Chief Operating Officer
Colleen Tucker, OFC
Lakeisha Hilton, OFC
Gina Velotta, OFC
Rowena Hayslip, OFC
File

**State of Ohio
Department of Job and Family Services**

**Mike DeWine
Governor**

This is to Certify that

**LIGHTHOUSE YOUTH SERVICES, INC.
401 E. MCMILLAN STREET
CINCINNATI, OHIO 45206
(RECERTIFICATION- STUDY# 82538)**

Has been inspected pursuant to Chapter 5103, of the Ohio Revised Code and applicable Ohio Administrative Code rules.
The specific functions which the agency is certified to perform are listed below and explained in detail in the accompanying letter.

To operate a Children's Residential center(s)

To operate or provide Independent Living arrangements

To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Family Foster homes for certification

To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Treatment Foster homes for certification

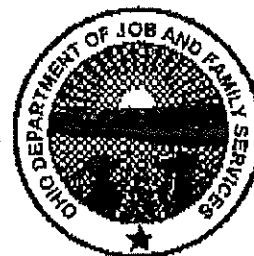
To participate in the placement of children in Foster homes

To participate in the placement of children for Adoption

This certificate is effective From February 3, 2019 To February 2, 2021

Temporary certificate expiration date To _____

Unless sooner revoked or amended by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services





CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
02/12/2020

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an **ADDITIONAL INSURED**, the policy(ies) must have **ADDITIONAL INSURED** provisions or be endorsed. If **SUBROGATION IS WAIVED**, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER The James B. Oswald Company 441 Vine Street Suite 3401 Cincinnati OH 45202	CONTACT NAME: Deirdre Oliver PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (513) 909-2357 E-MAIL ADDRESS: doliver@oswaldcompanies.com	FAX (A/C, No):
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: Philadelphia Insurance Companies	
INSURED Lighthouse Youth & Family Services 401 E. McMillan St. Cincinnati OH 45206-1922	INSURER B:	
	INSURER C:	
	INSURER D:	
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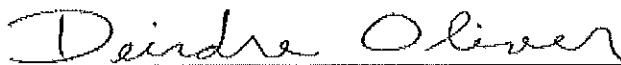
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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

Proof of Insurance

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

CANCELLATION

Warren County Children Services Attn: Nicci Cepin 416 S. East Street Lebanon OH 45036	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 
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Compensation**

30 W. Spring St.
Columbus, OH 43215

Certificate of Ohio Workers' Compensation

This certifies that the employer listed below participates in the Ohio State Insurance Fund as required by law. Therefore, the employer is entitled to the rights and benefits of the fund for the period specified. This certificate is only valid if premiums and assessments, including installments, are paid by the applicable due date. To verify coverage, visit www.bwc.ohio.gov, or call 1-800-644-6292.

This certificate must be conspicuously posted.

Policy number and employer
00484490

Period Specified Below
07/01/2019 to 07/01/2020

LIGHTHOUSE YOUTH SERVICES, INC.
401 E MCMILLAN ST
CINCINNATI, OH 45206-1922



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Stephanie B. McCloud
Administrator/CEO

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Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation

Required Posting

Section 4123.54 of the Ohio Revised Code requires notice of rebuttable presumption. Rebuttable presumption means an employee may dispute or prove untrue the presumption (or belief) that alcohol, marihuana or a controlled substance not prescribed by the employee's physician is the proximate cause (main reason) of the work-related injury.

The burden of proof is on the employee to prove the presence of alcohol, marihuana or a controlled substance was not the proximate cause of the work-related injury. An employee who tests positive or refuses to submit to chemical testing may be disqualified for compensation and benefits under the Workers' Compensation Act.

Ohio

**Bureau of Workers'
Compensation**

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Resolution

Number 20-0487

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AGREEMENT AND ADDENDUM WITH FOCUS ON YOUTH, INC. AS A CHILD PLACEMENT AND RELATED SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON BEHALF OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into the agreement and addendum with Focus on Youth, Inc., on behalf of Warren County Children Services, for calendar year 2020-2021, for the services of a child placement and related services provider; copy of agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a— Focus on Youth, Inc.
Children Services (file)

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT

This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between Warren County Children Services, a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is:

Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

and Focus on Youth, Inc., hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

Focus on Youth, Inc.
8904 Brookside Ave
West Chester, OH 45069

Collectively the "Parties."

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RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Agency is responsible under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Title 51, Chapter 5153 for the provision of protective services for dependent, neglected, and abused children; and,

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized under ORC Title 51, Chapter 5153.16 to provide care and services which it deems to be in the best interest of any child who needs or is likely to need public care and services; and,

WHEREAS, the Provider is an organization duly organized and validly existing and is qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Ohio or in the state where the placement facility or foster home is located and has all requisite legal power and authority to execute this Agreement and to carry out its terms, conditions and provisions, and is licensed, certified or approved to provide placement and related services to children in accordance with Ohio law or the state where the placement facility or foster home is located.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and responsibilities set forth herein, the Agency and Provider agree as follows:

Article I. SCOPE OF PLACEMENT SERVICES

In addition to the services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work, Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services specified in each Individual Child Care Agreement (ICCA) for children in the care and custody of the Title IV-E Agency. The ICCA shall be consistent with current federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Provider's license or certified functions and services. If an Agreement and ICCA both exist, the Agreement supersedes.

Section 1.01 FOR CONTRACTS COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

Without limiting the services set forth herein, Provider will provide the Services pursuant to and consistent with the Requests for Proposals (RFP) and the Provider's Proposal submitted in response to the RFP, the Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.02 FOR CONTRACTS NOT COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

The Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in the Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.03 EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are deemed to be a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work;
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable);
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Response to the Request for Proposals (if applicable); and
- D. Exhibit IV – Schedule A Rate Information.

Article II. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from **04/01/2020** through **05/31/2021**, unless this Agreement is suspended or terminated pursuant to Article IX prior to the termination date.

In addition to the initial term described above, this Agreement may be extended at the option of the Agency and upon written agreement of the Provider. Notice of Agency's intention to extend the Agreement shall be provided in writing to Provider no less than 90 calendar days before the expiration of any Agreement term then in effect. (If a previous Request for Proposal [RFP] allows, the Agreement may be extended for a period of time to ensure adequate completion of the Agency's competitive procurement process at the rates existing for the term then in effect.)

Article III. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement and all Exhibits are intended to supplement and complement each other and shall, where possible, be so interpreted. However, if any provision of this Agreement irreconcilably conflicts with an Exhibit, this Agreement takes precedence over the Exhibit(s).

In the event there is an inconsistency between the Exhibit(s), the inconsistency shall be resolved in the following order:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work; then
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable); then
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Proposals (if applicable); then
- D. Exhibit IV – Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information.

Article IV. DEFINITIONS GOVERNING THIS AGREEMENT

The following definitions govern this Agreement:

- A. Agreement means this Agreement, addenda and exhibits thereto.
- B. Material Breach shall mean an act or omission that violates or contravenes an obligation required under the Agreement and which, by itself or together with one or more other breaches, has a negative effect on, or thwarts the purpose of the Agreement as stated herein. A Material Breach shall not include an act or omission, which has a trivial or negligible effect on the quality, quantity, or delivery of the goods and services to be provided under the Agreement.
- C. Child(ren) means any person under eighteen years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped person under twenty-one years of age in the Agency's custody and under the care of the Provider for the provision of placement services.
- D. All other definitions to be resolved through Federal Regulations, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5101:2-1-01 and any related cross-references.

Article V. PROVIDER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Provider agrees to participate with Agency in the development and implementation of the Case Plan and ICCA including participation in case reviews and / or semi-annual administrative reviews, and the completion of reunification assessments for the children in placement with the Provider. Parties shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- B. Provider agrees to provide services agreed to in the Case Plan and ICCA (i.e., transportation of children for routine services, including, but not limited to, court hearings, medical appointments, school therapy, recreational activities, visitations/family visits) unless otherwise negotiated in writing as an attachment to this Agreement. Any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual-agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process. The cost of providing these services is to be included in the Agency approved per diem.
- C. Provider agrees to ensure that any and all persons who may act as alternative caregivers or who have contact with the children are suitable for interaction pursuant to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- D. Provider agrees that all caregivers must be approved by the Agency.
- E. Provider agrees to submit a progress report as negotiated by the parties for each child. The progress report will be based on the agreed upon services to be delivered to the child and/or family and will include documentation of services provided to the child and/or discharge summary. If Monthly Progress Reports are not received within 90 calendar days following the month of service provision, payment may be withheld at the Agency's discretion.
 - 1. Monthly Progress Reports shall be submitted by the 20th of the month following the month of service.
 - 2. The Monthly Progress Report will include the following medical related information:
 - a. Service type (i.e. medical, dental, vision, etc.);
 - b. Date(s) of service;
 - c. Reason for visit (i.e. routine, injury, etc.);
 - d. Practitioner name, address and contact number;
 - e. Name of hospital, practice, urgent care, etc.;
 - f. Prescribed medications and dosages;
 - g. Date(s) medication(s) were prescribed or changed; and
 - h. Changes to medications.
- F. Placement changes, emergency or non-emergency, shall occur only with the approval of the Agency. The following information shall be provided to the Agency for all placement changes: Name, address and phone number of the new foster home or other out-of-home care setting, the license/home study of the new care provider within 24 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.
- G. Provider agrees to notify all Agencies who have children placed in the same caregiver's home/group home/CRC when any child residing in the placement is critically injured or dies in that location. Notification will be made to the Agencies' Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline number or assigned Caseworker immediately.
- H. Notification to the Agency of Emergency Critical Incidents shall occur ASAP but no later than one hour of the Incident becoming known. Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or

assigned Caseworker or by other established system. Critical incidents are those incidents defined in the Ohio Administrative Code that are applicable to the licensed or certified programs(ODJFS 5101:2-7-14, 5101:2-9-23 ODMHAS 5122-30-16, 5122-26-13, OAC 5123-17-02).

Emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. Absent Without Leave (AWOL);
2. Child Alleging Physical or Sexual Abuse/Neglect;
3. Death of Child;
4. Illicit drug/alcohol use, Abuse of medication or toxic substance;
5. Sudden injury or illness requiring an unplanned medical treatment or visit to the hospital;
6. Perpetrator of Delinquent/Criminal Act (Assault, Dangerous Behaviors, Homicidal Behaviors);
7. School Expulsion/Suspension (formal action by school);
8. Self-Injury (Suicidal Behaviors, Self-Harm Requiring external Medical Treatment, Hospital or ER);
9. Victim of assault, neglect, physical or sexual abuse;
10. The filing of any law enforcement report involving the child.

I. The Provider also agrees to notify the Agency within Twenty-four (24) hours, of any non-emergency situations. Non-emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. When physical restraint is used/applied; and
2. Medication lapses or errors.

Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline/assigned Caseworker or by other established notification system.

- J. Documentation of the emergency and non-emergency incidents as identified in "H and I" above shall be provided to the Agency via email, fax or other established notification system within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.
- K. The Provider agrees to submit each child's assessment and treatment plans as completed but no later than the 30th day of placement. Provider further agrees to provide treatment planning that will include, but is not limited to, education on or off site, preparation for integration into community-based school or vocational/job skills training, community service activities, independent living skills if age 14 or older, monitoring and supporting community adjustment.
- L. The Provider agrees to participate in joint planning with the Agency regarding modification to case plan services. Provider agrees that while the Provider may have input into the development of the child's case plan services and the ICCA, any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process.
- M. The Provider shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Agency prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. A placement Preservation meeting shall be held within seven (7) business days of said request. Unless otherwise mutually agreed upon a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice shall be given if placement preservation is unable to be achieved. A Discharge Plan Summary shall be provided no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of discharge in accordance with the applicable licensed or certified program. (OAC 5101:2-5-17, OAC 5122-30-22, OAC 5122-30-04, OAC 5123:2-3-05).
- N. The Provider shall work in cooperation and collaboration with the Agency to provide information for each child's Lifebook and will fully comply with the provision of OAC 5101:2-42-67 as applicable to private Providers. Provider's contribution to the Agency Lifebook for a child shall be for the episode of care with the Provider.
- O. The Provider agrees to provide Independent Living Services as set forth in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-19 for all children age 14 and above.
- P. When applicable, due to the Provider being part of a managed care agreement as defined in OAC 5101:2-1-01, the Provider agrees to visit with the child face-to-face in the foster home, speak privately with the child and to meet with the caregiver at least monthly in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- Q. The Provider agrees to maintain its licenses and certifications from any source in good standing. The Provider agrees to report to Agency in writing any change in licensure or certification that negatively impacts such standing immediately if the negative action results in a temporary license, suspension of license or termination of license.
- R. Provider agrees that the reasonable and prudent parent standard training required by SEC. 471, [42 U.S.C. 671] of the Social Security Act and in accordance to OAC 5101:2-5-33, OAC 5101:2-9-02, or OAC 5101:2-9-03 has been

completed.

- S. The Provider shall notify Agency of any changes in its status, such as intent to merge with another business or to close no later than forty-five (45) business days prior to the occurrence.
- T. The Provider agrees that the Agency shall have access to foster parent home studies and re-certifications for foster parents caring for children in placement, subject to confidentiality considerations. The Provider shall submit to Agency a copy of the current foster home license at the time of placement and recertification. Provider also agrees to notify Agency within twenty-four (24) hours of any change in the status of the foster home license.
- U. When there is a rule violation of a caregiver, a copy of the corrective action plan, if applicable, must be submitted to the Agency when the investigation is complete.
- V. The Provider agrees to notify the Agency of scheduling no less than fourteen (14) calendar days prior to all formal meetings (i.e. FTMs, Treatment Team Meetings, IEPs, etc.).
- W. The Provider agrees to adhere to the following Medical/Medication guidelines:
 - 1. To provide over-the-counter medications and/or supplies as part of the per diem of care;
 - 2. To comply with the medical consent process as identified by Agency;
 - 3. Only the Agency can give permission for the administering or change (addition or elimination) of psychotropic medication and its ongoing management; and
 - 4. Provide an initial placement medical screening within 72 hours of child's placement into a placement resource under the Provider's operation and/or oversight.
- X. To arrange for required health care/medical examinations within time frames required by OAC 5101:2-42-66.1 and provide reports from the health care providers to the agency within 30 days of occurrence if the appropriate releases of information have been obtained by the Provider.
- Y. The Network Provider agrees to notify the Agency if placement resource is currently under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children or other third-party investigation.
- Z. The Provider will immediately notify the Agency:
 - 1. If the Provider is out of compliance with any licensing authority rules or the placement resource is under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children. Immediately is defined as within one hour of knowledge of the non-compliance issue.
 - 2. Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or assigned Caseworker of any allegations of abuse or neglect made against the Caregiver within one hour of gaining knowledge of the allegation.
 - 3. Of any corrective action and the result of the correction action plan. The Provider will submit a comprehensive written report to the agency within sixty (60) days of the rules violation.
 - 4. Within twenty-four (24) hours any time there is an event which would impact the placement resource license.

Article VI. AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Agency certifies that it will comply with the Multiethnic Placement Act, 108 STAT. 3518, as amended by Section 1808 of the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, 110 STAT. 1755, which prohibits any Agency from denying any person the opportunity to become an adoptive or foster parent on the basis of race, color, national origin, or delaying or denying the placement of a child for adoption or into foster care on the basis of race, color, or national origin of the adoptive or foster parent or of the child involved.
- B. The Agency shall provide to the Provider within thirty (30) calendar days of placement or within a reasonable time thereafter as agreed to by the parties, a copy of each child's social history, medical history, and Medicaid card once obtained by the Agency for new cases, or at time of placement for existing cases. Agency shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- C. Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider. The Agency acknowledges that clinical treatment decisions must be recommended by licensed clinical professionals. Agency and Provider acknowledge that disagreement with a treatment decision may be taken through the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV of this Agreement.
- D. Agency agrees to visit with the child in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- E. Agency agrees to participate in periodic meetings with each child's treatment team for case treatment plan development, review, and revision. The Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider by the Agency.

- F. Agency certifies that it will comply with Every Student Succeeds Act (34 CFR part 200) and will work with local school districts in developing individualized plans to address the transportation needed for a child to remain in the school of origin. Agency agrees to arrange for the transfer of each child's school records to the child's new school upon placement but not later than ten (10) business days. The Agency agrees to work with the Provider for the timely enrollment of the child in the receiving school district. The Agency has the final responsibility to obtain the child's school records and to enroll the child in the receiving school district.
- G. The Agency shall provide an opportunity for the Provider to give input in the development, substantive amendment or modification of case plans. The Agency agrees to notify the Provider of scheduling no less than seven (7) calendar days prior to of all formal meetings (e.g. SARs, court hearings, family team conferences, etc.).
- H. The Agency shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Provider prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. The Agency shall provide a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice for planned removals, to the Provider for each child who is being terminated from placement with the Provider, unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- I. Agency agrees to provide the Provider with an emergency contact on a twenty-four (24) hour, seven (7) day per week basis.
- J. The Agency represents:
 - 1. It has adequate funds to meet its obligations under this Agreement; subject to the availability of funds as referenced in Article VIII (I);
 - 2. It intends to maintain this Agreement for the full period set forth herein and has no reason to believe that it will not have sufficient funds to enable it to make all payments due hereunder during such period; and
 - 3. It will make its best effort to obtain the appropriation of any necessary funds during the term of this Agreement.
- K. The Agency will provide information about the child being referred for placement in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-90. Prior to a child's placement in alternative care or respite, OAC 5101:2-42-90 (D) requires the Agency to share with care givers information that could impact the health, safety, or well-being of the child or others in the home.

Article VII. INVOICING FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The Provider agrees to submit a monthly invoice following the end of the month in which services were provided. The invoice shall be for services delivered in accordance with Article I of this Agreement and shall include:
 - 1. Provider's name, address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax identification number, Title IV-E Provider number, if applicable and Medicaid Provider number, if applicable.
 - 2. Billing date and the billing period.
 - 3. Name of child, date of birth of child, and the child's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) person I.D. number.
 - 4. Admission date and discharge date, if available.
 - 5. Agreed upon per diem for maintenance and the agreed per diem administration; and
 - 6. Invoicing procedures may also include the per diems associated with the following if applicable and agreeable to the Agency and Provider:
 - a. Case Management; allowable administration cost.
 - b. Transportation, allowable maintenance cost.
 - c. Transportation; allowable administration cost.
 - d. Other Direct Services; allowable maintenance cost.
 - e. Behavioral health care; non-reimbursable cost.
 - f. Other costs - (any other cost the Title IV-E Agency has agreed to participate in); non-allowable/non-reimbursable cost.
- B. Provider warrants and represents claims made for payment for services provided are for actual services rendered and do not duplicate claims made by Provider to other sources of public funds for the same service.

Article VIII. REIMBURSEMENT FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The maximum amount payable pursuant to this contract is **\$100,000.00**.
- B. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement, the per diem for maintenance and the per diem for

administration will be paid for each day the child was in placement. The first day of placement will be paid regardless of the time the child was placed. The last day of placement will not be paid regardless of the time the child left the placement.

- C. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement and in addition to Maintenance and Administration, the Agency may agree to pay a per diem for Case Management, Other Direct Services, Transportation Administration, Transportation Maintenance, Behavioral Health Care and Other. All other services and/or fees to be paid for shall be contained in the Addendum of this Agreement.
- D. To the extent that the Provider maintains a foster care network, the agreed upon per diem for maintenance shall be the amount paid directly to the foster parent. Maintenance includes the provision of food, clothing, shelter, daily supervision, graduation expenses, a child's personal incidentals, and liability insurance with respect to the child, reasonable cost of travel to the child's home for visitation and reasonable cost of travel for the child to remain in the school the child was enrolled in at the time of placement. Payment for private Agency staff transporting a child to a home visit or keeping the child in their home school will be paid in accordance with Schedule A (Transportation Maintenance) of this Agreement.
- E. If the plan as determined by the Agency is to return the child to placement with the Provider, the Agency may agree to pay for the days that a child is temporarily absent from the direct care of the Provider, as agreed to by the parties in writing.
- F. The service provider is required to utilize Medicaid-approved healthcare providers in the appropriate managed care network for the provision of mental health, dental and/or medical services (hereafter referred to collectively as "medical services") to children in the custody of Agency. The Service Provider will report applicable Medicaid/insurance information to the healthcare providers and instruct healthcare providers to seek payment from Medicaid or any other available third-party payer for medical services rendered to children in agency custody. Agency will not pay for the provision of any medical services to children in agency custody unless the agency Executive Director or authorized designee has provided specific prior written authorization for such medical services and associated costs.
- G. The Agency agrees to pay the Provider for all services agreed to on Schedule A and in the Addendum to this Agreement, where applicable, that have been provided and documented in the child's case file. Agency shall make best efforts to make payment of undisputed charges within thirty (30) business days of receipt.
- H. In the event of a disagreement regarding payment, Agency shall withhold payment only for that portion of the placement with which it disagrees. Agency will use best efforts to notify the Provider of any invoice discrepancies. Agency and Provider will make every effort to resolve payment discrepancies within 60 calendar days. Payment discrepancies brought to the Agency after 60 days will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
- I. This Agreement is conditioned upon the availability of federal, state, or local funds appropriated or allocated for payment for services provided under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. By sole determination of the Agency, if funds are not sufficiently allocated or available for the provision of the services performed by the Provider hereunder, the Agency reserves the right to exercise one of the following alternatives:
 1. Reduce the utilization of the services provided under this Agreement, without change to the terms and conditions of the Agreement; or
 2. Issue a notice of intent to terminate the Agreement.

The Agency will notify the Provider at the earliest possible time of such decision. No penalty shall accrue to the Agency in the event either of these provisions is exercised. The Agency shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or for any damages as a result of termination under this section.

Any denial of payment for service(s) rendered may be appealed in writing and will be part of the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV.

Article IX. TERMINATION; BREACH AND DEFAULT

- A. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience prior to the expiration of the term then in effect by either the Agency or the Provider upon written notification given no less than sixty (60) calendar days in advance by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the last known address of the terminated party shown hereinabove or at such other address as may hereinafter be specified in writing.
- B. If Provider fails to provide the Services as provided in this Agreement for any reason other than Force Majeure, or if Provider otherwise Materially Breaches this Agreement, Agency may consider Provider in default. Agency agrees to give Provider thirty (30) days written notice specifying the nature of the default and its intention to terminate. Provider shall have seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such notice to provide a written plan of action to Agency to cure such default. Agency is required to approve or disapprove such plan within five (5)

calendar days of receipt. In the event Provider fails to submit such plan or Agency disapproves such plan, Agency has the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Provider. If Provider fails to cure the default in accordance with an approved plan, then Agency may terminate this Agreement at the end of the thirty (30) day notice period.

- C. Upon the effective date of the termination, the Provider agrees that it shall cease work on the terminated activities under this Agreement, take all necessary or appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize costs, and furnish a report as of the date of discharge of the last child describing the status of all work under this Agreement, including without limitation, results accomplished, conclusions resulting therefrom, and such other matters as the Agency may require. The Agency agrees to remove all children in placement immediately with the Provider, consistent with the effective termination date. In all instances of termination, the Provider and Agency agree that they shall work in the best interests of children placed with the Provider to secure alternative placements for all children affected by the termination.
- D. In the event of termination, the Provider shall be entitled to reimbursement, upon submission of an invoice, for the agreed upon per diem incurred prior to the effective termination date. The reimbursement will be calculated by the Agency based on the per diem set forth in Article VIII. The Agency shall receive credit for reimbursement already made when determining the amount owed to the Provider. The Agency is not liable for costs incurred by the Provider after the effective termination date of the discharge of the last child.
- E. Notwithstanding the above, Agency may immediately terminate this Agreement upon delivery of a written notice of termination to the Provider under the following circumstances:
 - 1. Improper or inappropriate activities;
 - 2. Loss of required licenses;
 - 3. Actions, inactions or behaviors that may result in harm, injury or neglect of a child;
 - 4. Unethical business practices or procedures; and
 - 5. Any other event that Agency deems harmful to the well-being of a child; or
 - 6. Loss of funding as set forth in Article VIII.
- F. If the Agreement is terminated by Agency due to breach or default of any of the provisions, obligations, or duties embodied therein by the Provider, Agency may exercise any administrative, agreement, equitable, or legal remedies available, without limitation. Any extension of the time periods set forth above shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights or remedies the Agency may have under this Agreement.
- G. In the event of termination under this ARTICLE, both the Provider and the placing Agency shall make good faith efforts to minimize adverse effect on children resulting from the termination of the Agreement.

Article X. RECORDS RETENTION ,CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Provider agrees that all records, documents, writings or other information, including, but not limited to, financial records, census records, client records and documentation of legal compliance with Ohio Administrative Code rules, produced by the Provider under this Agreement, and all records, documents, writings or other information, including but not limited to financial, census and client used by the Provider in the performance of this Agreement are treated according to the following terms:
 - 1. All records relating to costs, work performed and supporting documentation for invoices submitted to the Agency by the Provider along with copies of all Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, submitted to the Agency pursuant to this Agreement will be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after reimbursement for services rendered under this Agreement.
 - 2. If an audit, litigation, or other action is initiated during the time period of the Agreement, the Provider shall retain such records until the action is concluded and all issues resolved or three (3) years have expired, whichever is later.
 - 3. All records referred to in Section A 1) of this Article shall be available for inspection and audit by the Agency or other relevant agents of the State of Ohio (including, but not limited to, the County Prosecutor, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), the Auditor of the State of Ohio, the Inspector General of Ohio, or any duly authorized law enforcement officials), and the United States Department of Health and Human Services within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The Provider agrees to keep all financial records in a manner consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- C. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal and state laws applicable to the Agency and the confidentiality of children and families. Provider understands access to the identities of any Agency's child and families shall only be

as necessary for the purpose of performing its responsibilities under this Agreement. No identifying information on child(ren) served will be released for research or other publication without the express written consent of the Agency. Provider agrees that the use or disclosure of information concerning the child for any purpose not directly related to the administration of this Agreement is prohibited. Provider shall ensure all the children's and families' documentation is protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner.

- D. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws related to the confidentiality and transmission of medical records, including, but not limited to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- E. Although information about, and generated under, this Agreement may fall within the public domain, the Provider shall not release information about, or related to, this Agreement to the general public or media verbally, in writing, or by any electronic means without prior approval from the Agency, unless the Provider is required to release requested information by law. Agency reserves the right to announce to the general public and media: award of the Agreement, Agreement terms and conditions, scope of work under the Agreement, Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, and results obtained under the Agreement. Except where Agency approval has been granted in advance, the Provider shall not seek to publicize and will not respond to unsolicited media queries requesting: announcement of Agreement award, Agreement terms and conditions, Agreement scope of work, government-furnished documents the Agency may provide to the Provider to fulfill the Agreement scope of work, Deliverables required under the Agreement, results obtained under the Agreement, and impact of Agreement activities.
- F. If contacted by the media about this Agreement, the Provider agrees to notify the Agency in lieu of responding immediately to media queries. Nothing in this section is meant to restrict the Provider from using Agreement information and results to market to specific business prospects.
- G. Client data must be protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner whether located in Provider's facilities, stored in the Cloud, or used on mobile devices outside Provider's facility. Security of Provider's network, data storage, and mobile devices must conform to generally recognized industry standards and best practices. Maintenance of a secure processing environment includes, but is not limited to, network firewall provisioning, intrusion detection, antivirus protection, regular third-party vulnerability assessments, and the timely application of patches, fixes and updates to operating systems and applications.
- H. Provider agrees that it has implemented and shall maintain during the term of this Agreement the highest standard of administrative, technical, and physical safeguards and controls to:
 - 1. Ensure the security and confidentiality of data;
 - 2. Protect against any anticipated security threats or hazards to the security or integrity of data; and
 - 3. Protect against unauthorized access to or use of data. Such measures shall include at a minimum:
 - a. Access controls on information systems, including controls to authenticate and permit access to data only to authorized individuals and controls to prevent Provider employees from providing data to unauthorized individuals who may seek to obtain this information (whether through fraudulent means or otherwise);
 - b. Firewall protection;
 - c. Encryption of electronic data while in transit from Provider networks to external networks;
 - d. Measures to store in a secure fashion all data which shall include multiple levels of authentication;
 - e. Measures to ensure that data shall not be altered or corrupted without the prior written consent of the Agency;
 - f. Measures to protect against destruction, loss or damage of data due to potential environmental hazards, such as fire and water damage.
- I. Immediately upon discovery of a confirmed or suspected breach involving data, Provider will notify Agency no later than twenty-four (24) hours after Provider knows or reasonably suspects a breach has or may have occurred. Provider shall promptly take all appropriate or legally required corrective actions and shall cooperate fully with the Agency in all reasonable and lawful efforts to prevent, mitigate or rectify such data breach. In the event of a suspected breach, Provider shall keep the Agency informed of the progress of its investigation until the uncertainty is resolved.
- J. In the event the Provider does not carry the appropriate cyber security insurance to cover a security breach, the Provider shall reimburse the Agency for actual costs incurred, including, but not limited to, providing clients affected by a security breach with notice of the breach, and/or complimentary access for credit monitoring services, which the Agency deems necessary to protect such affected client.
- K. In the event the Agency discontinues operation, all child records for residential or any other placement settings shall be provided to the custodial agency. If the setting is licensed by ODJFS, licensing records shall be sent to:

ODJFS
ATTN: Licensing
P.O. Box 183204
Columbus, OH 43218-3204

Article XI. PROVIDER ASSURANCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- A. As applicable to the Provider's license and/or certification, the Provider certifies compliance with ORC 2151.86, ORC 5103.0328, ORC 5103.0319 and applicable OAC Sections as defined in Article XXII of this Agreement concerning criminal record checks, arrests, convictions and guilty pleas relative to foster caregivers, employees, volunteers and interns who are involved in the care for a child. Provider is responsible for any penalties, financial or otherwise, that may accrue because of noncompliance with this provision.
- B. To the extent that the Provider maintains a residential center or group home, the Provider agrees to comply with the provisions of their licensing Agency that relates to the operation, safety and maintenance of residential facilities. Specifically, Provider agrees that no firearm or other projectile weapon and no ammunition for such weapons will be kept on the premises.
- C. Provider certifies compliance with Drug Free Work Place Requirements as outlined in 45 C.F.R. Part 76, Subpart F.
- D. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 80, Non-Discrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- E. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 84, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- F. Provider certifies compliance 45 C.F.R. Part 90, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- G. Provider certifies compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336.
- H. Provider certifies that it will:
1. Provide a copy of its license(s), certification, accreditation or a letter extending an expiring license, certification, or accreditation from the issuer to the Agency prior to the signing of the Agreement.
 2. Maintain its license(s), certification, accreditation and that upon receipt of the renewal of its license, certification, and/or accreditation or upon receipt of a letter extending an expiring license, certification, and/or accreditation from the issuer, a copy of the license, certification and/or accreditation will be provided to the Agency within five (5) business days.
 3. Provider shall immediately notify the Agency of any action, modification or issue relating to said licensure, accreditation or certification.
- I. Provider certifies that it will not deny or delay services to eligible persons because of the person's race, color, religion, national origin, gender, orientation, disability, or age.
- J. The Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR part 60.
- K. Provider further agrees to comply with OAC 5101:9-2-01 and OAC 5101:9-2-05(A)(4), as applicable, which require that assure that persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) can meaningfully access services. To the extent Provider provides assistance to an LEP Child through the use of an oral or written translator or interpretation services in compliance with this requirement, the LEP Child shall not be required to pay for such assistance.
- L. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857 (h) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 C.F.R. Part 15).
- M. The Provider certifies compliance, where applicable, with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- N. The Provider certifies that all approvals, licenses, or other qualifications necessary to conduct business in Ohio have been obtained and are current.
- O. Provider shall comply with the Small Business Job Protection Act (Public Law ("P.L.") 104-188), the Multiethnic

Placement Act of 1994 (P.L. 103-382), Titles IV-B (42 U.S.C. 620 et seq.) and IV-E (42 U.S.C. 670 et seq.) of the Social Security Act ("the Act"), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-193), Section 471(a) of Title IV-E of the Act (42 U.S.C. 671(a)), and 45 C.F.R. 1356, including all rules, regulations and guidelines issued by federal and state authorities, OAC 5101:9-4-07 and OAC 5101:2-47-23.1.

Article XII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The Provider and the Agency agree that no employment, joint venture, or partnership has been or will be created between the parties hereto pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- B. The Provider and the Agency agree that the Provider is an independent contractor and assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums which may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or Deliverables rendered hereunder.
- C. The Provider and the Agency agree that no person and/or entities entering into this Agreement, nor any individual employed by any person or entity entering in to this Agreement, are public employees for purposes of contributions to Ohio Public Employees Retirement system by virtue of any work performed or services rendered in accordance with this Agreement.

Article XIII. AUDITS AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Provider agrees to submit to Agency a copy of the independent audit it receives in accordance with ORC 5103.0323.
- B. Upon request from the Agency, Provider shall submit a copy of the most recent Federal income tax return and related schedules filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- C. If Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, Provider agrees to timely file its Title IV-E cost report with all required items as outlined in OAC 5101:2-47-26.2 to ODJFS. Provider agrees that in the event a cost report cannot be timely filed, an extension shall be requested prior to the December 31st filing deadline.
- D. If a Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, an Agreed Upon Procedures engagement must be conducted by a certified public accountant for the Provider's cost report in accordance with OAC 5101:2-47-26.2. The procedures are conducted to verify the accuracy of costs used to establish reimbursement ceilings for maintenance and administration costs of child in care. Any overpayments or underpayment of federal funds to the Title IV-E Agency due to adjustments of cost report reimbursement ceiling amounts as a result of an audit, shall be resolved in accordance with ORC 5101.11, ORC 5101.14, and OAC 5101:2-47-01.
- E. Upon request from the Agency, the Provider shall submit a copy of the JFS 02911 and Agreed Upon Procedures.
- F. For financial reporting purposes and for Title IV-E cost reporting purposes, Provider agrees to follow the cost principles set forth in the following OAC Sections and publications:
 - 1. OAC 5101:2-47-11: "Reimbursement for Title IV-E foster care maintenance (FCM) costs for children's residential centers (CRC), group homes, maternity homes, residential parenting facilities, private foster homes, and substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities".
 - 2. OAC 5101:2-47-26.1: "Public child services agencies (PCSA), private child placing agencies (PCPA), private noncustodial agencies (PNA), residential care facilities, substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities: Title IV-E cost report filing requirements, record retention requirements, and related party disclosure requirements";
 - 3. OAC 5101:2-47-26.2: "Cost Report Agreed Upon Procedures Engagement".
 - 4. JFS 02911 Single Cost Report Instructions.
 - 5. For Private Agencies: 2 CFR part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Government.
 - 6. For Public Agencies: 2 CFR part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations.
 - 7. 2 CFR part 200.501, Audit Requirements.

Article XIV. GRIEVANCE /DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

In the event that a dispute arises under the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth below:

- 1. The party complaining of a dispute shall provide written notice of the nature of the dispute to the other party to this Agreement. A copy of the notice shall be sent to the Director or designee of the Agency and to the Executive Director or designee of the Provider. Within ten (10) business days of receiving the notice of a dispute, the parties involved in the dispute between the Agency and the Provider shall attempt to resolve the dispute.

2. If the parties are unable to resolve the dispute in (1 business day), the highest official or designee of the Agency shall make the final determination within twenty (20) business days, which will be non-binding.
3. Neither party will be deemed to have waived any other rights or remedies available to them by initiating, participating in or completing this process.

Article XV. AMENDMENTS

This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits hereto constitutes the entire Agreement and may be amended only with a written amendment signed by both parties; however, it is agreed by the parties that any amendments to laws or regulations cited herein will result in the correlative modification of this Agreement, without the necessity for executing written amendments. The impact of any applicable law, statute, or regulation not cited herein and enacted after the date of execution of this Agreement will be incorporated into this Agreement by written amendment signed by both parties and effective as of the date of enactment of the law, statute, or regulation. Any other written amendment to this Agreement is prospective in nature.

Article XVI. NOTICE

Unless otherwise set forth herein, all notices, requests, demands and other communications pertaining to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if delivered or mailed by certified or registered mail, postage pre-paid:

if to Agency, to	Warren County Children Services 416 S East St Lebanon, OH 45036
if to Provider , to	Focus on Youth, Inc. 8904 Brookside Ave West Chester, OH 45069.

Article XVII. CONSTRUCTION

This Agreement shall be governed, construed, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. Should any portion of this Agreement be found to be unenforceable by operation of statute or by administrative or judicial decision, the operation of the balance of this Agreement is not affected thereby; provided, however, the absence of the illegal provision does not render the performance of the remainder of the Agreement impossible.

Article XVIII. NO ASSURANCES

- A. Provider acknowledges that, by entering into this Agreement, Agency is not making any guarantees or other assurances as to the extent, if any, that Agency shall utilize Provider's services or purchase its goods. In this same regard, this Agreement in no way precludes, prevents, or restricts Provider from obtaining and working under additional arrangement(s) with other parties, assuming the work in no way impedes Provider's ability to perform the services required under this Agreement. Provider warrants that at the time of entering into this Agreement, it has no interest in nor shall it acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Agreement that will impede its ability to provide the goods or perform the services under this Agreement.
- B. This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits embodies the entire agreement of the Parties. There are no promises, terms, conditions or obligations other than those contained herein; and this Agreement shall supersede all previous communications, representations or Agreements, either written or oral, between the parties to this Agreement. Also, this Agreement shall not be modified in any manner except by an instrument, in writing, executed by both the parties.

Article XIX. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

- A. Provider agrees that the Provider, its officers, members and employees currently have no, nor will they acquire any interest, whether personal, professional, direct or indirect, which is incompatible, in conflict with or which would compromise the discharge and fulfillment of Provider's functions, duties and responsibilities hereunder. If the Provider, or any of its officers, members or employees acquire any incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest, the Provider shall immediately disclose, in writing, such interest to the Agency. If any such conflict of interest develops, the Provider agrees that the person with the incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest will not participate in any activities related to this Agreement.
- B. Provider agrees: (1) to refrain from promising or giving to Agency employees anything of value to manifest improper influence upon the employee; (2) to refrain from conflicts of interest; and, (3) to certify that Provider complies with

ORC 102.03, ORC 102.04, ORC 2921.42, ORC 2921.43.

- C. The Provider further agrees that there is no financial interest involved on the part of the Agency or the respective county authority(ies) governing the agency. The Provider has no knowledge of any situation which would be a conflict of interest. It is understood that a conflict of interest occurs when an Agency employee or county official will gain financially or receive personal favors as a result of signing or implementation of this agreement. The Provider will report the discovery of any potential conflict of interest to the Agency. Should a conflict of interest be discovered during the term of this agreement, the Agency may exercise any right under the agreement, including termination of the agreement.

Article XX. INSURANCE

The Provider shall purchase and maintain for the term of this Agreement insurance of the types and amounts identified herein. Maintenance of the proper insurance for the duration of the Agreement is a material element of the Agreement.

Provider agrees to procure and maintain for the term of this Agreement the insurance set forth herein. The cost of all insurance shall be borne by Provider. Insurance shall be purchased from a company licensed to provide insurance in Ohio. Insurance is to be placed with an insurer provided an A.M. Best rating of no less than A-. Provider shall purchase the following coverage and minimum limits:

- A. Commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage contained in the most current Insurance Services Office Occurrence Form CG 00 01 or equivalent with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) in the aggregate and at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) coverage in legal liability fire damage. Coverage will include:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Product liability;
 3. Blanket contractual liability;
 4. Broad form property damage;
 5. Severability of interests;
 6. Personal injury; and
 7. Joint venture as named insured (if applicable).
- Endorsements for physical abuse claims and for sexual molestation claims must be a minimum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) per occurrence and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in the aggregate.
- B. Business auto liability insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit, on all owned, non-owned, leased and hired automobiles. If the Agreement contemplates the transportation of the users of County services (such as but not limited to Agency consumers), "Consumers" and Provider provides this service through the use of its employees' privately owned vehicles "POV", then the Provider's Business Auto Liability insurance shall sit excess to the employees "POV" insurance and provide coverage above its employee's "POV" coverage. Provider agrees the business auto liability policy will be endorsed to provide this coverage.
- C. Professional liability (errors and omission) insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per claim and in the aggregate.
- D. Umbrella and excess liability insurance policy with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate, above the commercial general and business auto primary policies and containing the following coverage:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Pay on behalf of wording;
 3. Concurrency of effective dates with primary;
 4. Blanket contractual liability;
 5. Punitive damages coverage (where not prohibited by law);
 6. Aggregates: apply where applicable in primary; .
 7. Care, custody and control – follow form primary; and
 8. Drop down feature.

The amounts of insurance required in this section for General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability may be satisfied by Provider purchasing coverage for the limits specified or by any combination of underlying and umbrella limits, so long as the total amount of insurance is not less than the limits specified in

General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability when added together.

E. Workers' Compensation insurance at the statutory limits required by Ohio Revised code.

F. The Provider further agrees with the following provisions:

1. All policies, except workers' compensation and professional liability, will endorse as additional insured the Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers, including their Board of Trustees if applicable. The additional insured endorsement shall be on an ACORD or ISO form.
2. The insurance endorsement forms and the certificate of insurance forms will be sent to the Agency Director or Designee. The forms must state the following: "Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are endorsed as additional insured as required by agreement on the commercial general, business auto and umbrella/excess liability policies."
3. Each policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled or materially changed except after thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice given to the Agency Director or Designee.
4. Provider shall furnish the Agency with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received by the Agency before the Agreement commences. The Agency reserves the right at any time to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.
5. Failure of the Agency to demand such certificate or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of the Agency to identify a deficiency from evidence provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Provider's obligation to maintain such insurance.
6. Provider shall declare any self-insured retention to the Agency pertaining to liability insurance. Provider shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the Agency guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses for any self-insured retention.
7. If Provider provides insurance coverage under a "claims-made" basis, Provider shall provide evidence of either of the following for each type of insurance which is provided on a claims-made basis: unlimited extended reporting period coverage, which allows for an unlimited period of time to report claims from incidents that occurred after the policy's retroactive date and before the end of the policy period (tail coverage), or; continuous coverage from the original retroactive date of coverage. The original retroactive date of coverage means original effective date of the first claim-made policy issued for a similar coverage while Provider was under Agreement with the County on behalf of the Agency.
8. Provider will require all insurance policies in any way related to the work and secured and maintained by Provider to include endorsements stating each underwriter will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against the County and the Agency. Provider will require of subcontractors, by appropriate written agreements, similar waivers each in favor of all parties enumerated in this section.
9. Provider, the County, and the Agency agree to fully cooperate, participate, and comply with all reasonable requirements and recommendations of the insurers and insurance brokers issuing or arranging for issuance of the policies required here, in all areas of safety, insurance program administration, claim reporting and investigating and audit procedures.
10. Provider's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance with respect to the County, the Agency, their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the County or the Agency shall be excess of Provider's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
11. If any of the work or Services contemplated by this Agreement is subcontractors, Provider will ensure that any subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements contained herein.
12. If the Agreement provider is a government entity, insurance requirements will be fulfilled under the County Risk Sharing Authority (CORSA).

Article XXI. INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by, and in compliance with, applicable law, Provider agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and the Board of County Commissioners, their respective members, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all damages, liability, losses, claims, suits, actions, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings/hearings, judgments and expenses, subrogation (of any party involved in the subject of this Agreement), attorneys' fees, court costs, defense costs or other injury or damage (collectively "Damages"), whether actual, alleged or threatened, resulting from injury or damages of any kind whatsoever to any business, entity or person (including death), or damage to property (including destruction, loss of, loss of use of resulting without injury damage or destruction) of whatsoever nature, arising out of or incident to in any way, the performance of the terms of this Agreement

including, without limitation, by Provider, its subcontractor(s), Provider's or its subcontractor(s)' employees, agents, assigns, and those designated by Provider to perform the work or services encompassed by the Agreement. Provider agrees to pay all damages, costs and expenses of the Indemnified Parties in defending any action arising out of the aforementioned acts or omissions.

- B. Each Party agrees to be responsible for any personal injury or property damage caused solely by its negligent acts or omissions as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as the parties may otherwise mutually agree in writing.
- C. This Article is not applicable to Agreements between governmental entities.

Article XXII. SCREENING AND SELECTION

A. Criminal Record Check

1. Provider warrants and represents it will comply with Article X as it relates to criminal record checks. Provider shall insure that every individual subject to a BCII check will sign a release of information to allow inspection and audit of the above criminal records transcripts or reports by the Agency or a private vendor hired by the Agency to conduct compliance reviews on their behalf.
2. Provider shall not assign any individual to work with or transport children until a BCII report and a criminal record transcript has been obtained.
3. Except as provided in Section C below, Provider shall not utilize any individual who has been convicted or plead guilty to any violations contained in ORC 5153.111(B)(1), ORC 2919.24, and OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.
4. Provider agrees to be financially responsible for any audit findings resulting in financial penalty due to lack of compliance with the criminal records checks requirements in OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.

B. Transportation of Child

1. The caregiver shall ensure the transportation of children in care will be reliable, legal and safe transportation with safety restraints, as appropriate for the child, and must be in compliance with applicable local, state and Federal transportation laws:
 - a. Maintenance of a current valid driver's license and vehicle insurance.
 - b. All children being transported by Provider must follow Ohio's Child Passenger Safety Law as defined in ORC 4511.81.
 - c. No child that is a passenger and is required to have a seat restraint can be transported by said provider until these requirements are met.
2. In addition to the requirements set forth above, Provider shall not permit any individual to transport a Child if:
 - a. The individual has a condition which would affect safe operation of a motor vehicle;
 - b. The individual has six (6) or more points on his/her driver's license; or
 - c. The individual has been convicted of, or pleaded guilty to, a violation of section 4511.19 (Operating vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – OVI or OVUAC) of the Revised Code if the individual previously was convicted of, or plead guilty to two or more violations within the three years immediately preceding the current violation.

C. Rehabilitation

1. Notwithstanding the above, Provider may make a request to the Agency to utilize an individual if Provider believes the individual has met the rehabilitative standards of OAC 5101:2-07-02(I) as follows:
 - a. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for a foster caregiver, a foster care applicant or other resident of the foster caregiver's household, Provider must provide written verification that the rehabilitation standards of OAC 5101:2-7-02 have been met.
 - b. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for any other individual serving Agency children, Provider must provide written verification from the individual that the rehabilitative conditions in accordance with OAC 5101:2-5-09 have been met.
2. The Agency shall review the facts presented and may allow the individual to work with, volunteer with or transport Agency children on a case-by-case basis. It is the Agency's sole discretion to permit a rehabilitated individual to work with, volunteer with or transport children.

D. Verification of Job or Volunteer Application:

Provider shall check and document each applicant's personal and employment references, general work history, relevant experience, and training information. Provider further agrees it will not employ an individual in relation to this Agreement unless it has received satisfactory employment references, work history, relevant experience, and training information.

Article XXIII. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL & DEGRADING PUNISHMENT

Agency prohibits the use of corporal or degrading punishment against children served by Agency and must comply with requirements in OAC 5101:2-7-09, OAC 5101:2-9-21, and OAC 5101:2-9-22

Article XXIV. FINDING FOR RECORDS

ORC 9.24 prohibits public agencies from awarding an Agreement for goods, services, or construction paid for in whole or in part from federal, state and local funds, to an entity against whom a finding for recovery has been issued if the finding is unresolved. By entering into this Agreement, Provider warrants and represents that they do not have an unresolved finding for recovery. Provider shall notify the Agency within ten (10) business days of its notification should the Provider be issued such finding by the Auditor of the State.

Article XXV. PUBLIC RECORDS

This Agreement is a matter of public record under the Ohio public records law. By entering into this Agreement, Provider acknowledges and understands that records maintained by Provider pursuant to this Agreement may also be deemed public records and subject to disclosure under Ohio law. Upon request made pursuant to Ohio law, the Agency shall make available the Agreement and all public records generated as a result of this Agreement.

Article XXVI. CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

Provider agrees to cooperate with ODJFS and any Ohio Child Support Enforcement Agency ("CSEA") in ensuring Provider and Provider's employees meet child support obligations established under state or federal law. Further, by executing this Agreement, Provider certifies present and future compliance with any court or valid administrative order for the withholding of support which is issued pursuant to the applicable sections in ORC Chapters 3119, 3121, 3123, and 3125.

Article XXVII. DECLARATION OF PROPERTY TAX DELINQUENCY

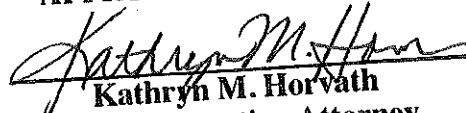
After award of an Agreement, and prior to the time the Agreement is entered into, the successful Provider shall submit a statement in accordance with ORC 5719.042. Such statement shall affirm under oath that the person with whom the Agreement is to be made was not charged at the time the bid was submitted with any delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of personal property of any county in which the taxing district has territory, or that such person was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on any such tax list, in which case the statement shall also set forth the amount of such due and unpaid delinquent taxes any due and unpaid penalties and interest thereon. If the statement indicates that the taxpayer was charged with any such taxes, a copy of the statement shall be transmitted by the fiscal officer to the county treasurer within thirty days of the date it is submitted.

A copy of the statement shall also be incorporated into the Agreement, and no payment shall be made with respect to any contract to which this section applies unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

Article XXVIII. SUBCONTRACTING AND DELEGATION

The performance of any duty, responsibility or function which is the obligation of the Provider under this Agreement may be delegated or subcontracted to any agent or subcontractor of Provider if Provider has obtained the prior written consent of the Agency for that delegation subcontract. Provider is responsible for ensuring that the duties, responsibilities or functions so delegated or subcontracted are performed in accordance with the provisions and standards of this Agreement, and the actions and omissions of any such agent or subcontractor shall be deemed to be the actions and omissions of Provider for purposes of this Agreement.

APPROVED AS TO FORM


Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

Article XXIX. PROPERTY OF AGENCY

The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the State of Ohio. The Agency is the sole author of the Deliverables and the sole owner of all rights therein. If any portion of the Deliverables are deemed not to be a "work made for hire", or if there are any rights in the Deliverables not so conveyed to the Agency, then Provider agrees to, and by executing this Agreement hereby does, assign to the Agency all worldwide rights, title, and interest in and to the Deliverables. The Agency acknowledges that its sole ownership of the Deliverables under this Agreement does not affect Provider's right to use general concepts, algorithms, programming techniques, methodologies, or technology that have been developed by Provider prior to this Agreement or that are generally known and available. Any Deliverable provided or produced by Provider under this Agreement or with funds hereunder, including any documents, data, photographs and negatives, electronic reports/records, or other media, are the property of the Agency, which has an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use the Deliverables. Provider shall not obtain copyright, patent, or other proprietary protection for the Deliverables. Provider shall not include in any Deliverable any copyrighted material, unless the copyright owner gives prior written approval for the Agency and Provider to use such copyrighted material. Provider agrees that all Deliverables will be made freely available to the general public unless the Agency determines that, pursuant to state or federal law, such materials are confidential or otherwise exempt from disclosure.

Article XXX. SEVERABILITY

If any term of this Agreement or its application thereof to any person or circumstance shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby. Each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XXXI. NO ADDITIONAL WAIVER IMPLIED

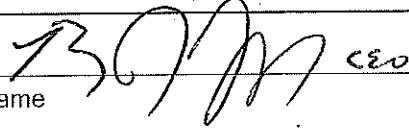
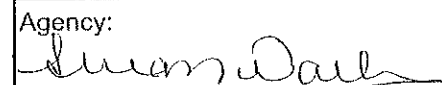
If the Agency or Provider fails to perform any obligations under this Agreement and thereafter such failure is waived by the other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular matter waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other failure hereunder, nor a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or condition. Waivers shall not be effective unless in writing.

Article XXXII. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

This Agreement and any modifications, amendments, or alterations, shall be governed, construed, and enforced under the laws of Ohio. Any legal action brought pursuant to this agreement will be filed in the Ohio courts, and Ohio law as well as Federal law will apply.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of the signature of the parties.

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

Provider: 	3/16/20
Printed Name Focus on Youth, Inc.	Date
Agency: 	
Printed Name Warren County Children Services	Date 3/17/2020

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

ADDENDA TO AGREEMENT

This Addenda sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between

a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is

hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

IV-E Agency Name Warren County Children Services		
Street/Mailing Address 416 S East St		
City Lebanon	State OH	Zip Code 45036

and

Provider Focus on Youth, Inc.		
Street/Mailing Address 8904 Brookside Ave		
City West Chester	State OH	Zip Code 45069

Contract ID : 19180219

Originally Dated :04/01/2020 to 05/31/2021

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR
THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

Amendment Number 1 :

Amendment Reason:

OTHER

Amendment Begin Date:

04/01/2020

Amendment End Date :

05/31/2021

Increased Amount:

\$0.00

Article Name:

Article I. Scope of Placement Services

Amendment Reason Narrative:

Addendum #1 attached. See Addendum #1 for details.

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information
 Agency : Warren County Children Services
 Run Date : 02/11/2020
 Provider / ID : Focus on Youth, Inc./ 24400
 Contract Period : 04/01/2020 - 05/31/2021

Service Description	Service ID	Person ID	Maintenance Per Diem	Administration Per Diem	Case Management Per Diem	Transportation / Administration Per Diem	Transportation / Maintenance Per Diem	Other Direct Services Per Diem	Behavioral Healthcare Per Diem	Other Per Diem Cost	Total Per Diem	Cost Begin Date	Cost End Date
Foster Care (30073)-FFH	373628		\$32.00	\$41.00							\$73.00	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Intensive TFC-1 (30362)-Spec Needs	985643		\$38.00	\$41.00							\$79.00	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Intensive TFC-3 (30414)-Spec Needs	5827663		\$46.00	\$41.00							\$87.00	04/01/2020	05/31/2021
Treatment Foster Care - Special Needs (30363)-Spec Needs	985644		\$63.00	\$41.00							\$104.00	04/01/2020	05/31/2021

**ADDENDUM 1 TO AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS
FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreement seek to amend certain terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services standard Agreement for Title IV-E Agencies and Providers for the Provision of Child Placement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree that the Agreement shall include the following Amendments, additional terms, and conditions that address Provider and Agency responsibilities.

AMENDMENT #1:

Wherever referenced herein and throughout the Agreement, the terms "Agency" or "Warren County Children Services" shall refer to the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, contracting authority for Warren County Children Services, entering into this Agreement on behalf of Warren County Children Services.

AMENDMENT #2:

Article V, subsection (I) shall be amended to add the following language:

3. When a strip search or cavity search is conducted.

AMENDMENT #3:

The following provisions shall be added to Article V of the Agreement:

AA. Any notification required pursuant to subsections (G), (H), or (I) of Article V shall require verbal contact with an Agency representative. Leaving a voicemail shall not constitute notification under these sections.

BB. Provider shall make available for immediate inspection upon request by the Agency any and all written policies and procedures for operation of the facility, including, but not limited to, policies relating to use of physical restraint; searches, including policies for strip searches, and cavity searches; and policies for medication administration.

AMENDMENT #4:

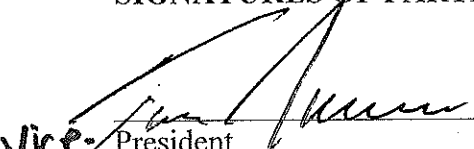
Article VI, subsection (H) of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

The language that states "thirty (30) calendar days" shall be replaced with "twenty-four (24) hours, not to exceed thirty (30) calendar days."

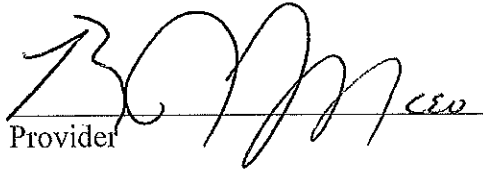
ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STANDARD AGREEMENT NOT SPECIFICALLY AMENDED, MODIFIED, ADDED, OR DELETED HEREBY SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Addendum to the Agreement by the President of the Warren County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Resolution Number 20-0487, dated 3/24/20, and by the duly authorized _____ of _____ [Provider].

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

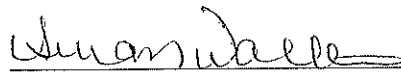
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President
Warren County Board of Commissioners
Date 3/24/2020



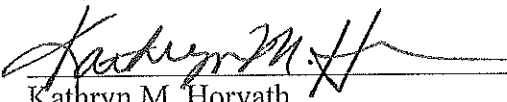
Provider
Date 3/6/20

Reviewed by:



Director
Warren County Children's Services

Approved as to Form:



Kathryn M. Horvath
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF Ohio
COUNTY OF Butler

I, Bryan Forney, holding the title and position of CEO at the firm Focus on Youth, affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

[Signature]
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of March 2020

Penny J. Dougan
(Notary Public),

Butler County.

My commission expires March 24 2021



Penny J Dougan
Notary Public
State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
March 24, 2021

**State of Ohio
Department of Job and Family Services**

**John R. Kasich
Governor**

This is to Certify that

**FOCUS ON YOUTH, INC.
8904 BROOKSIDE AVENUE
WEST CHESTER, OHIO 45069
(RECERTIFICATION- STUDY# 81674)**

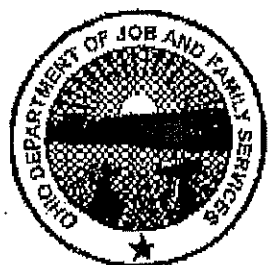
Has been inspected pursuant to Chapter 5103, of the Ohio Revised Code and applicable Ohio Administrative Code rules.
The specific functions which the agency is certified to perform are listed below and explained in detail in the accompanying letter.

- To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Family Foster homes for certification**
- To act as a representative of ODJFS in recommending Treatment Foster homes for certification**
- To participate in the placement of children in Foster homes**
- To participate in the placement of children for Adoption**

This certificate is effective From June 23, 2018 To June 22, 2020

Temporary certificate expiration date To _____

Unless sooner revoked or amended by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services





CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
6/21/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Smith & Leavitt Insurance Services Franchise Insurance Agency Inc 4942 Reed Rd Columbus OH 43220	CONTACT NAME: Rachel Lentz PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (614) 451-2232 FAX (A/C, No): (855) 720-4940 E-MAIL ADDRESS: rachel-lentz@leavitt.com
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE
INSURED Focus On Youth, Inc. 8904 Brookside Ave. West Chester OH 45069	INSURER A: First Nonprofit Insurance Company NAIC # 10859
	INSURER B: Great American Insurance Company 16691
	INSURER C:
	INSURER D:
	INSURER E:
	INSURER F:

COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 19-20 Master REVISION NUMBER:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
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B	Director/Officer Liability			EPP1817615	6/29/2019	6/29/2020	Occurrence/Aggregate 1,000,000
B	Employment Practices Liab			D&O-\$0 Ded/EPLI-\$2,500 Ded			Occurrence/Aggregate 1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER jennifer.carman@jfs.ohio.gov Warren County Childrens Services 416 S. East Street Lebanon, OH 45036	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE Rick Hammons/RALENT
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Resolution

Number 20-0488

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AGREEMENT AND ADDENDUM WITH MY BROTHER'S KEEPER AS A CHILD PLACEMENT AND RELATED SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON BEHALF OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into the agreement and addendum with My Brother's Keeper, on behalf of Warren County Children Services, for calendar year 2020-2021, for the services of a child placement and related services provider; copy of agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a— My Brother's Keeper
Children Services (file)

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT

This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between Warren County Children Services, a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is:

Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

and My Brother's Keeper, Inc., hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

My Brother's Keeper, Inc.
2510 Harrison Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45211

Collectively the "Parties."

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RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Agency is responsible under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Title 51, Chapter 5153 for the provision of protective services for dependent, neglected, and abused children; and,

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized under ORC Title 51, Chapter 5153.16 to provide care and services which it deems to be in the best interest of any child who needs or is likely to need public care and services; and,

WHEREAS, the Provider is an organization duly organized and validly existing and is qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Ohio or in the state where the placement facility or foster home is located and has all requisite legal power and authority to execute this Agreement and to carry out its terms, conditions and provisions, and is licensed, certified or approved to provide placement and related services to children in accordance with Ohio law or the state where the placement facility or foster home is located.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and responsibilities set forth herein, the Agency and Provider agree as follows:

Article I. SCOPE OF PLACEMENT SERVICES

In addition to the services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work, Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services specified in each Individual Child Care Agreement (ICCA) for children in the care and custody of the Title IV-E Agency. The ICCA shall be consistent with current federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Provider's license or certified functions and services. If an Agreement and ICCA both exist, the Agreement supersedes.

Section 1.01 FOR CONTRACTS COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

Without limiting the services set forth herein, Provider will provide the Services pursuant to and consistent with the Requests for Proposals (RFP) and the Provider's Proposal submitted in response to the RFP, the Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.02 FOR CONTRACTS NOT COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

The Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in the Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.03 EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are deemed to be a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work;
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable);
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Response to the Request for Proposals (if applicable); and
- D. Exhibit IV – Schedule A Rate Information.

Article II. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from **04/01/2020** through **05/31/2021**, unless this Agreement is suspended or terminated pursuant to Article IX prior to the termination date.

In addition to the initial term described above, this Agreement may be extended at the option of the Agency and upon written agreement of the Provider. Notice of Agency's intention to extend the Agreement shall be provided in writing to Provider no less than 90 calendar days before the expiration of any Agreement term then in effect. (If a previous Request for Proposal [RFP] allows, the Agreement may be extended for a period of time to ensure adequate completion of the Agency's competitive procurement process at the rates existing for the term then in effect.)

Article III. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement and all Exhibits are intended to supplement and complement each other and shall, where possible, be so interpreted. However, if any provision of this Agreement irreconcilably conflicts with an Exhibit, this Agreement takes precedence over the Exhibit(s).

In the event there is an inconsistency between the Exhibit(s), the inconsistency shall be resolved in the following order:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work; then
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable); then
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Proposals (if applicable); then
- D. Exhibit IV – Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information.

Article IV. DEFINITIONS GOVERNING THIS AGREEMENT

The following definitions govern this Agreement:

- A. Agreement means this Agreement, addenda and exhibits thereto.
- B. Material Breach shall mean an act or omission that violates or contravenes an obligation required under the Agreement and which, by itself or together with one or more other breaches, has a negative effect on, or thwarts the purpose of the Agreement as stated herein. A Material Breach shall not include an act or omission, which has a trivial or negligible effect on the quality, quantity, or delivery of the goods and services to be provided under the Agreement.
- C. Child(ren) means any person under eighteen years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped person under twenty-one years of age in the Agency's custody and under the care of the Provider for the provision of placement services.
- D. All other definitions to be resolved through Federal Regulations, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5101:2-1-01 and any related cross-references.

Article V. PROVIDER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Provider agrees to participate with Agency in the development and implementation of the Case Plan and ICCA including participation in case reviews and / or semi-annual administrative reviews, and the completion of reunification assessments for the children in placement with the Provider. Parties shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- B. Provider agrees to provide services agreed to in the Case Plan and ICCA (i.e., transportation of children for routine services, including, but not limited to, court hearings, medical appointments, school therapy, recreational activities, visitations/family visits) unless otherwise negotiated in writing as an attachment to this Agreement. Any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual-agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process. The cost of providing these services is to be included in the Agency approved per diem.
- C. Provider agrees to ensure that any and all persons who may act as alternative caregivers or who have contact with the children are suitable for interaction pursuant to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- D. Provider agrees that all caregivers must be approved by the Agency.
- E. Provider agrees to submit a progress report as negotiated by the parties for each child. The progress report will be based on the agreed upon services to be delivered to the child and/or family and will include documentation of services provided to the child and/or discharge summary. If Monthly Progress Reports are not received within 90 calendar days following the month of service provision, payment may be withheld at the Agency's discretion.
 - 1. Monthly Progress Reports shall be submitted by the 20th of the month following the month of service.
 - 2. The Monthly Progress Report will include the following medical related information:
 - a. Service type (i.e. medical, dental, vision, etc.);
 - b. Date(s) of service;
 - c. Reason for visit (i.e. routine, injury, etc.);
 - d. Practitioner name, address and contact number;
 - e. Name of hospital, practice, urgent care, etc.;
 - f. Prescribed medications and dosages;
 - g. Date(s) medication(s) were prescribed or changed; and
 - h. Changes to medications.
- F. Placement changes, emergency or non-emergency, shall occur only with the approval of the Agency. The following information shall be provided to the Agency for all placement changes: Name, address and phone number of the new foster home or other out-of-home care setting, the license/home study of the new care provider within 24 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.
- G. Provider agrees to notify all Agencies who have children placed in the same caregiver's home/group home/CRC when any child residing in the placement is critically injured or dies in that location. Notification will be made to the Agencies' Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline number or assigned Caseworker immediately.
- H. Notification to the Agency of Emergency Critical Incidents shall occur ASAP but no later than one hour of the Incident becoming known. Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or

assigned Caseworker or by other established system. Critical incidents are those incidents defined in the Ohio Administrative Code that are applicable to the licensed or certified programs(ODJFS 5101:2-7-14, 5101:2-9-23 ODMHAS 5122-30-16, 5122-26-13, OAC 5123-17-02).

Emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. Absent Without Leave (AWOL);
 2. Child Alleging Physical or Sexual Abuse/Neglect;
 3. Death of Child;
 4. Illicit drug/alcohol use, Abuse of medication or toxic substance;
 5. Sudden injury or illness requiring an unplanned medical treatment or visit to the hospital;
 6. Perpetrator of Delinquent/Criminal Act (Assault, Dangerous Behaviors, Homicidal Behaviors);
 7. School Expulsion/Suspension (formal action by school);
 8. Self-Injury (Suicidal Behaviors, Self-Harm Requiring external Medical Treatment, Hospital or ER);
 9. Victim of assault, neglect, physical or sexual abuse;
 10. The filing of any law enforcement report involving the child.
- I. The Provider also agrees to notify the Agency within Twenty-four (24) hours, of any non-emergency situations. Non-emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:
1. When physical restraint is used/applied; and
 2. Medication lapses or errors.
- Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse\Neglect Hotline/assigned Caseworker or by other established notification system.
- J. Documentation of the emergency and non-emergency incidents as identified in "H and I" above shall be provided to the Agency via email, fax or other established notification system within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.
- K. The Provider agrees to submit each child's assessment and treatment plans as completed but no later than the 30th day of placement. Provider further agrees to provide treatment planning that will include, but is not limited to, education on or off site, preparation for integration into community-based school or vocational/job skills training, community service activities, independent living skills if age 14 or older, monitoring and supporting community adjustment.
- L. The Provider agrees to participate in joint planning with the Agency regarding modification to case plan services. Provider agrees that while the Provider may have input into the development of the child's case plan services and the ICCA, any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process.
- M. The Provider shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Agency prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. A placement Preservation meeting shall be held within seven (7) business days of said request. Unless otherwise mutually agreed upon a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice shall be given if placement preservation is unable to be achieved. A Discharge Plan Summary shall be provided no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of discharge in accordance with the applicable licensed or certified program. (OAC 5101:2-5-17, OAC 5122-30-22, OAC 5122-30-04, OAC 5123:2-3-05).
- N. The Provider shall work in cooperation and collaboration with the Agency to provide information for each child's Lifebook and will fully comply with the provision of OAC 5101:2-42-67 as applicable to private Providers. Provider's contribution to the Agency Lifebook for a child shall be for the episode of care with the Provider.
- O. The Provider agrees to provide Independent Living Services as set forth in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-19 for all children age 14 and above.
- P. When applicable, due to the Provider being part of a managed care agreement as defined in OAC 5101:2-1-01, the Provider agrees to visit with the child face-to-face in the foster home, speak privately with the child and to meet with the caregiver at least monthly in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- Q. The Provider agrees to maintain its licenses and certifications from any source in good standing. The Provider agrees to report to Agency in writing any change in licensure or certification that negatively impacts such standing immediately if the negative action results in a temporary license, suspension of license or termination of license.
- R. Provider agrees that the reasonable and prudent parent standard training required by SEC. 471. [42 U.S.C. 671] of the Social Security Act and in accordance to OAC 5101:2-5-33, OAC 5101:2-9-02, or OAC 5101:2-9-03 has been

completed.

- S. The Provider shall notify Agency of any changes in its status, such as intent to merge with another business or to close no later than forty-five (45) business days prior to the occurrence.
- T. The Provider agrees that the Agency shall have access to foster parent home studies and re-certifications for foster parents caring for children in placement, subject to confidentiality considerations. The Provider shall submit to Agency a copy of the current foster home license at the time of placement and recertification. Provider also agrees to notify Agency within twenty-four (24) hours of any change in the status of the foster home license.
- U. When there is a rule violation of a caregiver, a copy of the corrective action plan, if applicable, must be submitted to the Agency when the investigation is complete.
- V. The Provider agrees to notify the Agency of scheduling no less than fourteen (14) calendar days prior to all formal meetings (i.e. FTMs, Treatment Team Meetings, IEPs, etc.).
- W. The Provider agrees to adhere to the following Medical/Medication guidelines:
 - 1. To provide over-the-counter medications and/or supplies as part of the per diem of care;
 - 2. To comply with the medical consent process as identified by Agency;
 - 3. Only the Agency can give permission for the administering or change (addition or elimination) of psychotropic medication and its ongoing management; and
 - 4. Provide an initial placement medical screening within 72 hours of child's placement into a placement resource under the Provider's operation and/or oversight.
- X. To arrange for required health care/medical examinations within time frames required by OAC 5101:2-42-66.1 and provide reports from the health care providers to the agency within 30 days of occurrence if the appropriate releases of information have been obtained by the Provider.
- Y. The Network Provider agrees to notify the Agency if placement resource is currently under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children or other third-party investigation.
- Z. The Provider will immediately notify the Agency:
 - 1. If the Provider is out of compliance with any licensing authority rules or the placement resource is under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children. Immediately is defined as within one hour of knowledge of the non-compliance issue.
 - 2. Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or assigned Caseworker of any allegations of abuse or neglect made against the Caregiver within one hour of gaining knowledge of the allegation.
 - 3. Of any corrective action and the result of the correction action plan. The Provider will submit a comprehensive written report to the agency within sixty (60) days of the rules violation.
 - 4. Within twenty-four (24) hours any time there is an event which would impact the placement resource license.

Article VI. AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Agency certifies that it will comply with the Multiethnic Placement Act, 108 STAT. 3518, as amended by Section 1808 of the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, 110 STAT. 1755, which prohibits any Agency from denying any person the opportunity to become an adoptive or foster parent on the basis of race, color, national origin, or delaying or denying the placement of a child for adoption or into foster care on the basis of race, color, or national origin of the adoptive or foster parent or of the child involved.
- B. The Agency shall provide to the Provider within thirty (30) calendar days of placement or within a reasonable time thereafter as agreed to by the parties, a copy of each child's social history, medical history, and Medicaid card once obtained by the Agency for new cases, or at time of placement for existing cases. Agency shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- C. Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider. The Agency acknowledges that clinical treatment decisions must be recommended by licensed clinical professionals. Agency and Provider acknowledge that disagreement with a treatment decision may be taken through the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV of this Agreement.
- D. Agency agrees to visit with the child in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- E. Agency agrees to participate in periodic meetings with each child's treatment team for case treatment plan development, review, and revision. The Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider by the Agency.

- F. Agency certifies that it will comply with Every Student Succeeds Act (34 CFR part 200) and will work with local school districts in developing individualized plans to address the transportation needed for a child to remain in the school of origin. Agency agrees to arrange for the transfer of each child's school records to the child's new school upon placement but not later than ten (10) business days. The Agency agrees to work with the Provider for the timely enrollment of the child in the receiving school district. The Agency has the final responsibility to obtain the child's school records and to enroll the child in the receiving school district.
- G. The Agency shall provide an opportunity for the Provider to give input in the development, substantive amendment or modification of case plans. The Agency agrees to notify the Provider of scheduling no less than seven (7) calendar days prior to of all formal meetings (e.g. SARs, court hearings, family team conferences, etc.).
- H. The Agency shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Provider prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. The Agency shall provide a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice for planned removals, to the Provider for each child who is being terminated from placement with the Provider, unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- I. Agency agrees to provide the Provider with an emergency contact on a twenty-four (24) hour, seven (7) day per week basis.
- J. The Agency represents:
 - 1. It has adequate funds to meet its obligations under this Agreement; subject to the availability of funds as referenced in Article VIII (I);
 - 2. It intends to maintain this Agreement for the full period set forth herein and has no reason to believe that it will not have sufficient funds to enable it to make all payments due hereunder during such period; and
 - 3. It will make its best effort to obtain the appropriation of any necessary funds during the term of this Agreement.
- K. The Agency will provide information about the child being referred for placement in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-90. Prior to a child's placement in alternative care or respite, OAC 5101:2-42-90 (D) requires the Agency to share with care givers information that could impact the health, safety, or well-being of the child or others in the home.

Article VII. INVOICING FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The Provider agrees to submit a monthly invoice following the end of the month in which services were provided. The invoice shall be for services delivered in accordance with Article I of this Agreement and shall include:
 - 1. Provider's name, address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax identification number, Title IV-E Provider number, if applicable and Medicaid Provider number, if applicable.
 - 2. Billing date and the billing period.
 - 3. Name of child, date of birth of child, and the child's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) person I.D. number.
 - 4. Admission date and discharge date, if available.
 - 5. Agreed upon per diem for maintenance and the agreed per diem administration; and
 - 6. Invoicing procedures may also include the per diems associated with the following if applicable and agreeable to the Agency and Provider:
 - a. Case Management; allowable administration cost.
 - b. Transportation, allowable maintenance cost.
 - c. Transportation; allowable administration cost.
 - d. Other Direct Services; allowable maintenance cost.
 - e. Behavioral health care; non-reimbursable cost.
 - f. Other costs - (any other cost the Title IV-E Agency has agreed to participate in); non-allowable/non-reimbursable cost.
- B. Provider warrants and represents claims made for payment for services provided are for actual services rendered and do not duplicate claims made by Provider to other sources of public funds for the same service.

Article VIII. REIMBURSEMENT FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The maximum amount payable pursuant to this contract is **\$100,000.00**.
- B. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement, the per diem for maintenance and the per diem for

administration will be paid for each day the child was in placement. The first day of placement will be paid regardless of the time the child was placed. The last day of placement will not be paid regardless of the time the child left the placement.

- C. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement and in addition to Maintenance and Administration, the Agency may agree to pay a per diem for Case Management, Other Direct Services, Transportation Administration, Transportation Maintenance, Behavioral Health Care and Other. All other services and/or fees to be paid for shall be contained in the Addendum of this Agreement.
- D. To the extent that the Provider maintains a foster care network, the agreed upon per diem for maintenance shall be the amount paid directly to the foster parent. Maintenance includes the provision of food, clothing, shelter, daily supervision, graduation expenses, a child's personal incidentals, and liability insurance with respect to the child, reasonable cost of travel to the child's home for visitation and reasonable cost of travel for the child to remain in the school the child was enrolled in at the time of placement. Payment for private Agency staff transporting a child to a home visit or keeping the child in their home school will be paid in accordance with Schedule A (Transportation Maintenance) of this Agreement.
- E. If the plan as determined by the Agency is to return the child to placement with the Provider, the Agency may agree to pay for the days that a child is temporarily absent from the direct care of the Provider, as agreed to by the parties in writing.
- F. The service provider is required to utilize Medicaid-approved healthcare providers in the appropriate managed care network for the provision of mental health, dental and/or medical services (hereafter referred to collectively as "medical services") to children in the custody of Agency. The Service Provider will report applicable Medicaid/insurance information to the healthcare providers and instruct healthcare providers to seek payment from Medicaid or any other available third-party payer for medical services rendered to children in agency custody. Agency will not pay for the provision of any medical services to children in agency custody unless the agency Executive Director or authorized designee has provided specific prior written authorization for such medical services and associated costs.
- G. The Agency agrees to pay the Provider for all services agreed to on Schedule A and in the Addendum to this Agreement, where applicable, that have been provided and documented in the child's case file. Agency shall make best efforts to make payment of undisputed charges within thirty (30) business days of receipt.
- H. In the event of a disagreement regarding payment, Agency shall withhold payment only for that portion of the placement with which it disagrees. Agency will use best efforts to notify the Provider of any invoice discrepancies. Agency and Provider will make every effort to resolve payment discrepancies within 60 calendar days. Payment discrepancies brought to the Agency after 60 days will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
- I. This Agreement is conditioned upon the availability of federal, state, or local funds appropriated or allocated for payment for services provided under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. By sole determination of the Agency, if funds are not sufficiently allocated or available for the provision of the services performed by the Provider hereunder, the Agency reserves the right to exercise one of the following alternatives:
 1. Reduce the utilization of the services provided under this Agreement, without change to the terms and conditions of the Agreement; or
 2. Issue a notice of intent to terminate the Agreement.

The Agency will notify the Provider at the earliest possible time of such decision. No penalty shall accrue to the Agency in the event either of these provisions is exercised. The Agency shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or for any damages as a result of termination under this section.

Any denial of payment for service(s) rendered may be appealed in writing and will be part of the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV.

Article IX. TERMINATION; BREACH AND DEFAULT

- A. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience prior to the expiration of the term then in effect by either the Agency or the Provider upon written notification given no less than sixty (60) calendar days in advance by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the last known address of the terminated party shown hereinabove or at such other address as may hereinafter be specified in writing.
- B. If Provider fails to provide the Services as provided in this Agreement for any reason other than Force Majeure, or if Provider otherwise Materially Breaches this Agreement, Agency may consider Provider in default. Agency agrees to give Provider thirty (30) days written notice specifying the nature of the default and its intention to terminate. Provider shall have seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such notice to provide a written plan of action to Agency to cure such default. Agency is required to approve or disapprove such plan within five (5)

calendar days of receipt. In the event Provider fails to submit such plan or Agency disapproves such plan, Agency has the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Provider. If Provider fails to cure the default in accordance with an approved plan, then Agency may terminate this Agreement at the end of the thirty (30) day notice period.

- C. Upon the effective date of the termination, the Provider agrees that it shall cease work on the terminated activities under this Agreement, take all necessary or appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize costs, and furnish a report as of the date of discharge of the last child describing the status of all work under this Agreement, including without limitation, results accomplished, conclusions resulting therefrom, and such other matters as the Agency may require. The Agency agrees to remove all children in placement immediately with the Provider, consistent with the effective termination date. In all instances of termination, the Provider and Agency agree that they shall work in the best interests of children placed with the Provider to secure alternative placements for all children affected by the termination.
- D. In the event of termination, the Provider shall be entitled to reimbursement, upon submission of an invoice, for the agreed upon per diem incurred prior to the effective termination date. The reimbursement will be calculated by the Agency based on the per diem set forth in Article VIII. The Agency shall receive credit for reimbursement already made when determining the amount owed to the Provider. The Agency is not liable for costs incurred by the Provider after the effective termination date of the discharge of the last child.
- E. Notwithstanding the above, Agency may immediately terminate this Agreement upon delivery of a written notice of termination to the Provider under the following circumstances:
 - 1. Improper or inappropriate activities;
 - 2. Loss of required licenses;
 - 3. Actions, inactions or behaviors that may result in harm, injury or neglect of a child;
 - 4. Unethical business practices or procedures; and
 - 5. Any other event that Agency deems harmful to the well-being of a child; or
 - 6. Loss of funding as set forth in Article VIII.
- F. If the Agreement is terminated by Agency due to breach or default of any of the provisions, obligations, or duties embodied therein by the Provider, Agency may exercise any administrative, agreement, equitable, or legal remedies available, without limitation. Any extension of the time periods set forth above shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights or remedies the Agency may have under this Agreement.
- G. In the event of termination under this ARTICLE, both the Provider and the placing Agency shall make good faith efforts to minimize adverse effect on children resulting from the termination of the Agreement.

Article X. RECORDS RETENTION ,CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Provider agrees that all records, documents, writings or other information, including, but not limited to, financial records, census records, client records and documentation of legal compliance with Ohio Administrative Code rules, produced by the Provider under this Agreement, and all records, documents, writings or other information, including but not limited to financial, census and client used by the Provider in the performance of this Agreement are treated according to the following terms:
 - 1. All records relating to costs, work performed and supporting documentation for invoices submitted to the Agency by the Provider along with copies of all Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, submitted to the Agency pursuant to this Agreement will be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after reimbursement for services rendered under this Agreement.
 - 2. If an audit, litigation, or other action is initiated during the time period of the Agreement, the Provider shall retain such records until the action is concluded and all issues resolved or three (3) years have expired, whichever is later.
 - 3. All records referred to in Section A 1) of this Article shall be available for inspection and audit by the Agency or other relevant agents of the State of Ohio (including, but not limited to, the County Prosecutor, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), the Auditor of the State of Ohio, the Inspector General of Ohio, or any duly authorized law enforcement officials), and the United States Department of Health and Human Services within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The Provider agrees to keep all financial records in a manner consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- C. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal and state laws applicable to the Agency and the confidentiality of children and families. Provider understands access to the identities of any Agency's child and families shall only be

as necessary for the purpose of performing its responsibilities under this Agreement. No identifying information on child(ren) served will be released for research or other publication without the express written consent of the Agency. Provider agrees that the use or disclosure of information concerning the child for any purpose not directly related to the administration of this Agreement is prohibited. Provider shall ensure all the children's and families' documentation is protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner.

- D. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws related to the confidentiality and transmission of medical records, including, but not limited to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- E. Although information about, and generated under, this Agreement may fall within the public domain, the Provider shall not release information about, or related to, this Agreement to the general public or media verbally, in writing, or by any electronic means without prior approval from the Agency, unless the Provider is required to release requested information by law. Agency reserves the right to announce to the general public and media: award of the Agreement, Agreement terms and conditions, scope of work under the Agreement, Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, and results obtained under the Agreement. Except where Agency approval has been granted in advance, the Provider shall not seek to publicize and will not respond to unsolicited media queries requesting: announcement of Agreement award, Agreement terms and conditions, Agreement scope of work, government-furnished documents the Agency may provide to the Provider to fulfill the Agreement scope of work, Deliverables required under the Agreement, results obtained under the Agreement, and impact of Agreement activities.
- F. If contacted by the media about this Agreement, the Provider agrees to notify the Agency in lieu of responding immediately to media queries. Nothing in this section is meant to restrict the Provider from using Agreement information and results to market to specific business prospects.
- G. Client data must be protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner whether located in Provider's facilities, stored in the Cloud, or used on mobile devices outside Provider's facility. Security of Provider's network, data storage, and mobile devices must conform to generally recognized industry standards and best practices. Maintenance of a secure processing environment includes, but is not limited to, network firewall provisioning, intrusion detection, antivirus protection, regular third-party vulnerability assessments, and the timely application of patches, fixes and updates to operating systems and applications.
- H. Provider agrees that it has implemented and shall maintain during the term of this Agreement the highest standard of administrative, technical, and physical safeguards and controls to:
 - 1. Ensure the security and confidentiality of data;
 - 2. Protect against any anticipated security threats or hazards to the security or integrity of data; and
 - 3. Protect against unauthorized access to or use of data. Such measures shall include at a minimum:
 - a. Access controls on information systems, including controls to authenticate and permit access to data only to authorized individuals and controls to prevent Provider employees from providing data to unauthorized individuals who may seek to obtain this information (whether through fraudulent means or otherwise);
 - b. Firewall protection;
 - c. Encryption of electronic data while in transit from Provider networks to external networks;
 - d. Measures to store in a secure fashion all data which shall include multiple levels of authentication;
 - e. Measures to ensure that data shall not be altered or corrupted without the prior written consent of the Agency;
 - f. Measures to protect against destruction, loss or damage of data due to potential environmental hazards, such as fire and water damage.
- I. Immediately upon discovery of a confirmed or suspected breach involving data, Provider will notify Agency no later than twenty-four (24) hours after Provider knows or reasonably suspects a breach has or may have occurred. Provider shall promptly take all appropriate or legally required corrective actions and shall cooperate fully with the Agency in all reasonable and lawful efforts to prevent, mitigate or rectify such data breach. In the event of a suspected breach, Provider shall keep the Agency informed of the progress of its investigation until the uncertainty is resolved.
- J. In the event the Provider does not carry the appropriate cyber security insurance to cover a security breach, the Provider shall reimburse the Agency for actual costs incurred, including, but not limited to, providing clients affected by a security breach with notice of the breach, and/or complimentary access for credit monitoring services, which the Agency deems necessary to protect such affected client.
- K. In the event the Agency discontinues operation, all child records for residential or any other placement settings shall be provided to the custodial agency. If the setting is licensed by ODJFS, licensing records shall be sent to:

ODJFS
ATTN: Licensing
P.O. Box 183204
Columbus, OH 43218-3204

Article XI. PROVIDER ASSURANCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- A. As applicable to the Provider's license and/or certification, the Provider certifies compliance with ORC 2151.86, ORC 5103.0328, ORC 5103.0319 and applicable OAC Sections as defined in Article XXII of this Agreement concerning criminal record checks, arrests, convictions and guilty pleas relative to foster caregivers, employees, volunteers and interns who are involved in the care for a child. Provider is responsible for any penalties, financial or otherwise, that may accrue because of noncompliance with this provision.
- B. To the extent that the Provider maintains a residential center or group home, the Provider agrees to comply with the provisions of their licensing Agency that relates to the operation, safety and maintenance of residential facilities. Specifically, Provider agrees that no firearm or other projectile weapon and no ammunition for such weapons will be kept on the premises.
- C. Provider certifies compliance with Drug Free Work Place Requirements as outlined in 45 C.F.R. Part 76, Subpart F.
- D. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 80, Non-Discrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- E. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 84, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- F. Provider certifies compliance 45 C.F.R. Part 90, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- G. Provider certifies compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336.
- H. Provider certifies that it will:
1. Provide a copy of its license(s), certification, accreditation or a letter extending an expiring license, certification, or accreditation from the issuer to the Agency prior to the signing of the Agreement.
 2. Maintain its license(s), certification, accreditation and that upon receipt of the renewal of its license, certification, and/or accreditation or upon receipt of a letter extending an expiring license, certification, and/or accreditation from the issuer, a copy of the license, certification and/or accreditation will be provided to the Agency within five (5) business days.
 3. Provider shall immediately notify the Agency of any action, modification or issue relating to said licensure, accreditation or certification.
- I. Provider certifies that it will not deny or delay services to eligible persons because of the person's race, color, religion, national origin, gender, orientation, disability, or age.
- J. The Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR part 60.
- K. Provider further agrees to comply with OAC 5101:9-2-01 and OAC 5101:9-2-05(A)(4), as applicable, which require that assure that persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) can meaningfully access services. To the extent Provider provides assistance to an LEP Child through the use of an oral or written translator or interpretation services in compliance with this requirement, the LEP Child shall not be required to pay for such assistance.
- L. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857 (h) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 C.F.R. Part 15).
- M. The Provider certifies compliance, where applicable, with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- N. The Provider certifies that all approvals, licenses, or other qualifications necessary to conduct business in Ohio have been obtained and are current.
- O. Provider shall comply with the Small Business Job Protection Act (Public Law ("P.L.") 104-188), the Multiethnic

Placement Act of 1994 (P.L. 103-382), Titles IV-B (42 U.S.C. 620 et seq.) and IV-E (42 U.S.C. 670 et seq.) of the Social Security Act ("the Act"), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-193), Section 471(a) of Title IV-E of the Act (42 U.S.C. 671(a)), and 45 C.F.R. 1356, including all rules, regulations and guidelines issued by federal and state authorities, OAC 5101:9-4-07 and OAC 5101:2-47-23.1.

Article XII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The Provider and the Agency agree that no employment, joint venture, or partnership has been or will be created between the parties hereto pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- B. The Provider and the Agency agree that the Provider is an independent contractor and assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums which may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or Deliverables rendered hereunder.
- C. The Provider and the Agency agree that no person and/or entities entering into this Agreement, nor any individual employed by any person or entity entering in to this Agreement, are public employees for purposes of contributions to Ohio Public Employees Retirement system by virtue of any work performed or services rendered in accordance with this Agreement.

Article XIII. AUDITS AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Provider agrees to submit to Agency a copy of the independent audit it receives in accordance with ORC 5103.0323.
- B. Upon request from the Agency, Provider shall submit a copy of the most recent Federal income tax return and related schedules filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- C. If Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, Provider agrees to timely file its Title IV-E cost report with all required items as outlined in OAC 5101:2-47-26.2 to ODJFS. Provider agrees that in the event a cost report cannot be timely filed, an extension shall be requested prior to the December 31st filing deadline.
- D. If a Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, an Agreed Upon Procedures engagement must be conducted by a certified public accountant for the Provider's cost report in accordance with OAC 5101:2-47-26.2. The procedures are conducted to verify the accuracy of costs used to establish reimbursement ceilings for maintenance and administration costs of child in care. Any overpayments or underpayment of federal funds to the Title IV-E Agency due to adjustments of cost report reimbursement ceiling amounts as a result of an audit, shall be resolved in accordance with ORC 5101.11, ORC 5101.14, and OAC 5101:2-47-01.
- E. Upon request from the Agency, the Provider shall submit a copy of the JFS 02911 and Agreed Upon Procedures.
- F. For financial reporting purposes and for Title IV-E cost reporting purposes, Provider agrees to follow the cost principles set forth in the following OAC Sections and publications:
 - 1. OAC 5101:2-47-11: "Reimbursement for Title IV-E foster care maintenance (FCM) costs for children's residential centers (CRC), group homes, maternity homes, residential parenting facilities, private foster homes, and substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities".
 - 2. OAC 5101:2-47-26.1: "Public child services agencies (PCSA), private child placing agencies (PCPA), private noncustodial agencies (PNA), residential care facilities, substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities; Title IV-E cost report filing requirements, record retention requirements, and related party disclosure requirements";
 - 3. OAC 5101:2-47-26.2: "Cost Report Agreed Upon Procedures Engagement".
 - 4. JFS 02911 Single Cost Report Instructions.
 - 5. For Private Agencies: 2 CFR part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Government.
 - 6. For Public Agencies: 2 CFR part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations.
 - 7. 2 CFR part 200.501, Audit Requirements.

Article XIV. GRIEVANCE /DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

In the event that a dispute arises under the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth below:

- 1. The party complaining of a dispute shall provide written notice of the nature of the dispute to the other party to this Agreement. A copy of the notice shall be sent to the Director or designee of the Agency and to the Executive Director or designee of the Provider. Within ten (10) business days of receiving the notice of a dispute, the parties involved in the dispute between the Agency and the Provider shall attempt to resolve the dispute.

2. If the parties are unable to resolve the dispute in (1 business day), the highest official or designee of the Agency shall make the final determination within twenty (20) business days, which will be non-binding.
3. Neither party will be deemed to have waived any other rights or remedies available to them by initiating, participating in or completing this process.

Article XV. AMENDMENTS

This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits hereto constitutes the entire Agreement and may be amended only with a written amendment signed by both parties; however, it is agreed by the parties that any amendments to laws or regulations cited herein will result in the correlative modification of this Agreement, without the necessity for executing written amendments. The impact of any applicable law, statute, or regulation not cited herein and enacted after the date of execution of this Agreement will be incorporated into this Agreement by written amendment signed by both parties and effective as of the date of enactment of the law, statute, or regulation. Any other written amendment to this Agreement is prospective in nature.

Article XVI. NOTICE

Unless otherwise set forth herein, all notices, requests, demands and other communications pertaining to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if delivered or mailed by certified or registered mail, postage pre-paid:

if to Agency, to Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

if to Provider , to My Brother's Keeper, Inc.
2510 Harrison Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45211

Article XVII. CONSTRUCTION

This Agreement shall be governed, construed, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. Should any portion of this Agreement be found to be unenforceable by operation of statute or by administrative or judicial decision, the operation of the balance of this Agreement is not affected thereby; provided, however, the absence of the illegal provision does not render the performance of the remainder of the Agreement impossible.

Article XVIII. NO ASSURANCES

- A. Provider acknowledges that, by entering into this Agreement, Agency is not making any guarantees or other assurances as to the extent, if any, that Agency shall utilize Provider's services or purchase its goods. In this same regard, this Agreement in no way precludes, prevents, or restricts Provider from obtaining and working under additional arrangement(s) with other parties, assuming the work in no way impedes Provider's ability to perform the services required under this Agreement. Provider warrants that at the time of entering into this Agreement, it has no interest in nor shall it acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Agreement that will impede its ability to provide the goods or perform the services under this Agreement.
- B. This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits embodies the entire agreement of the Parties. There are no promises, terms, conditions or obligations other than those contained herein; and this Agreement shall supersede all previous communications, representations or Agreements, either written or oral, between the parties to this Agreement. Also, this Agreement shall not be modified in any manner except by an instrument, in writing, executed by both the parties.

Article XIX. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

- A. Provider agrees that the Provider, its officers, members and employees currently have no, nor will they acquire any interest, whether personal, professional, direct or indirect, which is incompatible, in conflict with or which would compromise the discharge and fulfillment of Provider's functions, duties and responsibilities hereunder. If the Provider, or any of its officers, members or employees acquire any incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest, the Provider shall immediately disclose, in writing, such interest to the Agency. If any such conflict of interest develops, the Provider agrees that the person with the incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest will not participate in any activities related to this Agreement.
- B. Provider agrees: (1) to refrain from promising or giving to Agency employees anything of value to manifest improper influence upon the employee; (2) to refrain from conflicts of interest; and, (3) to certify that Provider complies with

ORC 102.03, ORC 102.04, ORC 2921.42, ORC 2921.43.

- C. The Provider further agrees that there is no financial interest involved on the part of the Agency or the respective county authority(ies) governing the agency. The Provider has no knowledge of any situation which would be a conflict of interest. It is understood that a conflict of interest occurs when an Agency employee or county official will gain financially or receive personal favors as a result of signing or implementation of this agreement. The Provider will report the discovery of any potential conflict of interest to the Agency. Should a conflict of interest be discovered during the term of this agreement, the Agency may exercise any right under the agreement, including termination of the agreement.

Article XX. INSURANCE

The Provider shall purchase and maintain for the term of this Agreement insurance of the types and amounts identified herein. Maintenance of the proper insurance for the duration of the Agreement is a material element of the Agreement.

Provider agrees to procure and maintain for the term of this Agreement the insurance set forth herein. The cost of all insurance shall be borne by Provider. Insurance shall be purchased from a company licensed to provide insurance in Ohio. Insurance is to be placed with an insurer provided an A.M. Best rating of no less than A-. Provider shall purchase the following coverage and minimum limits:

- A. Commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage contained in the most current Insurance Services Office Occurrence Form CG 00 01 or equivalent with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) in the aggregate and at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) coverage in legal liability fire damage. Coverage will include:

1. Additional insured endorsement;
2. Product liability;
3. Blanket contractual liability;
4. Broad form property damage;
5. Severability of interests;
6. Personal injury; and
7. Joint venture as named insured (if applicable).

Endorsements for physical abuse claims and for sexual molestation claims must be a minimum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) per occurrence and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in the aggregate.

- B. Business auto liability insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit, on all owned, non-owned, leased and hired automobiles. If the Agreement contemplates the transportation of the users of County services (such as but not limited to Agency consumers), "Consumers" and Provider provides this service through the use of its employees' privately owned vehicles "POV", then the Provider's Business Auto Liability insurance shall sit excess to the employees' "POV" insurance and provide coverage above its employee's "POV" coverage. Provider agrees the business auto liability policy will be endorsed to provide this coverage.
- C. Professional liability (errors and omission) insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per claim and in the aggregate.
- D. Umbrella and excess liability insurance policy with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate, above the commercial general and business auto primary policies and containing the following coverage:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Pay on behalf of wording;
 3. Concurrency of effective dates with primary;
 4. Blanket contractual liability;
 5. Punitive damages coverage (where not prohibited by law);
 6. Aggregates: apply where applicable in primary;
 7. Care, custody and control – follow form primary; and
 8. Drop down feature.

The amounts of insurance required in this section for General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability may be satisfied by Provider purchasing coverage for the limits specified or by any combination of underlying and umbrella limits, so long as the total amount of insurance is not less than the limits specified in

General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability when added together.

E. Workers' Compensation insurance at the statutory limits required by Ohio Revised code.

F. The Provider further agrees with the following provisions:

1. All policies, except workers' compensation and professional liability, will endorse as additional insured the Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers, including their Board of Trustees if applicable. The additional insured endorsement shall be on an ACORD or ISO form.
2. The insurance endorsement forms and the certificate of insurance forms will be sent to the Agency Director or Designee. The forms must state the following: "Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are endorsed as additional insured as required by agreement on the commercial general, business auto and umbrella/excess liability policies."
3. Each policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled or materially changed except after thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice given to the Agency Director or Designee.
4. Provider shall furnish the Agency with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received by the Agency before the Agreement commences. The Agency reserves the right at any time to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.
5. Failure of the Agency to demand such certificate or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of the Agency to identify a deficiency from evidence provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Provider's obligation to maintain such insurance.
6. Provider shall declare any self-insured retention to the Agency pertaining to liability insurance. Provider shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the Agency guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses for any self-insured retention.
7. If Provider provides insurance coverage under a "claims-made" basis, Provider shall provide evidence of either of the following for each type of insurance which is provided on a claims-made basis: unlimited extended reporting period coverage, which allows for an unlimited period of time to report claims from incidents that occurred after the policy's retroactive date and before the end of the policy period (tail coverage), or; continuous coverage from the original retroactive date of coverage. The original retroactive date of coverage means original effective date of the first claim-made policy issued for a similar coverage while Provider was under Agreement with the County on behalf of the Agency.
8. Provider will require all insurance policies in any way related to the work and secured and maintained by Provider to include endorsements stating each underwriter will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against the County and the Agency. Provider will require of subcontractors, by appropriate written agreements, similar waivers each in favor of all parties enumerated in this section.
9. Provider, the County, and the Agency agree to fully cooperate, participate, and comply with all reasonable requirements and recommendations of the insurers and insurance brokers issuing or arranging for issuance of the policies required here, in all areas of safety, insurance program administration, claim reporting and investigating and audit procedures.
10. Provider's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance with respect to the County, the Agency, their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the County or the Agency shall be excess of Provider's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
11. If any of the work or Services contemplated by this Agreement is subcontractors, Provider will ensure that any subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements contained herein.
12. If the Agreement provider is a government entity, insurance requirements will be fulfilled under the County Risk Sharing Authority (CORSA).

Article XXI. INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by, and in compliance with, applicable law, Provider agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and the Board of County Commissioners, their respective members, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all damages, liability, losses, claims, suits, actions, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings/hearings, judgments and expenses, subrogation (of any party involved in the subject of this Agreement), attorneys' fees, court costs, defense costs or other injury or damage (collectively "Damages"), whether actual, alleged or threatened, resulting from injury or damages of any kind whatsoever to any business, entity or person (including death), or damage to property (including destruction, loss of, loss of use of resulting without injury damage or destruction) of whatsoever nature, arising out of or incident to in any way, the performance of the terms of this Agreement

including, without limitation, by Provider, its subcontractor(s), Provider's or its subcontractor(s) employees, agents, assigns, and those designated by Provider to perform the work or services encompassed by the Agreement. Provider agrees to pay all damages, costs and expenses of the Indemnified Parties in defending any action arising out of the aforementioned acts or omissions.

- B. Each Party agrees to be responsible for any personal injury or property damage caused solely by its negligent acts or omissions as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as the parties may otherwise mutually agree in writing.
- C. This Article is not applicable to Agreements between governmental entities.

Article XXII. SCREENING AND SELECTION

A. Criminal Record Check

1. Provider warrants and represents it will comply with Article X as it relates to criminal record checks. Provider shall insure that every individual subject to a BCII check will sign a release of information to allow inspection and audit of the above criminal records transcripts or reports by the Agency or a private vendor hired by the Agency to conduct compliance reviews on their behalf.
2. Provider shall not assign any individual to work with or transport children until a BCII report and a criminal record transcript has been obtained.
3. Except as provided in Section C below, Provider shall not utilize any individual who has been convicted or plead guilty to any violations contained in ORC 5153.111(B)(1), ORC 2919.24, and OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.
4. Provider agrees to be financially responsible for any audit findings resulting in financial penalty due to lack of compliance with the criminal records checks requirements in OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.

B. Transportation of Child

1. The caregiver shall ensure the transportation of children in care will be reliable, legal and safe transportation with safety restraints, as appropriate for the child, and must be in compliance with applicable local, state and Federal transportation laws:
 - a. Maintenance of a current valid driver's license and vehicle insurance.
 - b. All children being transported by Provider must follow Ohio's Child Passenger Safety Law as defined in ORC 4511.81.
 - c. No child that is a passenger and is required to have a seat restraint can be transported by said provider until these requirements are met.
2. In addition to the requirements set forth above, Provider shall not permit any individual to transport a Child if:
 - a. The individual has a condition which would affect safe operation of a motor vehicle;
 - b. The individual has six (6) or more points on his/her driver's license; or
 - c. The individual has been convicted of, or pleaded guilty to, a violation of section 4511.19 (Operating vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – OVI or OVUAC) of the Revised Code if the individual previously was convicted of, or plead guilty to two or more violations within the three years immediately preceding the current violation.

C. Rehabilitation

1. Notwithstanding the above, Provider may make a request to the Agency to utilize an individual if Provider believes the individual has met the rehabilitative standards of OAC 5101:2-07-02(l), as follows:
 - a. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for a foster caregiver, a foster care applicant or other resident of the foster caregiver's household, Provider must provide written verification that the rehabilitation standards of OAC 5101:2-7-02 have been met.
 - b. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for any other individual serving Agency children, Provider must provide written verification from the individual that the rehabilitative conditions in accordance with OAC 5101:2-5-09 have been met.
2. The Agency shall review the facts presented and may allow the individual to work with, volunteer with or transport Agency children on a case-by-case basis. It is the Agency's sole discretion to permit a rehabilitated individual to work with, volunteer with or transport children.

D. Verification of Job or Volunteer Application:

Provider shall check and document each applicant's personal and employment references, general work history, relevant experience, and training information. Provider further agrees it will not employ an individual in relation to this Agreement unless it has received satisfactory employment references, work history, relevant experience, and training information.

Article XXIII. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL & DEGRADING PUNISHMENT

Agency prohibits the use of corporal or degrading punishment against children served by Agency and must comply with requirements in OAC 5101:2-7-09, OAC 5101:2-9-21, and OAC 5101:2-9-22

Article XXIV. FINDING FOR RECORDS

ORC 9.24 prohibits public agencies from awarding an Agreement for goods, services, or construction paid for in whole or in part from federal, state and local funds, to an entity against whom a finding for recovery has been issued if the finding is unresolved. By entering into this Agreement, Provider warrants and represents that they do not have an unresolved finding for recovery. Provider shall notify the Agency within ten (10) business days of its notification should the Provider be issued such finding by the Auditor of the State.

Article XXV. PUBLIC RECORDS

This Agreement is a matter of public record under the Ohio public records law. By entering into this Agreement, Provider acknowledges and understands that records maintained by Provider pursuant to this Agreement may also be deemed public records and subject to disclosure under Ohio law. Upon request made pursuant to Ohio law, the Agency shall make available the Agreement and all public records generated as a result of this Agreement.

Article XXVI. CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

Provider agrees to cooperate with ODJFS and any Ohio Child Support Enforcement Agency ("CSEA") in ensuring Provider and Provider's employees meet child support obligations established under state or federal law. Further, by executing this Agreement, Provider certifies present and future compliance with any court or valid administrative order for the withholding of support which is issued pursuant to the applicable sections in ORC Chapters 3119, 3121, 3123, and 3125.

Article XXVII. DECLARATION OF PROPERTY TAX DELINQUENCY

After award of an Agreement, and prior to the time the Agreement is entered into, the successful Provider shall submit a statement in accordance with ORC 5719.042. Such statement shall affirm under oath that the person with whom the Agreement is to be made was not charged at the time the bid was submitted with any delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of personal property of any county in which the taxing district has territory, or that such person was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on any such tax list, in which case the statement shall also set forth the amount of such due and unpaid delinquent taxes any due and unpaid penalties and interest thereon. If the statement indicates that the taxpayer was charged with any such taxes, a copy of the statement shall be transmitted by the fiscal officer to the county treasurer within thirty days of the date it is submitted. A copy of the statement shall also be incorporated into the Agreement, and no payment shall be made with respect to any contract to which this section applies unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

Article XXVIII. SUBCONTRACTING AND DELEGATION

The performance of any duty, responsibility or function which is the obligation of the Provider under this Agreement may be delegated or subcontracted to any agent or subcontractor of Provider if Provider has obtained the prior written consent of the Agency for that delegation subcontract. Provider is responsible for ensuring that the duties, responsibilities or functions so delegated or subcontracted are performed in accordance with the provisions and standards of this Agreement, and the actions and omissions of any such agent or subcontractor shall be deemed to be the actions and omissions of Provider for purposes of this Agreement.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Kathryn M. Horvath
Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

Article XXIX. PROPERTY OF AGENCY

The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the State of Ohio. The Agency is the sole author of the Deliverables and the sole owner of all rights therein. If any portion of the Deliverables are deemed not to be a "work made for hire", or if there are any rights in the Deliverables not so conveyed to the Agency, then Provider agrees to, and by executing this Agreement hereby does, assign to the Agency all worldwide rights, title, and interest in and to the Deliverables. The Agency acknowledges that its sole ownership of the Deliverables under this Agreement does not affect Provider's right to use general concepts, algorithms, programming techniques, methodologies, or technology that have been developed by Provider prior to this Agreement or that are generally known and available. Any Deliverable provided or produced by Provider under this Agreement or with funds hereunder, including any documents, data, photographs and negatives, electronic reports/records, or other media, are the property of the Agency, which has an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use the Deliverables. Provider shall not obtain copyright, patent, or other proprietary protection for the Deliverables. Provider shall not include in any Deliverable any copyrighted material, unless the copyright owner gives prior written approval for the Agency and Provider to use such copyrighted material. Provider agrees that all Deliverables will be made freely available to the general public unless the Agency determines that, pursuant to state or federal law, such materials are confidential or otherwise exempt from disclosure.

Article XXX. SEVERABILITY

If any term of this Agreement or its application thereof to any person or circumstance shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby. Each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XXXI. NO ADDITIONAL WAIVER IMPLIED

If the Agency or Provider fails to perform any obligations under this Agreement and thereafter such failure is waived by the other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular matter waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other failure hereunder, nor a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or condition. Waivers shall not be effective unless in writing.

Article XXXII. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

This Agreement and any modifications, amendments, or alterations, shall be governed, construed, and enforced under the laws of Ohio. Any legal action brought pursuant to this agreement will be filed in the Ohio courts, and Ohio law as well as Federal law will apply.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of the signature of the parties.

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

Provider: <i>Dyna Beach</i>	<i>3-8-2020</i>
Printed Name My Brother's Keeper, Inc.	Date
Agency: <i>Warren County</i>	
Printed Name Warren County Children Services	Date <i>3/17/2020</i>

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

ADDENDA TO AGREEMENT

This Addenda sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between

a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is

hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

Contract ID :

Originally Dated :

IV-E Agency Name		
Street/Mailing Address		
City	State	Zip Code

and

Provider		
Street/Mailing Address		
City	State	Zip Code

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR
THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information

Title IV-E Schedule A Rate information
 Agency : Warren County Children Services
 Run Date: 02/11/2020
 Provider / ID : My Brother's Keeper, Inc./ 24674
 Contract Period : 04/01/2020 - 05/31/2021

Service Description	Service ID	Person ID	Person ID	Maintenance Per Diem	Administration Per Diem	Case Management Per Diem	Transportation / Administration Per Diem	Transportation / Maintenance Per Diem	Other Direct Services Per Diem	Behavioral Healthcare Per Diem	Other Per Diem Cost	Total Per Diem	Cost Begin Date	Cost End Date
My Brother's Keeper(20610)	107828			\$230.00	\$6.00							5236.00	04/01/2020	05/31/2021

**ADDENDUM 1 TO AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS
FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreement seek to amend certain terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services standard Agreement for Title IV-E Agencies and Providers for the Provision of Child Placement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree that the Agreement shall include the following Amendments, additional terms, and conditions that address Provider and Agency responsibilities.

AMENDMENT #1:

Wherever referenced herein and throughout the Agreement, the terms "Agency" or "Warren County Children Services" shall refer to the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, contracting authority for Warren County Children Services, entering into this Agreement on behalf of Warren County Children Services.

AMENDMENT #2:

Article V, subsection (I) shall be amended to add the following language:

3. When a strip search or cavity search is conducted.

AMENDMENT #3:

The following provisions shall be added to Article V of the Agreement:

AA. Any notification required pursuant to subsections (G), (H), or (I) of Article V shall require verbal contact with an Agency representative. Leaving a voicemail shall not constitute notification under these sections.

BB. Provider shall make available for immediate inspection upon request by the Agency any and all written policies and procedures for operation of the facility, including, but not limited to, policies relating to use of physical restraint; searches, including policies for strip searches, and cavity searches; and policies for medication administration.

AMENDMENT #4:

Article VI, subsection (H) of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

The language that states "thirty (30) calendar days" shall be replaced with "twenty-four (24) hours, not to exceed thirty (30) calendar days."

ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STANDARD AGREEMENT NOT SPECIFICALLY AMENDED, MODIFIED, ADDED, OR DELETED HEREBY SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT

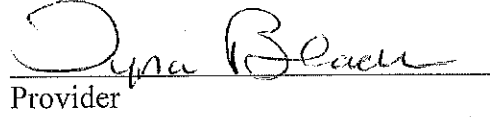
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Addendum to the Agreement by the President of the Warren County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Resolution Number 20-40886, dated 3/24/2020, and by the duly authorized Tyra Black, Director of My Brother's Keeper [Provider].

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:


Vice-President

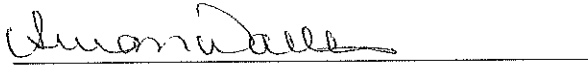
Warren County Board of Commissioners

Date 3/24/2020


Provider

Date 3-8-2020

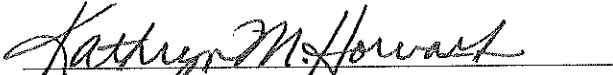
Reviewed by:



Director

Warren County Children's Services

Approved as to Form:



Kathryn M. Horvath

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF Ohio
COUNTY OF Hamilton

I, Tyra Black, holding the title and position of Director at the firm My Brother's Keeper, affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

Tyra Black
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February 20 20

Fahren M Cagle
(Notary Public),
Hamilton County.



FAHREN M CAGLE
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Comm. Expires 12/22/2021

My commission expires 12-22 20 2021



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
12/13/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an **ADDITIONAL INSURED**, the policy(ies) must have **ADDITIONAL INSURED** provisions or be endorsed. If **SUBROGATION IS WAIVED**, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER CMI P&C, Inc. 1077 ST RT 28, STE 205 Milford, OH 45150 CMI	513-605-3500		CONTACT NAME: Brenda Lovell PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 513-605-3500 FAX (A/C, No): 513-605-3509 E-MAIL ADDRESS:
			INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: Philadelphia Ins. Companies INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:
			NAIC # 23850
INSURED My Brother's Keeper, Inc. 2510 Harrison Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45211			

COVERAGES

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:

REVISION NUMBER:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

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							PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$
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							E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$
A	Crime Pro Plus			PHSD1390491	12/01/2019	12/01/2020	Limit	100,000
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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

WARRCCS

Warren County Children Service
416 SE Street
Lebanon, OH 45036

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

Brenda Lovell

**State of Ohio
Department of Job and Family Services**

**John R. Kasich
Governor**

This is to Certify that

**MY BROTHER'S KEEPER
2510 HARRISON AVENUE
CINCINNATI, OHIO 45211
(RECERTIFICATION – STUDY# 81660)**

Has been inspected pursuant to Chapter 5103, of the Ohio Revised Code and applicable Ohio Administrative Code rules.

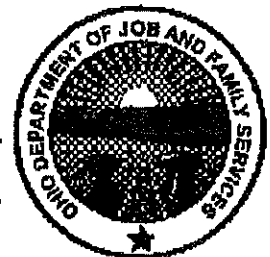
The specific functions which the agency is certified to perform are listed below and explained in detail in the accompanying letter.

To operate a Group Home(s)

This certificate is effective From March 19, 2018 To March 18, 2020

Temporary certificate expiration date To _____

Unless sooner revoked or amended by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services



Resolution

Number 20-0489

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE AGREEMENT AND ADDENDUM WITH DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH-EASTWAY CORPORATION AS A CHILD PLACEMENT AND RELATED SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON BEHALF OF WARREN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

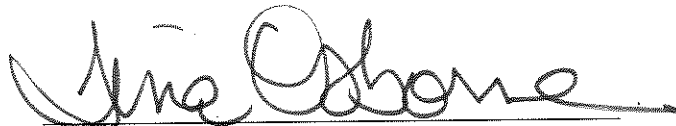
BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and authorize the Warren County Board of Commissioners to enter into the agreement and addendum with Department of Mental Health-Eastway Corporation, on behalf of Warren County Children Services, for calendar year 2020-2021, for the services of a child placement and related services provider; copy of agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: c/a— Department of Mental Health-Eastway Corporation
Children Services (file)

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT

This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between Warren County Children Services, a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is:

Warren County Children Services
416 S East St
Lebanon, OH 45036

and Department of Mental Health- Eastway Corporation, hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

Department of Mental Health- Eastway Corporation
600 Wayne Ave
Dayton, OH 45410

Collectively the "Parties."

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RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Agency is responsible under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Title 51, Chapter 5153 for the provision of protective services for dependent, neglected, and abused children; and,

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized under ORC Title 51, Chapter 5153.16 to provide care and services which it deems to be in the best interest of any child who needs or is likely to need public care and services; and,

WHEREAS, the Provider is an organization duly organized and validly existing and is qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Ohio or in the state where the placement facility or foster home is located and has all requisite legal power and authority to execute this Agreement and to carry out its terms, conditions and provisions, and is licensed, certified or approved to provide placement and related services to children in accordance with Ohio law or the state where the placement facility or foster home is located.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and responsibilities set forth herein, the Agency and Provider agree as follows:

Article I. SCOPE OF PLACEMENT SERVICES

In addition to the services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work, Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services specified in each Individual Child Care Agreement (ICCA) for children in the care and custody of the Title IV-E Agency. The ICCA shall be consistent with current federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Provider's license or certified functions and services. If an Agreement and ICCA both exist, the Agreement supersedes.

Section 1.01 FOR CONTRACTS COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

Without limiting the services set forth herein, Provider will provide the Services pursuant to and consistent with the Requests for Proposals (RFP) and the Provider's Proposal submitted in response to the RFP, the Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.02 FOR CONTRACTS NOT COMPETITIVELY PROCURED

The Provider agrees to provide and shall provide the placement and related services described in the Exhibit I-Scope of Work.

Section 1.03 EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are deemed to be a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work;
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable);
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Response to the Request for Proposals (if applicable); and
- D. Exhibit IV – Schedule A Rate Information.

Article II. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from **04/01/2020** through **05/31/2021**, unless this Agreement is suspended or terminated pursuant to Article IX prior to the termination date.

In addition to the initial term described above, this Agreement may be extended at the option of the Agency and upon written agreement of the Provider. Notice of Agency's intention to extend the Agreement shall be provided in writing to Provider no less than 90 calendar days before the expiration of any Agreement term then in effect. (If a previous Request for Proposal [RFP] allows, the Agreement may be extended for a period of time to ensure adequate completion of the Agency's competitive procurement process at the rates existing for the term then in effect.)

Article III. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement and all Exhibits are intended to supplement and complement each other and shall, where possible, be so interpreted. However, if any provision of this Agreement irreconcilably conflicts with an Exhibit, this Agreement takes precedence over the Exhibit(s).

In the event there is an inconsistency between the Exhibit(s), the inconsistency shall be resolved in the following order:

- A. Exhibit I – Scope of Work; then
- B. Exhibit II – Request for Proposals (if applicable); then
- C. Exhibit III – Provider's Proposals (if applicable); then
- D. Exhibit IV – Title IV-E Schedule A Rate Information.

Article IV. DEFINITIONS GOVERNING THIS AGREEMENT

The following definitions govern this Agreement:

- A. Agreement means this Agreement, addenda and exhibits thereto.
- B. Material Breach shall mean an act or omission that violates or contravenes an obligation required under the Agreement and which, by itself or together with one or more other breaches, has a negative effect on, or thwarts the purpose of the Agreement as stated herein. A Material Breach shall not include an act or omission, which has a trivial or negligible effect on the quality, quantity, or delivery of the goods and services to be provided under the Agreement.
- C. Child(ren) means any person under eighteen years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped person under twenty-one years of age in the Agency's custody and under the care of the Provider for the provision of placement services.
- D. All other definitions to be resolved through Federal Regulations, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5101:2-1-01 and any related cross-references.

Article V. PROVIDER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Provider agrees to participate with Agency in the development and implementation of the Case Plan and ICCA including participation in case reviews and / or semi-annual administrative reviews, and the completion of reunification assessments for the children in placement with the Provider. Parties shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- B. Provider agrees to provide services agreed to in the Case Plan and ICCA (i.e., transportation of children for routine services, including, but not limited to, court hearings, medical appointments, school therapy, recreational activities, visitations/family visits) unless otherwise negotiated in writing as an attachment to this Agreement. Any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual-agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process. The cost of providing these services is to be included in the Agency approved per diem.
- C. Provider agrees to ensure that any and all persons who may act as alternative caregivers or who have contact with the children are suitable for interaction pursuant to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- D. Provider agrees that all caregivers must be approved by the Agency.
- E. Provider agrees to submit a progress report as negotiated by the parties for each child. The progress report will be based on the agreed upon services to be delivered to the child and/or family and will include documentation of services provided to the child and/or discharge summary. If Monthly Progress Reports are not received within 90 calendar days following the month of service provision, payment may be withheld at the Agency's discretion.
 - 1. Monthly Progress Reports shall be submitted by the 20th of the month following the month of service.
 - 2. The Monthly Progress Report will include the following medical related information:
 - a. Service type (i.e. medical, dental, vision, etc.);
 - b. Date(s) of service;
 - c. Reason for visit (i.e. routine, injury, etc.);
 - d. Practitioner name, address and contact number;
 - e. Name of hospital, practice, urgent care, etc.;
 - f. Prescribed medications and dosages;
 - g. Date(s) medication(s) were prescribed or changed; and
 - h. Changes to medications.
- F. Placement changes, emergency or non-emergency, shall occur only with the approval of the Agency. The following information shall be provided to the Agency for all placement changes: Name, address and phone number of the new foster home or other out-of-home care setting, the license/home study of the new care provider within 24 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.
- G. Provider agrees to notify all Agencies who have children placed in the same caregiver's home/group home/CRC when any child residing in the placement is critically injured or dies in that location. Notification will be made to the Agencies' Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline number or assigned Caseworker immediately.
- H. Notification to the Agency of Emergency Critical Incidents shall occur ASAP but no later than one hour of the incident becoming known. Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or

assigned Caseworker or by other established system. Critical incidents are those incidents defined in the Ohio Administrative Code that are applicable to the licensed or certified programs(ODJFS 5101:2-7-14, 5101:2-9-23 ODMHAS 5122-30-16, 5122-26-13, OAC 5123-17-02).

Emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:

1. Absent Without Leave (AWOL);
 2. Child Alleging Physical or Sexual Abuse/Neglect;
 3. Death of Child;
 4. Illicit drug/alcohol use, Abuse of medication or toxic substance;
 5. Sudden injury or illness requiring an unplanned medical treatment or visit to the hospital;
 6. Perpetrator of Delinquent/Criminal Act (Assault, Dangerous Behaviors, Homicidal Behaviors);
 7. School Expulsion/Suspension (formal action by school);
 8. Self-Injury (Suicidal Behaviors, Self-Harm Requiring external Medical Treatment, Hospital or ER);
 9. Victim of assault, neglect, physical or sexual abuse;
 10. The filing of any law enforcement report involving the child.
- I. The Provider also agrees to notify the Agency within Twenty-four (24) hours, of any non-emergency situations. Non-emergency situations include but are not limited to the following:
1. When physical restraint is used/applied; and
 2. Medication lapses or errors.
- Notification will be made to the Agency via the Agency's Child Abuse\Neglect Hotline/assigned Caseworker or by other established notification system.
- J. Documentation of the emergency and non-emergency incidents as identified in "H and I" above shall be provided to the Agency via email, fax or other established notification system within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.
- K. The Provider agrees to submit each child's assessment and treatment plans as completed but no later than the 30th day of placement. Provider further agrees to provide treatment planning that will include, but is not limited to, education on or off site, preparation for integration into community-based school or vocational/job skills training, community service activities, independent living skills if age 14 or older, monitoring and supporting community adjustment.
- L. The Provider agrees to participate in joint planning with the Agency regarding modification to case plan services. Provider agrees that while the Provider may have input into the development of the child's case plan services and the ICCA, any disputes involving services or placement will be resolved through mutual agreement and modification to the ICCA. Provider agrees the Agency is the final authority in the process.
- M. The Provider shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Agency prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. A placement Preservation meeting shall be held within seven (7) business days of said request. Unless otherwise mutually agreed upon a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice shall be given if placement preservation is unable to be achieved. A Discharge Plan Summary shall be provided no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of discharge in accordance with the applicable licensed or certified program. (OAC 5101:2-5-17, OAC 5122-30-22, OAC 5122-30-04, OAC 5123:2-3-05).
- N. The Provider shall work in cooperation and collaboration with the Agency to provide information for each child's Lifebook and will fully comply with the provision of OAC 5101:2-42-67 as applicable to private Providers. Provider's contribution to the Agency Lifebook for a child shall be for the episode of care with the Provider.
- O. The Provider agrees to provide Independent Living Services as set forth in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-19 for all children age 14 and above.
- P. When applicable, due to the Provider being part of a managed care agreement as defined in OAC 5101:2-1-01, the Provider agrees to visit with the child face-to-face in the foster home, speak privately with the child and to meet with the caregiver at least monthly in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- Q. The Provider agrees to maintain its licenses and certifications from any source in good standing. The Provider agrees to report to Agency in writing any change in licensure or certification that negatively impacts such standing immediately if the negative action results in a temporary license, suspension of license or termination of license.
- R. Provider agrees that the reasonable and prudent parent standard training required by SEC. 471. [42 U.S.C. 671] of the Social Security Act and in accordance to OAC 5101:2-5-33, OAC 5101:2-9-02 or OAC 5101:2-9-03 has been

completed.

- S. The Provider shall notify Agency of any changes in its status, such as intent to merge with another business or to close no later than forty-five (45) business days prior to the occurrence.
- T. The Provider agrees that the Agency shall have access to foster parent home studies and re-certifications for foster parents caring for children in placement, subject to confidentiality considerations. The Provider shall submit to Agency a copy of the current foster home license at the time of placement and recertification. Provider also agrees to notify Agency within twenty-four (24) hours of any change in the status of the foster home license.
- U. When there is a rule violation of a caregiver, a copy of the corrective action plan, if applicable, must be submitted to the Agency when the investigation is complete.
- V. The Provider agrees to notify the Agency of scheduling no less than fourteen (14) calendar days prior to all formal meetings (i.e. FTMs, Treatment Team Meetings, IEPs, etc.).
- W. The Provider agrees to adhere to the following Medical/Medication guidelines:
 - 1. To provide over-the-counter medications and/or supplies as part of the per diem of care;
 - 2. To comply with the medical consent process as identified by Agency;
 - 3. Only the Agency can give permission for the administering or change (addition or elimination) of psychotropic medication and its ongoing management; and
 - 4. Provide an initial placement medical screening within 72 hours of child's placement into a placement resource under the Provider's operation and/or oversight.
- X. To arrange for required health care/medical examinations within time frames required by OAC 5101:2-42-66.1 and provide reports from the health care providers to the agency within 30 days of occurrence if the appropriate releases of information have been obtained by the Provider.
- Y. The Network Provider agrees to notify the Agency if placement resource is currently under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children or other third-party investigation.
- Z. The Provider will immediately notify the Agency:
 - 1. If the Provider is out of compliance with any licensing authority rules or the placement resource is under investigation for license violations or misconduct toward children. Immediately is defined as within one hour of knowledge of the non-compliance issue.
 - 2. Child Abuse/Neglect Hotline or assigned Caseworker of any allegations of abuse or neglect made against the Caregiver within one hour of gaining knowledge of the allegation.
 - 3. Of any corrective action and the result of the correction action plan. The Provider will submit a comprehensive written report to the agency within sixty (60) days of the rules violation.
 - 4. Within twenty-four (24) hours any time there is an event which would impact the placement resource license.

Article VI. AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Agency certifies that it will comply with the Multiethnic Placement Act, 108 STAT. 3518, as amended by Section 1808 of the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, 110 STAT. 1755, which prohibits any Agency from denying any person the opportunity to become an adoptive or foster parent on the basis of race, color, national origin, or delaying or denying the placement of a child for adoption or into foster care on the basis of race, color, or national origin of the adoptive or foster parent or of the child involved.
- B. The Agency shall provide to the Provider within thirty (30) calendar days of placement or within a reasonable time thereafter as agreed to by the parties, a copy of each child's social history, medical history, and Medicaid card once obtained by the Agency for new cases, or at time of placement for existing cases. Agency shall make best efforts to share information timely regarding participants and contact information involved with planning efforts related to children and families.
- C. Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider. The Agency acknowledges that clinical treatment decisions must be recommended by licensed clinical professionals. Agency and Provider acknowledge that disagreement with a treatment decision may be taken through the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV of this Agreement.
- D. Agency agrees to visit with the child in accordance with rule OAC 5101:2-42-65 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- E. Agency agrees to participate in periodic meetings with each child's treatment team for case treatment plan development, review, and revision. The Agency agrees to participate in the development of the treatment plan of each child placed with the Provider by the Agency.

- F. Agency certifies that it will comply with Every Student Succeeds Act (34 CFR part 200) and will work with local school districts in developing individualized plans to address the transportation needed for a child to remain in the school of origin. Agency agrees to arrange for the transfer of each child's school records to the child's new school upon placement but not later than ten (10) business days. The Agency agrees to work with the Provider for the timely enrollment of the child in the receiving school district. The Agency has the final responsibility to obtain the child's school records and to enroll the child in the receiving school district.
- G. The Agency shall provide an opportunity for the Provider to give input in the development, substantive amendment or modification of case plans. The Agency agrees to notify the Provider of scheduling no less than seven (7) calendar days prior to of all formal meetings (e.g. SARs, court hearings, family team conferences, etc.).
- H. The Agency shall participate in a Placement Preservation meeting if requested by the Provider prior to issuing a notice of removal of a child. The Agency shall provide a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days' notice for planned removals, to the Provider for each child who is being terminated from placement with the Provider, unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- I. Agency agrees to provide the Provider with an emergency contact on a twenty-four (24) hour, seven (7) day per week basis.
- J. The Agency represents:
 - 1. It has adequate funds to meet its obligations under this Agreement; subject to the availability of funds as referenced in Article VIII (I);
 - 2. It intends to maintain this Agreement for the full period set forth herein and has no reason to believe that it will not have sufficient funds to enable it to make all payments due hereunder during such period; and
 - 3. It will make its best effort to obtain the appropriation of any necessary funds during the term of this Agreement.
- K. The Agency will provide information about the child being referred for placement in accordance with OAC 5101:2-42-90. Prior to a child's placement in alternative care or respite, OAC 5101:2-42-90 (D) requires the Agency to share with care givers information that could impact the health, safety, or well-being of the child or others in the home.

Article VII. INVOICING FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The Provider agrees to submit a monthly invoice following the end of the month in which services were provided. The invoice shall be for services delivered in accordance with Article I of this Agreement and shall include:
 - 1. Provider's name, address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax identification number, Title IV-E Provider number, if applicable and Medicaid Provider number, if applicable.
 - 2. Billing date and the billing period.
 - 3. Name of child, date of birth of child, and the child's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS) person I.D. number.
 - 4. Admission date and discharge date, if available.
 - 5. Agreed upon per diem for maintenance and the agreed per diem administration; and
 - 6. Invoicing procedures may also include the per diems associated with the following if applicable and agreeable to the Agency and Provider:
 - a. Case Management; allowable administration cost.
 - b. Transportation, allowable maintenance cost.
 - c. Transportation; allowable administration cost.
 - d. Other Direct Services; allowable maintenance cost.
 - e. Behavioral health care; non-reimbursable cost.
 - f. Other costs - (any other cost the Title IV-E Agency has agreed to participate in); non-allowable/non-reimbursable cost.
- B. Provider warrants and represents claims made for payment for services provided are for actual services rendered and do not duplicate claims made by Provider to other sources of public funds for the same service.

Article VIII. REIMBURSEMENT FOR PLACEMENT SERVICES

- A. The maximum amount payable pursuant to this contract is **\$100,000.00**.
- B. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement, the per diem for maintenance and the per diem for

administration will be paid for each day the child was in placement. The first day of placement will be paid regardless of the time the child was placed. The last day of placement will not be paid regardless of the time the child left the placement.

- C. In accordance with Schedule A of this Agreement and in addition to Maintenance and Administration, the Agency may agree to pay a per diem for Case Management, Other Direct Services, Transportation Administration, Transportation Maintenance, Behavioral Health Care and Other. All other services and/or fees to be paid for shall be contained in the Addendum of this Agreement.
- D. To the extent that the Provider maintains a foster care network, the agreed upon per diem for maintenance shall be the amount paid directly to the foster parent. Maintenance includes the provision of food, clothing, shelter, daily supervision, graduation expenses, a child's personal incidentals, and liability insurance with respect to the child, reasonable cost of travel to the child's home for visitation and reasonable cost of travel for the child to remain in the school the child was enrolled in at the time of placement. Payment for private Agency staff transporting a child to a home visit or keeping the child in their home school will be paid in accordance with Schedule A (Transportation Maintenance) of this Agreement.
- E. If the plan as determined by the Agency is to return the child to placement with the Provider, the Agency may agree to pay for the days that a child is temporarily absent from the direct care of the Provider, as agreed to by the parties in writing.
- F. The service provider is required to utilize Medicaid-approved healthcare providers in the appropriate managed care network for the provision of mental health, dental and/or medical services (hereafter referred to collectively as "medical services") to children in the custody of Agency. The Service Provider will report applicable Medicaid/insurance information to the healthcare providers and instruct healthcare providers to seek payment from Medicaid or any other available third-party payer for medical services rendered to children in agency custody. Agency will not pay for the provision of any medical services to children in agency custody unless the agency Executive Director or authorized designee has provided specific prior written authorization for such medical services and associated costs.
- G. The Agency agrees to pay the Provider for all services agreed to on Schedule A and in the Addendum to this Agreement, where applicable, that have been provided and documented in the child's case file. Agency shall make best efforts to make payment of undisputed charges within thirty (30) business days of receipt.
- H. In the event of a disagreement regarding payment, Agency shall withhold payment only for that portion of the placement with which it disagrees. Agency will use best efforts to notify the Provider of any invoice discrepancies. Agency and Provider will make every effort to resolve payment discrepancies within 60 calendar days. Payment discrepancies brought to the Agency after 60 days will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
- I. This Agreement is conditioned upon the availability of federal, state, or local funds appropriated or allocated for payment for services provided under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. By sole determination of the Agency, if funds are not sufficiently allocated or available for the provision of the services performed by the Provider hereunder, the Agency reserves the right to exercise one of the following alternatives:
 1. Reduce the utilization of the services provided under this Agreement, without change to the terms and conditions of the Agreement; or
 2. Issue a notice of intent to terminate the Agreement.

The Agency will notify the Provider at the earliest possible time of such decision. No penalty shall accrue to the Agency in the event either of these provisions is exercised. The Agency shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or for any damages as a result of termination under this section.

Any denial of payment for service(s) rendered may be appealed in writing and will be part of the dispute resolution process contained in Article XIV.

Article IX. TERMINATION; BREACH AND DEFAULT

- A. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience prior to the expiration of the term then in effect by either the Agency or the Provider upon written notification given no less than sixty (60) calendar days in advance by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the last known address of the terminated party shown hereinabove or at such other address as may hereinafter be specified in writing.
- B. If Provider fails to provide the Services as provided in this Agreement for any reason other than Force Majeure, or if Provider otherwise Materially Breaches this Agreement, Agency may consider Provider in default. Agency agrees to give Provider thirty (30) days written notice specifying the nature of the default and its intention to terminate. Provider shall have seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such notice to provide a written plan of action to Agency to cure such default. Agency is required to approve or disapprove such plan within five (5)

calendar days of receipt. In the event Provider fails to submit such plan or Agency disapproves such plan, Agency has the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Provider. If Provider fails to cure the default in accordance with an approved plan, then Agency may terminate this Agreement at the end of the thirty (30) day notice period.

- C. Upon the effective date of the termination, the Provider agrees that it shall cease work on the terminated activities under this Agreement, take all necessary or appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize costs, and furnish a report as of the date of discharge of the last child describing the status of all work under this Agreement, including without limitation, results accomplished, conclusions resulting therefrom, and such other matters as the Agency may require. The Agency agrees to remove all children in placement immediately with the Provider, consistent with the effective termination date. In all instances of termination, the Provider and Agency agree that they shall work in the best interests of children placed with the Provider to secure alternative placements for all children affected by the termination.
- D. In the event of termination, the Provider shall be entitled to reimbursement, upon submission of an invoice, for the agreed upon per diem incurred prior to the effective termination date. The reimbursement will be calculated by the Agency based on the per diem set forth in Article VIII. The Agency shall receive credit for reimbursement already made when determining the amount owed to the Provider. The Agency is not liable for costs incurred by the Provider after the effective termination date of the discharge of the last child.
- E. Notwithstanding the above, Agency may immediately terminate this Agreement upon delivery of a written notice of termination to the Provider under the following circumstances:
 - 1. Improper or inappropriate activities;
 - 2. Loss of required licenses;
 - 3. Actions, inactions or behaviors that may result in harm, injury or neglect of a child;
 - 4. Unethical business practices or procedures; and
 - 5. Any other event that Agency deems harmful to the well-being of a child; or
 - 6. Loss of funding as set forth in Article VIII.
- F. If the Agreement is terminated by Agency due to breach or default of any of the provisions, obligations, or duties embodied contained therein by the Provider, Agency may exercise any administrative, agreement, equitable, or legal remedies available, without limitation. Any extension of the time periods set forth above shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights or remedies the Agency may have under this Agreement.
- G. In the event of termination under this ARTICLE, both the Provider and the placing Agency shall make good faith efforts to minimize adverse effect on children resulting from the termination of the Agreement.

Article X. RECORDS RETENTION ,CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Provider agrees that all records, documents, writings or other information, including, but not limited to, financial records, census records, client records and documentation of legal compliance with Ohio Administrative Code rules, produced by the Provider under this Agreement, and all records, documents, writings or other information, including but not limited to financial, census and client used by the Provider in the performance of this Agreement are treated according to the following terms:
 - 1. All records relating to costs, work performed and supporting documentation for invoices submitted to the Agency by the Provider along with copies of all Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, submitted to the Agency pursuant to this Agreement will be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after reimbursement for services rendered under this Agreement.
 - 2. If an audit, litigation, or other action is initiated during the time period of the Agreement, the Provider shall retain such records until the action is concluded and all issues resolved or three (3) years have expired, whichever is later.
 - 3. All records referred to in Section A 1) of this Article shall be available for inspection and audit by the Agency or other relevant agents of the State of Ohio (including, but not limited to, the County Prosecutor, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), the Auditor of the State of Ohio, the Inspector General of Ohio, or any duly authorized law enforcement officials), and the United States Department of Health and Human Services within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The Provider agrees to keep all financial records in a manner consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- C. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal and state laws applicable to the Agency and the confidentiality of children and families. Provider understands access to the identities of any Agency's child and families shall only be

as necessary for the purpose of performing its responsibilities under this Agreement. No identifying information on child(ren) served will be released for research or other publication without the express written consent of the Agency. Provider agrees that the use or disclosure of information concerning the child for any purpose not directly related to the administration of this Agreement is prohibited. Provider shall ensure all the children's and families' documentation is protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner.

- D. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws related to the confidentiality and transmission of medical records, including, but not limited to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- E. Although information about, and generated under, this Agreement may fall within the public domain, the Provider shall not release information about, or related to, this Agreement to the general public or media verbally, in writing, or by any electronic means without prior approval from the Agency, unless the Provider is required to release requested information by law. Agency reserves the right to announce to the general public and media: award of the Agreement, Agreement terms and conditions, scope of work under the Agreement, Deliverables, as defined in Article XXIX, and results obtained under the Agreement. Except where Agency approval has been granted in advance, the Provider shall not seek to publicize and will not respond to unsolicited media queries requesting: announcement of Agreement award, Agreement terms and conditions, Agreement scope of work, government-furnished documents the Agency may provide to the Provider to fulfill the Agreement scope of work, Deliverables required under the Agreement, results obtained under the Agreement, and impact of Agreement activities.
- F. If contacted by the media about this Agreement, the Provider agrees to notify the Agency in lieu of responding immediately to media queries. Nothing in this section is meant to restrict the Provider from using Agreement information and results to market to specific business prospects.
- G. Client data must be protected and maintained in a secure and safe manner whether located in Provider's facilities, stored in the Cloud, or used on mobile devices outside Provider's facility. Security of Provider's network, data storage, and mobile devices must conform to generally recognized industry standards and best practices. Maintenance of a secure processing environment includes, but is not limited to, network firewall provisioning, intrusion detection, antivirus protection, regular third-party vulnerability assessments, and the timely application of patches, fixes and updates to operating systems and applications.
- H. Provider agrees that it has implemented and shall maintain during the term of this Agreement the highest standard of administrative, technical, and physical safeguards and controls to:
 - 1. Ensure the security and confidentiality of data;
 - 2. Protect against any anticipated security threats or hazards to the security or integrity of data; and
 - 3. Protect against unauthorized access to or use of data. Such measures shall include at a minimum:
 - a. Access controls on information systems, including controls to authenticate and permit access to data only to authorized individuals and controls to prevent Provider employees from providing data to unauthorized individuals who may seek to obtain this information (whether through fraudulent means or otherwise);
 - b. Firewall protection;
 - c. Encryption of electronic data while in transit from Provider networks to external networks;
 - d. Measures to store in a secure fashion all data which shall include multiple levels of authentication;
 - e. Measures to ensure that data shall not be altered or corrupted without the prior written consent of the Agency;
 - f. Measures to protect against destruction, loss or damage of data due to potential environmental hazards, such as fire and water damage.
- I. Immediately upon discovery of a confirmed or suspected breach involving data, Provider will notify Agency no later than twenty-four (24) hours after Provider knows or reasonably suspects a breach has or may have occurred. Provider shall promptly take all appropriate or legally required corrective actions and shall cooperate fully with the Agency in all reasonable and lawful efforts to prevent, mitigate or rectify such data breach. In the event of a suspected breach, Provider shall keep the Agency informed of the progress of its investigation until the uncertainty is resolved.
- J. In the event the Provider does not carry the appropriate cyber security insurance to cover a security breach, the Provider shall reimburse the Agency for actual costs incurred, including, but not limited to, providing clients affected by a security breach with notice of the breach, and/or complimentary access for credit monitoring services, which the Agency deems necessary to protect such affected client.
- K. In the event the Agency discontinues operation, all child records for residential or any other placement settings shall be provided to the custodial agency. If the setting is licensed by ODJFS, licensing records shall be sent to:

ODJFS
ATTN: Licensing
P.O. Box 183204
Columbus, OH 43218-3204

Article XI. PROVIDER ASSURANCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- A. As applicable to the Provider's license and/or certification, the Provider certifies compliance with ORC 2151.86, ORC 5103.0328, ORC 5103.0319 and applicable OAC Sections as defined in Article XXII of this Agreement concerning criminal record checks, arrests, convictions and guilty pleas relative to foster caregivers, employees, volunteers and interns who are involved in the care for a child. Provider is responsible for any penalties, financial or otherwise, that may accrue because of noncompliance with this provision.
- B. To the extent that the Provider maintains a residential center or group home, the Provider agrees to comply with the provisions of their licensing Agency that relates to the operation, safety and maintenance of residential facilities. Specifically, Provider agrees that no firearm or other projectile weapon and no ammunition for such weapons will be kept on the premises.
- C. Provider certifies compliance with Drug Free Work Place Requirements as outlined in 45 C.F.R. Part 76, Subpart F.
- D. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 80, Non-Discrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- E. Provider certifies compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 84, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- F. Provider certifies compliance 45 C.F.R. Part 90, Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Assistance.
- G. Provider certifies compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336.
- H. Provider certifies that it will:
 - 1. Provide a copy of its license(s), certification, accreditation or a letter extending an expiring license, certification, or accreditation from the issuer to the Agency prior to the signing of the Agreement.
 - 2. Maintain its license(s), certification, accreditation and that upon receipt of the renewal of its license, certification, and/or accreditation or upon receipt of a letter extending an expiring license, certification, and/or accreditation from the issuer, a copy of the license, certification and/or accreditation will be provided to the Agency within five (5) business days.
 - 3. Provider shall immediately notify the Agency of any action, modification or issue relating to said licensure, accreditation or certification.
- I. Provider certifies that it will not deny or delay services to eligible persons because of the person's race, color, religion, national origin, gender, orientation, disability, or age.
- J. The Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR part 60.
- K. Provider further agrees to comply with OAC 5101:9-2-01 and OAC 5101:9-2-05(A)(4), as applicable, which require that assure that persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) can meaningfully access services. To the extent Provider provides assistance to an LEP Child through the use of an oral or written translator or interpretation services in compliance with this requirement, the LEP Child shall not be required to pay for such assistance.
- L. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857 (h) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 C.F.R. Part 15).
- M. The Provider certifies compliance, where applicable, with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- N. The Provider certifies that all approvals, licenses, or other qualifications necessary to conduct business in Ohio have been obtained and are current.
- O. Provider shall comply with the Small Business Job Protection Act (Public Law ("P.L.") 104-188), the Multiethnic

Placement Act of 1994 (P.L. 103-382), Titles IV-B (42 U.S.C. 620 et seq.) and IV-E (42 U.S.C. 670 et seq.) of the Social Security Act ("the Act"), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-193), Section 471(a) of Title IV-E of the Act (42 U.S.C. 671(a)), and 45 C.F.R. 1356, including all rules, regulations and guidelines issued by federal and state authorities, OAC 5101:9-4-07 and OAC 5101:2-47-23.1.

Article XII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The Provider and the Agency agree that no employment, joint venture, or partnership has been or will be created between the parties hereto pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- B. The Provider and the Agency agree that the Provider is an independent contractor and assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums which may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or Deliverables rendered hereunder.
- C. The Provider and the Agency agree that no person and/or entities entering into this Agreement, nor any individual employed by any person or entity entering in to this Agreement, are public employees for purposes of contributions to Ohio Public Employees Retirement system by virtue of any work performed or services rendered in accordance with this Agreement.

Article XIII. AUDITS AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Provider agrees to submit to Agency a copy of the independent audit it receives in accordance with ORC 5103.0323.
- B. Upon request from the Agency, Provider shall submit a copy of the most recent Federal income tax return and related schedules filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- C. If Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, Provider agrees to timely file its Title IV-E cost report with all required items as outlined in OAC 5101:2-47-26.2 to ODJFS. Provider agrees that in the event a cost report cannot be timely filed, an extension shall be requested prior to the December 31st filing deadline.
- D. If a Provider participates in the Title IV-E program, an Agreed Upon Procedures engagement must be conducted by a certified public accountant for the Provider's cost report in accordance with OAC 5101:2-47-26.2. The procedures are conducted to verify the accuracy of costs used to establish reimbursement ceilings for maintenance and administration costs of child in care. Any overpayments or underpayment of federal funds to the Title IV-E Agency due to adjustments of cost report reimbursement ceiling amounts as a result of an audit, shall be resolved in accordance with ORC 5101.11, ORC 5101.14, and OAC 5101:2-47-01.
- E. Upon request from the Agency, the Provider shall submit a copy of the JFS 02911 and Agreed Upon Procedures.
- F. For financial reporting purposes and for Title IV-E cost reporting purposes, Provider agrees to follow the cost principles set forth in the following OAC Sections and publications:
 - 1. OAC 5101:2-47-11: "Reimbursement for Title IV-E foster care maintenance (FCM) costs for children's residential centers (CRC), group homes, maternity homes, residential parenting facilities, private foster homes, and substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities".
 - 2. OAC 5101:2-47-26.1: "Public child services agencies (PCSA), private child placing agencies (PCPA), private noncustodial agencies (PNA), residential care facilities, substance use disorder (SUD) residential facilities: Title IV-E cost report filing requirements, record retention requirements, and related party disclosure requirements";
 - 3. OAC 5101:2-47-26.2: "Cost Report Agreed Upon Procedures Engagement".
 - 4. JFS 02911 Single Cost Report Instructions.
 - 5. For Private Agencies: 2 CFR part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Government.
 - 6. For Public Agencies: 2 CFR part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations.
 - 7. 2 CFR part 200.501, Audit Requirements.

Article XIV. GRIEVANCE /DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

In the event that a dispute arises under the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth below:

- 1. The party complaining of a dispute shall provide written notice of the nature of the dispute to the other party to this Agreement. A copy of the notice shall be sent to the Director or designee of the Agency and to the Executive Director or designee of the Provider. Within ten (10) business days of receiving the notice of a dispute, the parties involved in the dispute between the Agency and the Provider shall attempt to resolve the dispute.

2. If the parties are unable to resolve the dispute in (1 business day), the highest official or designee of the Agency shall make the final determination within twenty (20) business days, which will be non-binding.
3. Neither party will be deemed to have waived any other rights or remedies available to them by initiating, participating in or completing this process.

Article XV. AMENDMENTS

This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits hereto constitutes the entire Agreement and may be amended only with a written amendment signed by both parties; however, it is agreed by the parties that any amendments to laws or regulations cited herein will result in the correlative modification of this Agreement, without the necessity for executing written amendments. The impact of any applicable law, statute, or regulation not cited herein and enacted after the date of execution of this Agreement will be incorporated into this Agreement by written amendment signed by both parties and effective as of the date of enactment of the law, statute, or regulation. Any other written amendment to this Agreement is prospective in nature.

Article XVI. NOTICE

Unless otherwise set forth herein, all notices, requests, demands and other communications pertaining to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if delivered or mailed by certified or registered mail, postage pre-paid:

if to Agency, to Warren County Children Services
 416 S East St
 Lebanon, OH 45036

if to Provider , to Department of Mental Health- Eastway Corporation
 600 Wayne Ave
 Dayton, OH 45410

Article XVII. CONSTRUCTION

This Agreement shall be governed, construed, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. Should any portion of this Agreement be found to be unenforceable by operation of statute or by administrative or judicial decision, the operation of the balance of this Agreement is not affected thereby; provided, however, the absence of the illegal provision does not render the performance of the remainder of the Agreement impossible.

Article XVIII. NO ASSURANCES

- A. Provider acknowledges that, by entering into this Agreement, Agency is not making any guarantees or other assurances as to the extent, if any, that Agency shall utilize Provider's services or purchase its goods. In this same regard, this Agreement in no way precludes, prevents, or restricts Provider from obtaining and working under additional arrangement(s) with other parties, assuming the work in no way impedes Provider's ability to perform the services required under this Agreement. Provider warrants that at the time of entering into this Agreement, it has no interest in nor shall it acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Agreement that will impede its ability to provide the goods or perform the services under this Agreement.
- B. This Agreement, Addenda, and all Exhibits embodies the entire agreement of the Parties. There are no promises, terms, conditions or obligations other than those contained herein; and this Agreement shall supersede all previous communications, representations or Agreements, either written or oral, between the parties to this Agreement. Also, this Agreement shall not be modified in any manner except by an instrument, in writing, executed by both the parties.

Article XIX. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

- A. Provider agrees that the Provider, its officers, members and employees currently have no, nor will they acquire any interest, whether personal, professional, direct or indirect, which is incompatible, in conflict with or which would compromise the discharge and fulfillment of Provider's functions, duties and responsibilities hereunder. If the Provider, or any of its officers, members or employees acquire any incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest, the Provider shall immediately disclose, in writing, such interest to the Agency. If any such conflict of interest develops, the Provider agrees that the person with the incompatible, conflicting, or compromising personal or professional interest will not participate in any activities related to this Agreement.
- B. Provider agrees: (1) to refrain from promising or giving to Agency employees anything of value to manifest improper influence upon the employee; (2) to refrain from conflicts of interest; and, (3) to certify that Provider complies with

ORC 102.03, ORC 102.04, ORC 2921.42, ORC 2921.43:

- C. The Provider further agrees that there is no financial interest involved on the part of the Agency or the respective county authority(ies) governing the agency. The Provider has no knowledge of any situation which would be a conflict of interest. It is understood that a conflict of interest occurs when an Agency employee or county official will gain financially or receive personal favors as a result of signing or implementation of this agreement. The Provider will report the discovery of any potential conflict of interest to the Agency. Should a conflict of interest be discovered during the term of this agreement, the Agency may exercise any right under the agreement, including termination of the agreement.

Article XX. INSURANCE

The Provider shall purchase and maintain for the term of this Agreement insurance of the types and amounts identified herein. Maintenance of the proper insurance for the duration of the Agreement is a material element of the Agreement.

Provider agrees to procure and maintain for the term of this Agreement the insurance set forth herein. The cost of all insurance shall be borne by Provider. Insurance shall be purchased from a company licensed to provide insurance in Ohio. Insurance is to be placed with an insurer provided an A.M. Best rating of no less than A-. Provider shall purchase the following coverage and minimum limits:

- A. Commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage contained in the most current Insurance Services Office Occurrence Form CG 00 01 or equivalent with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) in the aggregate and at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) coverage in legal liability fire damage. Coverage will include:

1. Additional insured endorsement;
2. Product liability;
3. Blanket contractual liability;
4. Broad form property damage;
5. Severability of interests;
6. Personal injury; and
7. Joint venture as named insured (if applicable).

Endorsements for physical abuse claims and for sexual molestation claims must be a minimum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) per occurrence and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in the aggregate.

- B. Business auto liability insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit, on all owned, non-owned, leased and hired automobiles. If the Agreement contemplates the transportation of the users of County services (such as but not limited to Agency consumers), "Consumers" and Provider provides this service through the use of its employees' privately owned vehicles "POV", then the Provider's Business Auto Liability insurance shall sit excess to the employees' "POV" insurance and provide coverage above its employee's "POV" coverage. Provider agrees the business auto liability policy will be endorsed to provide this coverage.
- C. Professional liability (errors and omission) insurance of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per claim and in the aggregate.
- D. Umbrella and excess liability insurance policy with limits of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate, above the commercial general and business auto primary policies and containing the following coverage:
1. Additional insured endorsement;
 2. Pay on behalf of wording;
 3. Concurrency of effective dates with primary;
 4. Blanket contractual liability;
 5. Punitive damages coverage (where not prohibited by law);
 6. Aggregates: apply where applicable in primary;
 7. Care, custody and control – follow form primary; and
 8. Drop down feature.

The amounts of insurance required in this section for General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability may be satisfied by Provider purchasing coverage for the limits specified or by any combination of underlying and umbrella limits, so long as the total amount of insurance is not less than the limits specified in

General Liability, Business Auto Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability when added together.

E. Workers' Compensation insurance at the statutory limits required by Ohio Revised code.

F. The Provider further agrees with the following provisions:

1. All policies, except workers' compensation and professional liability, will endorse as additional insured the Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers, including their Board of Trustees if applicable. The additional insured endorsement shall be on an ACORD or ISO form.
2. The insurance endorsement forms and the certificate of insurance forms will be sent to the Agency Director or Designee. The forms must state the following: "Board of County Commissioners, and Agency and their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are endorsed as additional insured as required by agreement on the commercial general, business auto and umbrella/excess liability policies."
3. Each policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled or materially changed except after thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice given to the Agency Director or Designee.
4. Provider shall furnish the Agency with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received by the Agency before the Agreement commences. The Agency reserves the right at any time to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.
5. Failure of the Agency to demand such certificate or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of the Agency to identify a deficiency from evidence provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Provider's obligation to maintain such insurance.
6. Provider shall declare any self-insured retention to the Agency pertaining to liability insurance. Provider shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the Agency guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses for any self-insured retention.
7. If Provider provides insurance coverage under a "claims-made" basis, Provider shall provide evidence of either of the following for each type of insurance which is provided on a claims-made basis: unlimited extended reporting period coverage, which allows for an unlimited period of time to report claims from incidents that occurred after the policy's retroactive date and before the end of the policy period (tail coverage), or; continuous coverage from the original retroactive date of coverage. The original retroactive date of coverage means original effective date of the first claim-made policy issued for a similar coverage while Provider was under Agreement with the County on behalf of the Agency.
8. Provider will require all insurance policies in any way related to the work and secured and maintained by Provider to include endorsements stating each underwriter will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against the County and the Agency. Provider will require of subcontractors, by appropriate written agreements, similar waivers each in favor of all parties enumerated in this section.
9. Provider, the County, and the Agency agree to fully cooperate, participate, and comply with all reasonable requirements and recommendations of the insurers and insurance brokers issuing or arranging for issuance of the policies required here, in all areas of safety, insurance program administration, claim reporting and investigating and audit procedures.
10. Provider's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance with respect to the County, the Agency, their respective officials, employees, agents, and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the County or the Agency shall be excess of Provider's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
11. If any of the work or Services contemplated by this Agreement is subcontractors, Provider will ensure that any subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements contained herein.
12. If the Agreement provider is a government entity, insurance requirements will be fulfilled under the County Risk Sharing Authority (CORSA).

Article XXI. INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by, and in compliance with, applicable law, Provider agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and the Board of County Commissioners, their respective members, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all damages, liability, losses, claims, suits, actions, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings/hearings, judgments and expenses, subrogation (of any party involved in the subject of this Agreement), attorneys' fees, court costs, defense costs or other injury or damage (collectively "Damages"), whether actual, alleged or threatened, resulting from injury or damages of any kind whatsoever to any business, entity or person (including death), or damage to property (including destruction, loss of, loss of use of resulting without injury damage or destruction) of whatsoever nature, arising out of or incident to in any way, the performance of the terms of this Agreement

including, without limitation, by Provider, its subcontractor(s), Provider's or its subcontractor(s) employees, agents, assigns, and those designated by Provider to perform the work or services encompassed by the Agreement. Provider agrees to pay all damages, costs and expenses of the Indemnified Parties in defending any action arising out of the aforementioned acts or omissions.

- B. Each Party agrees to be responsible for any personal injury or property damage caused solely by its negligent acts or omissions as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as the parties may otherwise mutually agree in writing.
- C. This Article is not applicable to Agreements between governmental entities.

Article XXII. SCREENING AND SELECTION

A. Criminal Record Check

1. Provider warrants and represents it will comply with Article X as it relates to criminal record checks. Provider shall insure that every individual subject to a BCII check will sign a release of information to allow inspection and audit of the above criminal records transcripts or reports by the Agency or a private vendor hired by the Agency to conduct compliance reviews on their behalf.
2. Provider shall not assign any individual to work with or transport children until a BCII report and a criminal record transcript has been obtained.
3. Except as provided in Section C below, Provider shall not utilize any individual who has been convicted or plead guilty to any violations contained in ORC 5153.111(B)(1), ORC 2919.24, and OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.
4. Provider agrees to be financially responsible for any audit findings resulting in financial penalty due to lack of compliance with the criminal records checks requirements in OAC Chapters 5101:2-5, 5101:2-7, 5101:2-48.

B. Transportation of Child

1. The caregiver shall ensure the transportation of children in care will be reliable, legal and safe transportation with safety restraints, as appropriate for the child, and must be in compliance with applicable local, state and Federal transportation laws:
 - a. Maintenance of a current valid driver's license and vehicle insurance.
 - b. All children being transported by Provider must follow Ohio's Child Passenger Safety Law as defined in ORC 4511.81.
 - c. No child that is a passenger and is required to have a seat restraint can be transported by said provider until these requirements are met.
2. In addition to the requirements set forth above, Provider shall not permit any individual to transport a Child if:
 - a. The individual has a condition which would affect safe operation of a motor vehicle;
 - b. The individual has six (6) or more points on his/her driver's license; or
 - c. The individual has been convicted of, or pleaded guilty to, a violation of section 4511.19 (Operating vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – OVI or OVUAC) of the Revised Code if the individual previously was convicted of, or plead guilty to two or more violations within the three years immediately preceding the current violation.

C. Rehabilitation

1. Notwithstanding the above, Provider may make a request to the Agency to utilize an individual if Provider believes the individual has met the rehabilitative standards of OAC 5101:2-07-02(I) as follows:
 - a. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for a foster caregiver, a foster care applicant or other resident of the foster caregiver's household, Provider must provide written verification that the rehabilitation standards of OAC 5101:2-7-02 have been met.
 - b. If the Provider is seeking rehabilitation for any other individual serving Agency children, Provider must provide written verification from the individual that the rehabilitative conditions in accordance with OAC 5101:2-5-09 have been met.
2. The Agency shall review the facts presented and may allow the individual to work with, volunteer with or transport Agency children on a case-by-case basis. It is the Agency's sole discretion to permit a rehabilitated individual to work with, volunteer with or transport children.

D. Verification of Job or Volunteer Application:

Provider shall check and document each applicant's personal and employment references, general work history, relevant experience, and training information. Provider further agrees it will not employ an individual in relation to this Agreement unless it has received satisfactory employment references, work history, relevant experience, and training information.

Article XXIII. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL & DEGRADING PUNISHMENT

Agency prohibits the use of corporal or degrading punishment against children served by Agency and must comply with requirements in OAC 5101:2-7-09, OAC 5101:2-9-21, and OAC 5101:2-9-22

Article XXIV. FINDING FOR RECORDS

ORC 9.24 prohibits public agencies from awarding an Agreement for goods, services, or construction paid for in whole or in part from federal, state and local funds, to an entity against whom a finding for recovery has been issued if the finding is unresolved. By entering into this Agreement, Provider warrants and represents that they do not have an unresolved finding for recovery. Provider shall notify the Agency within ten (10) business days of its notification should the Provider be issued such finding by the Auditor of the State.

Article XXV. PUBLIC RECORDS

This Agreement is a matter of public record under the Ohio public records law. By entering into this Agreement, Provider acknowledges and understands that records maintained by Provider pursuant to this Agreement may also be deemed public records and subject to disclosure under Ohio law. Upon request made pursuant to Ohio law, the Agency shall make available the Agreement and all public records generated as a result of this Agreement.

Article XXVI. CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

Provider agrees to cooperate with ODJFS and any Ohio Child Support Enforcement Agency ("CSEA") in ensuring Provider and Provider's employees meet child support obligations established under state or federal law. Further, by executing this Agreement, Provider certifies present and future compliance with any court or valid administrative order for the withholding of support which is issued pursuant to the applicable sections in ORC Chapters 3119, 3121, 3123, and 3125.

Article XXVII. DECLARATION OF PROPERTY TAX DELINQUENCY

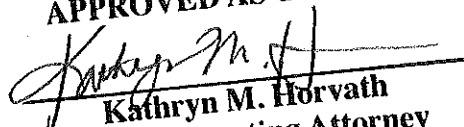
After award of an Agreement, and prior to the time the Agreement is entered into, the successful Provider shall submit a statement in accordance with ORC 5719.042. Such statement shall affirm under oath that the person with whom the Agreement is to be made was not charged at the time the bid was submitted with any delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of personal property of any county in which the taxing district has territory, or that such person was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on any such tax list, in which case the statement shall also set forth the amount of such due and unpaid delinquent taxes any due and unpaid penalties and interest thereon. If the statement indicates that the taxpayer was charged with any such taxes, a copy of the statement shall be transmitted by the fiscal officer to the county treasurer within thirty days of the date it is submitted.

A copy of the statement shall also be incorporated into the Agreement, and no payment shall be made with respect to any contract to which this section applies unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

Article XXVIII. SUBCONTRACTING AND DELEGATION

The performance of any duty, responsibility or function which is the obligation of the Provider under this Agreement may be delegated or subcontracted to any agent or subcontractor of Provider if Provider has obtained the prior written consent of the Agency for that delegation subcontract. Provider is responsible for ensuring that the duties, responsibilities or functions so delegated or subcontracted are performed in accordance with the provisions and standards of this Agreement, and the actions and omissions of any such agent or subcontractor shall be deemed to be the actions and omissions of Provider for purposes of this Agreement.

APPROVED AS TO FORM


Kathryn M. Horvath
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney

Article XXIX. PROPERTY OF AGENCY

The Deliverable(s) and any item(s) provided or produced pursuant to this Agreement (collectively called "Deliverables") will be considered "works made for hire" within the meaning of copyright laws of the United States of America and the State of Ohio. The Agency is the sole author of the Deliverables and the sole owner of all rights therein. If any portion of the Deliverables are deemed not to be a "work made for hire", or if there are any rights in the Deliverables not so conveyed to the Agency, then Provider agrees to, and by executing this Agreement hereby does, assign to the Agency all worldwide rights, title, and interest in and to the Deliverables. The Agency acknowledges that its sole ownership of the Deliverables under this Agreement does not affect Provider's right to use general concepts, algorithms, programming techniques, methodologies, or technology that have been developed by Provider prior to this Agreement or that are generally known and available. Any Deliverable provided or produced by Provider under this Agreement or with funds hereunder, including any documents, data, photographs and negatives, electronic reports/records, or other media, are the property of the Agency, which has an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use the Deliverables. Provider shall not obtain copyright, patent, or other proprietary protection for the Deliverables. Provider shall not include in any Deliverable any copyrighted material, unless the copyright owner gives prior written approval for the Agency and Provider to use such copyrighted material. Provider agrees that all Deliverables will be made freely available to the general public unless the Agency determines that, pursuant to state or federal law, such materials are confidential or otherwise exempt from disclosure.

Article XXX. SEVERABILITY

If any term of this Agreement or its application thereof to any person or circumstance shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby. Each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XXXI. NO ADDITIONAL WAIVER IMPLIED


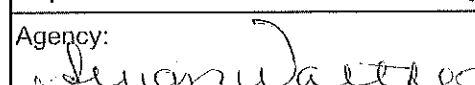
If the Agency or Provider fails to perform any obligations under this Agreement and thereafter such failure is waived by the other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular matter waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other failure hereunder, nor a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or condition. Waivers shall not be effective unless in writing.

Article XXXII. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

This Agreement and any modifications, amendments, or alterations, shall be governed, construed, and enforced under the laws of Ohio. Any legal action brought pursuant to this agreement will be filed in the Ohio courts, and Ohio law as well as Federal law will apply.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of the signature of the parties.

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

Provider 	3/6/20
Printed Name Department of Mental Health- Eastway Corporation	Date
Agency: 	3/17/2020
Printed Name Warren County Children Services	Date

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

ADDENDA TO AGREEMENT

This Addenda sets forth the terms and conditions between the parties for placement services for children who are in the care and custody of the Agency named below.

This Agreement is between

IV-E Agency Name Warren County Children Services		
Street/Mailing Address 416 S East St		
City Lebanon	State OH	Zip Code 45036

a Title IV-E Agency, hereinafter "Agency," whose address is

and

hereinafter "Provider," whose address is:

Provider Department of Mental Health- Eastway Corporation		
Street/Mailing Address 600 Wayne Ave		
City Dayton	State OH	Zip Code 45410

Contract ID : 19180114

Originally Dated :04/01/2020 to 05/31/2021

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
**AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS FOR
THE PROVISION
OF
CHILD PLACEMENT**

Amendment Number 1 :

Amendment Reason:

OTHER

Amendment Begin Date:

04/01/2020

Amendment End Date :

05/31/2021

Increased Amount:

\$0.00

Article Name:

Article I. Scope of Placement Services

Amendment Reason Narrative:

Addendum #1 attached. See Addendum #1 for details.

**ADDENDUM 1 TO AGREEMENT FOR TITLE IV-E AGENCIES AND PROVIDERS
FOR THE PROVISION OF CHILD PLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreement seek to amend certain terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services standard Agreement for Title IV-E Agencies and Providers for the Provision of Child Placement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree that the Agreement shall include the following Amendments, additional terms, and conditions that address Provider and Agency responsibilities.

AMENDMENT #1:

Wherever referenced herein and throughout the Agreement, the terms "Agency" or "Warren County Children Services" shall refer to the Warren County Board of County Commissioners, contracting authority for Warren County Children Services, entering into this Agreement on behalf of Warren County Children Services.

AMENDMENT #2:

Article V, subsection (I) shall be amended to add the following language:

3. When a strip search or cavity search is conducted.

AMENDMENT #3:

The following provisions shall be added to Article V of the Agreement:

AA. Any notification required pursuant to subsections (G), (H), or (I) of Article V shall require verbal contact with an Agency representative. Leaving a voicemail shall not constitute notification under these sections.

BB. Provider shall make available for immediate inspection upon request by the Agency any and all written policies and procedures for operation of the facility, including, but not limited to, policies relating to use of physical restraint; searches, including policies for strip searches, and cavity searches; and policies for medication administration.

AMENDMENT #4:

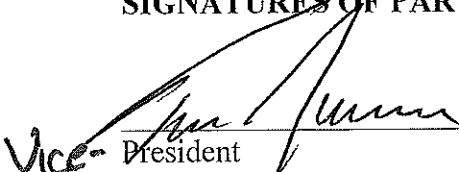
Article VI, subsection (H) of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

The language that states "thirty (30) calendar days" shall be replaced with "twenty-four (24) hours, not to exceed thirty (30) calendar days."

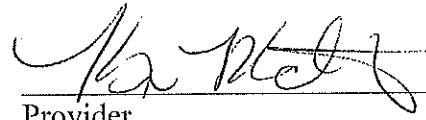
ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STANDARD AGREEMENT NOT SPECIFICALLY AMENDED, MODIFIED, ADDED, OR DELETED HEREBY SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Addendum to the Agreement by the President of the Warren County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Resolution Number 20-00489, dated 3/24/20, and by the duly authorized _____ of _____ [Provider].

SIGNATURES OF PARTIES:

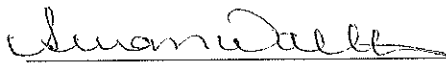
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President
Warren County Board of Commissioners
Date 3/24/2020



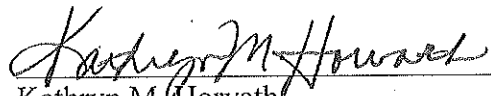
Provider
Date 3/10/20

Reviewed by:



Director
Warren County Children's Services

Approved as to Form:



Kathryn M. Horvath
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

AFFIDAVIT OF NON COLLUSION

STATE OF OHIO
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

I, Kelli Ott, holding the title and position of Director of Admin. at the firm EastWay Corp., affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of the company, board directors and owners in setting the price on the contract, bid or proposal. I understand that any misstatements in the following information will be treated as fraudulent concealment of true facts on the submission of the contract, bid or proposal.

I hereby swear and depose that the following statements are true and factual to the best of my knowledge:

The contract, bid or proposal is genuine and not made on the behalf of any other person, company or client, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The price of the contract, bid or proposal was determined independent of outside consultation and was not influenced by other companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to propose a fake contract, bid or proposal for comparative purposes.

No companies, clients or contractors, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS have been solicited to refrain from bidding or to submit any form of noncompetitive bidding.

Relative to sealed bids, the price of the bid or proposal has not been disclosed to any client, company or contractor, INCLUDING ANY MEMBER OF THE WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, and will not be disclosed until the formal bid/proposal opening date.

Kelli Ott

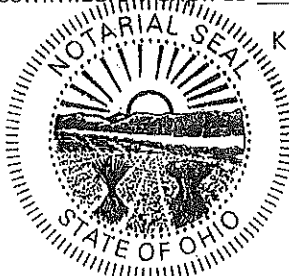
AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10TH day of MARCH 20 20

Krystal Kaye Burke
(Notary Public),

MONTGOMERY County.

My commission expires _____ 20 _____



KRYSTAL KAYE BURKE
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF OHIO
Comm. Expires
02-09-2022
Recorded in
Darke County

Eastway Corporation

Effective 4-1-20 through 03-31-21

BOARD AND CARE PER DIEM RATES

	Level of Care	Provider Number	State of Ohio Title IV-E Reimbursement				Eastway Corporation (Rates)			Eastway Corporation Total Daily
			Maintenance	Administration	Other	Maintenance	Administrati	Other		
The Ranch of Opportunity Residential Treatment Unit	Level VI Residential Treatment - Open	20808	\$255.00	\$0.00					\$255.00	
The Ranch of Opportunity Intensive Treatment Unit	Level VI Residential Treatment - Locked	20809	\$400.00	\$0.00					\$400.00	
Northcutt Residential Treatment Unit	Level VI Residential Treatment - Open	20286	\$230.00	\$0.00					\$230.00	

The Title IV-E Reimbursement Ceilings pending approval by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services for 04/01/20 through 03/31/21 are identified above.

In the event that the Maintenance/Administration Rates as set forth by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services are reduced at any time during the effective date of the contract, the Provider and Department agree this Attachment A will be automatically updated upon receipt of notice of the decreased maintenance/administration rates by Department from Provider, to reflect the revised breakdown between maintenance and administration rates to be charged to the Department, with no increase or decrease to the Total Daily Rate to be charged to the Department.

NOTE: The above information is required to insure the accurate information is entered into SACWIS and to insure the Department is receiving the maximum amount of IV-E reimbursement they are entitled to.



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April 22, 2019

John Strahm, CEO
Eastway Corporation
600 Wayne Avenue
Dayton, OH 45410

Re: **Renewal of Class One License Number 06-1989**

Dear Mr. Strahm:

Northcutt Residential Treatment Facility has been surveyed in accordance with Section 5119.34 of the Ohio Revised Code. Your corrective actions have been determined to be in compliance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC), rules 5122-30-01 through 5122-33-31. You are licensed to operate a residential facility as specified on the enclosed license(s). Each license specifies the term of the license, the maximum number of residents for the facility, the maximum number of household members, and the classification type of the residential facility.

The license is not transferable to any other site or property. The operator of the residential facility shall be responsible for notifying the Department of any changes or proposed changes concerning the information submitted and attested to in the application, or in operation of the facility which alter or modify the type of activity for which the facility is licensed, and/or the continued compliance of the facility with the requirements for licensure.

As a reminder, you are required to submit a Residential Incident Notification form for any reportable incident within twenty-four hours of discovery, excluding weekends and holidays.

If you have any questions regarding any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact **Sheila Clark** at 419-392-9205.

Sincerely,

Janel M. Pequignot, Chief
Bureau of Licensure and Certification

pc: Helen Jones-Kelley, Exec. Director, Montgomery County ADAMHS Board
Sheila Clark, MSCJ, LCDCH, OCPC, Behavioral Health Standards Surveyor, OhioMHAS
Susan Sekely, MBA, Supervisor, Bureau of Licensure and Certification, OhioMHAS
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License to Operate a Residential Facility

This Residential Facility has been surveyed in accordance with Section 5119.34 of the Ohio Revised Code, is in compliance with rules adopted pursuant to this Chapter, and is hereby issued this license for the maximum number of residents and household members specified.

Name of Facility: Northcutt Residential Treatment Facility

Address: 4950 Northcutt Place

City: Dayton

Zip: 45410

Operator: Eastway Corporation

Community Mental Health Board: ADAMHS Board for Montgomery County

Date Issued: 04/01/2019

Date Expires: 03/31/2022

License Number: 06-1989

Maximum Number of Residents: 24

Number of Household Members: 24

Type: 1

Term of License: Full

License to Admit: Children

Director, Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services



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License to Operate a Residential Facility

This Residential Facility has been surveyed in accordance with Section 5119.34 of the Ohio Revised Code, is in compliance with rules adopted pursuant to this Chapter, and is hereby issued this license for the maximum number of residents and household members specified.

Name of Facility: **The Ranch of Opportunity**

Address: **1771 Palmer Road**

City: **Washington Courthouse**

Zip: **43160**

Operator: **Eastway Corporation**
Community Mental Health Board: **Paint Valley ADAMH Board**

Date Issued: **12/2/2019**

Date Expires: **12/1/2022**

License Number: **06-7503**

Maximum Number of Residents: **30**

Number of Household Members: **30**

Classification: **One**

Term of License: **Full**

Licensed to Admit: **Children**

Director, Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
9/6/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Hylant - Cincinnati 50 E-Business Way, Ste 420 Cincinnati OH 45241	CONTACT NAME: Jen Back	
	PHONE (A/C No., Ext): 513-985-2400	FAX (A/C No.): 513-985-2404
E-MAIL ADDRESS: jen.back@hylant.com		
INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC #
INSURER A : Philadelphia Indemnity Ins Co		18058
INSURED EASTW03 Eastway Corporation P.O. Box 983 Dayton OH 45401		
INSURER B :		
INSURER C :		
INSURER D :		
INSURER E :		
INSURER F :		

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 1606810614 **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:			PHPK2030340	9/1/2019	9/1/2020	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 1,000,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$ 20,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 1,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 3,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$ 3,000,000 \$
A	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS ONLY			PHPK2030340	9/1/2019	9/1/2020	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ 1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UMBRELLA LIAB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> DED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$ 10,000			PHUB691394	9/1/2019	9/1/2020	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 4,000,000 AGGREGATE \$ 4,000,000 \$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory In NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below		Y/N N/A				PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER <input type="checkbox"/> E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$
A	Professional Liability Physical or Sexual Abuse/ Molestation			PHPK2030340	9/1/2019	9/1/2020	Per Occurrence \$1,000,000 Aggregate \$3,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER Evidence of Coverage	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0490

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ACKNOWLEDGE PAYMENT OF BILLS

BE IT RESOLVED, to acknowledge payment of bills from 3/17/20 and 3/19/20 as attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc:: Auditor _____

Resolution

Number 20-0491

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ENTER INTO A SUBDIVISION PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT PERFORMANCE AND MAINTENANCE SECURITY AGREEMENT WITH THE DREES COMPANY, FOR INSTALLATION OF CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS IN SHAKER RUN, SECTION SIX, PHASE A, SITUATED IN TURTLECREEK TOWNSHIP

BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Warren County Sanitary Engineer, to enter into the following security agreement:

SECURITY AGREEMENT

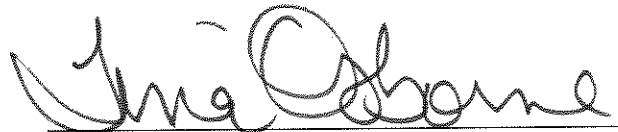
Bond Number	:	20-002 (W/S)
Development	:	Shaker Run, Section Six, Phase A
Developer	:	The Drees Company
Township	:	Turtlecreek
Amount	:	\$12,418.35
Surety Company	:	Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (No. 014214542)

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: The Drees Company, ATTN: Jeff Hebler, 211 Grandview Drive, Ft. Mitchell, KY 41017
Water/Sewer (file)
Bond Agreement file

**SUBDIVISION PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT PERFORMANCE AND MAINTENANCE
SECURITY AGREEMENT**

WATER AND/OR SANITARY SEWER

Security Agreement No.

W/S 20-002

This Agreement made and concluded at Lebanon, Ohio, by and between _____
The Drees Company (1) (hereinafter the "Developer") and the
Warren County Board of County Commissioners, (hereinafter the "County Commissioners"), and
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (2) (hereinafter the "Surety").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Developer is required to install certain improvements in Shaker Run
Subdivision, Section/Phase ^{Sec Six, Ph A} (3) (hereinafter the "Subdivision") situated in
Turtlecreek (4) Township, Warren County, Ohio, in accordance with the Warren County
Subdivision regulations (hereinafter called the "Improvements"); and,

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the total cost of the Improvements is \$124,184,
and that the Improvements that have yet to be completed and approved may be constructed in the sum of
\$0.00; and,

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners have determined to require all developers to post security
in the sum of one hundred thirty percent (130%) of the estimated cost of uncompleted or unapproved
Improvements to secure the performance of the construction of uncompleted or unapproved Improvements
in accordance with Warren County subdivision regulations and to require all Developers to post security in
the sum of ten percent (10%) of the estimated total cost of the Improvements after the completion of the
Improvements and their tentative acceptance by the County Commissioners to secure the performance of
all maintenance upon the Improvements as may be required between the completion and tentative
acceptance of the Improvements and their final acceptance by the County Commissioners.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it agreed:

1. The Developer will provide **performance security** to the County Commissioners in the sum
of \$0.00 to secure the performance of the construction of the
uncompleted or unapproved Improvements in accordance with Warren County subdivision
regulations (hereinafter the Performance Obligation). If any sum greater than zero (0) is
inserted herein, the **minimum performance security** shall be ten percent (10%) of the total
cost of the Improvements.

2. The County Commissioners will, upon approval of the County Sanitary Engineer of all Improvements in the Subdivision, tentatively accept all Improvements.
3. The Developer shall be in default of the Performance Obligation if the construction or installation of any Improvement by the Developer is not completed within N/A years from the date of the execution of this agreement, as determined by the County Sanitary Engineer. The same shall apply whenever construction of the Improvements is not performed in accordance with the Warren County subdivision regulations.
4. The condition of the Performance Obligation shall be that whenever the Developer shall be declared by the County Commissioners to be in default, the Surety and the Developer shall, upon written notification of default by the County Commissioners to the Surety promptly make sufficient funds available to the County Commissioners to pay the cost of the completion of the construction of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements in accordance with Warren County subdivision regulations, including any costs incurred by the County Commissioners which are incidental to the completion of the construction of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements, including, but not limited to costs associated with publication of legal notices, preparation of such additional plans, specifications and drawings as may, in the judgment of the County Commissioners, be necessary, preparation of bid documents, etc., but not exceeding the amount set forth in Item 1 hereof. The Developer shall have the opportunity to respond in writing within two (2) weeks of receipt of notice of intent to find the Developer in default. In the case that the performance security given is in the form of a cashier's check or certified check provided directly to the County Commissioners, the County Commissioners may apply such funds as set forth herein upon notification of default to the Surety. The determination of the amount of funds to be disbursed by Surety to the County Commissioners as set forth in the aforesaid notification is final and binding upon the parties hereto. However, the foregoing shall not release Developer from any liability for any deficiency between the amount of funds disbursed and the actual costs incurred by the County Commissioners in the completion of the construction or installation of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements and Developer expressly agrees to be liable to the County Commissioners for any such deficiency.
5. The County Commissioners, the Developer and Surety mutually agree that the Performance Obligation created herein shall continue until the completion of the installation of the Improvements in accordance with Warren County subdivision regulations and that upon the Improvements having been inspected and approved for one year maintenance, the Performance Obligation shall become null and void.
6. The Developer will provide **maintenance security** to the County Commissioners in the sum of \$12,418.35 to secure the performance of all maintenance upon the Improvements as determined to be necessary by the County Sanitary Engineer (hereinafter the Maintenance Obligation). In no event shall the sum provided for herein be less than ten percent (10%) of the estimated total cost of the Improvements as set forth above.

7. The Developer, upon being notified by the County Sanitary Engineer of the maintenance required upon the Improvements to bring the same into compliance with Warren County Subdivision regulations shall immediately undertake to perform and complete such required maintenance within the time set forth in the notice from the County Sanitary Engineer.
8. The Developer shall be in default of the Maintenance Obligation should the Developer fail to complete or cause to be undertaken and completed required maintenance upon the Improvements as set forth in Item 7 hereof.
9. The condition of the Maintenance Obligation shall be that whenever the Developer shall be declared by the County Commissioners to be in default, the Surety and the Developer shall, upon written notification of default by the County Commissioners to the Surety promptly make sufficient funds available to the County Commissioners to pay the cost of the required maintenance upon the Improvements, including any costs incurred by the County Commissioners which are incidental to the performance of such maintenance, including, but not limited to costs associated with the publication of legal notices, preparation of additional plans, specifications and drawings, as may, in the judgment of the County Commissioners, be necessary, preparation of bid documents, etc. but not exceeding the amount set forth in Item 6 hereof. The Developer shall have the opportunity to respond in writing within two (2) weeks of receipt of notice of intent to find the Developer in default. In the case that the maintenance security given is in the form of a cashier's check or certified check provided directly to the County Commissioners, the County Commissioners may apply such funds to the completion of the required maintenance upon the Improvements upon notification of default to the Surety. The determination of the amount of funds to be disbursed by Surety to the County Commissioners as set forth in the aforesaid notification is final and binding upon the parties hereto. However, the foregoing shall not release Developer from any liability for any deficiency between the amount of funds disbursed and the actual costs incurred by the County Commissioners in the performance of maintenance upon the Improvements and Developer expressly agrees to be liable to the County Commissioners for any such deficiency.
10. That upon expiration of the one year from the date of the tentative acceptance of the Improvements by the County Commissioners and upon satisfactory completion of any required maintenance upon the Improvements to bring the Improvements into compliance with Warren County subdivision regulations, the County Commissioners hereby agree to release the maintenance security and give final acceptance to the Improvements. The Developer shall request, in writing directed to the County Sanitary Engineer, a final inspection of the Improvements and the Developer shall be responsible for all maintenance as may be necessary and as may accrue from the commencement of the one year maintenance period and until such written request for inspection is delivered.
11. In the case of default pursuant to Items 3 and 4 or 8 and 9 hereof, Developer shall make available to the County Commissioners all plans, specifications and drawing relating to the Improvements and hereby directs all third parties, including engineers and consultants, who may possess such plans, specifications and drawings, or copies thereof, to provide the same

to the County Commissioners upon request and presentation of this security agreement or a copy thereof and agrees to hold such third parties harmless from the provision of such plan specifications and drawings pursuant to this item. Developer does hereby consent to the use of such plans, specifications and drawings by the County Commissioners to complete the construction of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements or the performance of maintenance upon the same in the case of default pursuant to Items 3 and 4 or 8 and 9 hereof.

12. In the case of conflict between the provisions of this agreement and any other security agreement relating to the same Improvements, the provisions of this agreement shall take precedence.
13. Any notice, correspondence, inquiry or request for inspection permitted or required under this security agreement shall be given as follows:

A. To the County Commissioners:

Warren County Commissioners
Attn: County Administrator
406 Justice Drive
Lebanon, OH 45036
Ph. (513) 695-1250

B. To the County Sanitary Engineer:

Warren County Water & Sewer Department
Attn: Sanitary Engineer
406 Justice Drive
Lebanon, OH 45036
Ph. (513) 695-1380

C. To the Developer:

The Drees Company

Att: Jeff Hebler

211 Grandview Drive

Ft. Mitchell, KY 41017

Ph. (859) 578 - 4324

D. To the Surety:

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

8044 Montgomery Road, Suite 150E

Cincinnati, OH 45236

Ph. (513) 792 - 1862

All notices and requests for inspection, unless otherwise specifically provided herein, shall be by certified mail, return receipt requested and shall be complete upon mailing. **All parties are obligated to give notice of any change of address.**

14. The security to be provided herein shall be by:

_____ **Certified check or cashier's check** (attached) (**CHECK #** _____)

_____ **Original Letter of Credit** (attached) (**LETTER OF CREDIT #** _____)

_____ **Original Escrow Letter** (attached)

Surety Bond (this security agreement shall serve as the bond when signed by an authorized representative of a surety company authorized to do business within the State of Ohio with a **power of attorney attached** evidencing such authorized signature).

_____ **Surety obligation of national bank** (by signing this security agreement the authorized representative of the national bank undertaking this surety obligation does certify, for and on behalf of the undersigned national bank, that the bank has a segregated deposit sufficient in amount to the bank's total potential liability).

15. **The term "Surety" as used herein includes a bank, savings and loan or other financial institution where the security provided is a letter of credit, escrow letter or surety obligation of a national bank. The term "Surety" when referring to a bank, savings and loan or other financial institution is not intended to create obligations beyond those provided by Paragraphs 4 and/or 9 of this security agreement.**

16. **In the event that Surety shall fail to make funds available to the County Commissioners in accordance with Paragraphs 4 or 9, as applicable, within thirty (30) days after notification of default, then amounts due shall bear interest at eight per cent (8%) per annum.**

17. This Agreement shall not be assignable or transferrable by the Developer or Surety to any third party or parties without the express written consent of the County Commissioners. Developer and Surety waive any successor developer or successor surety claim or defense unless the County Commissioners have executed a written consent of assignment.
18. This Agreement shall be construed under the laws of the State of Ohio. The Developer and Surety hereby stipulate to the venue for any and all claims, disputes, interpretations and litigation of any kind arising out of this Agreement, being exclusively in the Warren County, Ohio Court of Common Pleas (unless both parties mutually agree in writing to attempt to resolve by alternate dispute resolution prior to litigation), and do further waive any right to bring or remove such claims, disputes, interpretation and litigation of any kind arising out of this Agreement, in or to any other state or a federal court.

IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, the Developer and the Surety have caused this security agreement to be executed on the date stated below.

DEVELOPER: The Drees Company

SURETY: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

Pursuant to a resolution authorizing the undersigned to execute this agreement.

Pursuant to an instrument authorizing the undersigned to execute this agreement.

SIGNATURE: 

SIGNATURE: 

PRINTED NAME: Jeff Hebel

PRINTED NAME: Susan A. Yeazell

TITLE: Assistant Secretary/Cincinnati Land

TITLE: Attorney-in-Fact

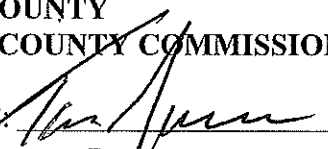
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DATE: January 3, 2020

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IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, the Warren County Board of County Commissioners have caused this security agreement to be executed by the President of the Board, on the date stated below, pursuant to Board Resolution Number 20-0491, dated 3/24/2020.

WARREN COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SIGNATURE: 

PRINTED NAME: TOM GROSSEMAN

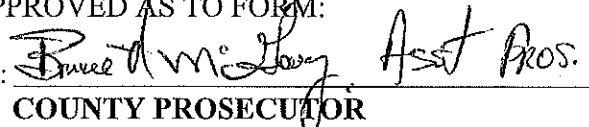
Vice -
TITLE: President

DATE: _____

RECOMMENDED BY:

By: 
SANITARY ENGINEER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By:  ASST PROS.
COUNTY PROSECUTOR

Key:

1. Name of Developer
2. Name of Person, Firm, Entity, etc. who is providing the security whether that be a bank or other financial institution (in the case of a letter of credit or escrow letter) (Surety Company in the case of a bond) or the Developer itself (in the case of a certified check or cashier's check)
3. Name of subdivision with section number and phase number where applicable
4. Name of Township



This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

Certificate No: 8202224-014183

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies"), pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint, Tiffany Gobich, Dan E. Ries, Susan A. Yeazell

all of the city of Cincinnati state of Ohio each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents and shall be as binding upon the Companies as if they have been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Companies in their own proper persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed thereto this 26th day of September, 2019.



Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

By: David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

State of PENNSYLVANIA ss
County of MONTGOMERY

On this 26th day of September, 2019 before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Notarial Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Upper Merion Twp., Montgomery County
My Commission Expires March 28, 2021
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By: Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-laws and Authorizations of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company which resolutions are now in full force and effect reading as follows:

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS: Section 12. Power of Attorney.

Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitation as the Chairman or the President may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Corporation to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Corporation by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Corporation. When so executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the President and attested to by the Secretary. Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

Certificate of Designation - The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

Authorization - By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the Company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the Company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this 3rd day of January, 2020.



By: Renee C. Llewellyn, Assistant Secretary

Not valid for mortgage, note, loan, letter of credit, currency rate, interest rate or residual value guarantees.

To confirm the validity of this Power of Attorney call 1-610-832-8240 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day.

Bond No. 014214542

MAINTENANCE BOND

Know All Men By These Presents, That we, The Drees Company
211 Grandview Drive, Ft. Mitchell, KY 41017
as Principal, and Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, a corporation
organized under the laws of the State of MA with principal place at 8044 Montgomery
Road, 150E, Cincinnati, OH 45236, as Surety, are held and
firmly bound unto Warren County Commissioners, 406 Justice Drive, Lebanon, OH
452036 (hereinafter called Obligee) in the penal sum of Twelve Thousand
Four Hundred Eighteen and 35/100, (\$ 12,418.35), for
payment of which, well and truly to be made, we do hereby bind ourselves, our heirs,
executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these
presents.

DATED this 3rd day of January 20 20.

WHEREAS, the said Principal has heretofore entered into a Subdividers
Contract with the Obligee above named for certain physical improvements for

Water and/or Sanitary Sewer in Shaker Run Subdivision
Section Six, Phase A in Turtlecreek Township, Warren County, Ohio

and

WHEREAS, the Principal submits that all work called for under the said
Subdividers Contract has now been completed according to the approved plans and as
a condition of acceptance of the physical improvements offers this bond to said
Obligee;

NOW THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That is
said Principal shall, for a period of One (1) years from and after the 3rd
day of January, 20 20, indemnify the Obligee against any loss or
damage directly arising by reason of any defect in the material or workmanship which
may be discovered within the period aforesaid, then this obligation shall be void;
otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that in the event of any default on the part of said
Principal, written statement of the particular facts showing such default and the date
hereof shall be delivered facts showing such default and the date thereof shall be
delivered to the Surety by certified mail, at its Home Office in 175 Berkeley Street
Boston, MA 02117 promptly and in any event within thirty (30) days after the Obligee
or his representative shall learn of such default; and that no claim suit, or action by
reason of any default of the Principal shall be brought hereunder after the expiration of
thirty (30) days from the end of the maintenance period as herein set forth.

The Drees Company

Principal

By: 

Its: Asst. Sec. / Cincinnati, Ohio

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

Surety

By: Susan A. Yeazell

Its: Susan A. Yeazell, Attorney-in-Fact

Resolution

Number 20-0492

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ENTER INTO A SUBDIVISION PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT PERFORMANCE AND MAINTENANCE SECURITY AGREEMENT WITH THE DREES COMPANY, FOR INSTALLATION OF CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS IN SHAKER RUN, SECTION SIX, PHASE A, SITUATED IN TURTLECREEK TOWNSHIP

BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Warren County Sanitary Engineer, to enter into the following security agreement:

SECURITY AGREEMENT

Bond Number	:	20-003 (P/S)
Development	:	Shaker Run, Section Six, Phase A
Developer	:	The Drees Company
Township	:	Turtlecreek
Amount	:	\$248,090.71
Surety Company	:	Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (No. 014214538)

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: The Drees Company, ATTN: Jeff Hebel, 211 Grandview Drive, Ft. Mitchell, KY 41017
Engineer (file)
Bond Agreement file

**SUBDIVISION PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT PERFORMANCE AND MAINTENANCE
SECURITY AGREEMENT**

**STREETS AND APPURTENANCES
(including Sidewalks)**

Security Agreement No.

20-003 (P/S)

This Agreement made and concluded at Lebanon, Ohio, by and between _____
The Drees Company (1) (hereinafter the "Developer") and the
Warren County Board of County Commissioners, (hereinafter the "County Commissioners"), and
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (2) (hereinafter the "Surety").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Developer is required to install certain improvements in Shaker Run
_____ **Subdivision, Section/Phase** Sec 6, Ph A(3) (hereinafter the "Subdivision") situated in
Turtlecreek (4) Township, Warren County, Ohio, in accordance with the Warren County
Subdivision regulations (hereinafter called the "Improvements"); and,

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the total cost of the Improvements is \$688,022.71,
and that the Improvements that have yet to be completed and approved may be constructed in the sum of
\$190,839.01; and,

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners require all developers to post security in the sum of one
hundred thirty percent (130%) of the estimated cost of uncompleted or unapproved Improvements to secure
the performance of the construction of uncompleted or unapproved Improvements in accordance with
Warren County subdivision regulations and to require all Developers to post security in the sum of twenty
percent (20%) of the estimated total cost of the Improvements after the completion of the Improvements
and their tentative acceptance by the County Commissioners to secure the performance of all maintenance
upon the Improvements as may be required between the completion and tentative acceptance of the
Improvements and their final acceptance by the County Commissioners.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it agreed:

1. The Developer will provide **performance security** to the County Commissioners in the sum
of \$248,090.71 to secure the performance of the construction of the
uncompleted or unapproved Improvements in accordance with Warren County subdivision
regulations (hereinafter the Performance Obligation). If any sum greater than zero (0) is
inserted herein, the **minimum performance security** shall be twenty percent (20%) of the
total cost of the Improvements.

2. The County Commissioners will, upon approval of the County Engineer of all Improvements in the Subdivision, tentatively accept all Improvements.
3. The Developer shall be in default of the Performance Obligation if the construction or installation of any Improvement by the Developer is not completed within 3 years from the date of the execution of this agreement, as determined by the County Engineer. The same shall apply whenever construction of the Improvements is not performed in accordance with the Warren County subdivision regulations.
4. The condition of the Performance Obligation shall be that whenever the Developer shall be declared by the County Commissioners to be in default, the Surety and the Developer shall, upon written notification of default by the County Commissioners to the Surety promptly make sufficient funds available to the County Commissioners to pay the cost of the completion of the construction of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements in accordance with Warren County subdivision regulations, including any costs incurred by the County Commissioners which are incidental to the completion of the construction of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements, including, but not limited to costs associated with publication of legal notices, preparation of such additional plans, specifications and drawings as may, in the judgment of the County Commissioners, be necessary, preparation of bid documents, etc., but not exceeding the amount set forth in Item 1 hereof. The Developer shall have the opportunity to respond in writing within two (2) weeks of receipt of notice of intent to find the Developer in default. In the case that the performance security given is in the form of a cashier's check or certified check provided directly to the County Commissioners, the County Commissioners may apply such funds as set forth herein upon notification of default to the Surety. The determination of the amount of funds to be disbursed by Surety to the County Commissioners as set forth in the aforesaid notification is final and binding upon the parties hereto. However, the foregoing shall not release Developer from any liability for any deficiency between the amount of funds disbursed and the actual costs incurred by the County Commissioners in the completion of the construction or installation of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements and Developer expressly agrees to be liable to the County Commissioners for any such deficiency.
5. **The County Commissioners, the Developer and Surety mutually agree that the Performance Obligation created herein shall continue until the completion of the installation of the Improvements in accordance with Warren County subdivision regulations and that upon the Improvements having been inspected and approved for two years maintenance, the Performance Obligation shall become null and void after the Developer posts the maintenance security provided for herein.**
6. The Developer will provide **maintenance security** to the County Commissioners in the sum of \$137,604.54 to secure the performance of all maintenance upon the Improvements as determined to be necessary by the County Engineer (hereinafter the Maintenance Obligation). In no event shall the sum provided for herein be less than twenty percent (20%) of the estimated total cost of the Improvements as set forth above.

7. The Developer, upon being notified by the County Engineer of the maintenance required upon the Improvements to bring the same into compliance with Warren County Subdivision regulations shall immediately undertake to perform and complete such required maintenance within the time set forth in the notice from the County Engineer.
8. The Developer shall be in default of the Maintenance Obligation should the Developer fail to complete or cause to be undertaken and completed required maintenance upon the Improvements as set forth in Item 7 hereof.
9. The condition of the Maintenance Obligation shall be that whenever the Developer shall be declared by the County Commissioners to be in default, the Surety and the Developer shall, upon written notification of default by the County Commissioners to the Surety promptly make sufficient funds available to the County Commissioners to pay the cost of the required maintenance upon the Improvements, including any costs incurred by the County Commissioners which are incidental to the performance of such maintenance, including, but not limited to costs associated with the publication of legal notices, preparation of additional plans, specifications and drawings, as may, in the judgment of the County Commissioners, be necessary, preparation of bid documents, etc. but not exceeding the amount set forth in Item 6 hereof. The Developer shall have the opportunity to respond in writing within two (2) weeks of receipt of notice of intent to find the Developer in default. In the case that the maintenance security given is in the form of a cashier's check or certified check provided directly to the County Commissioners, the County Commissioners may apply such funds to the completion of the required maintenance upon the Improvements upon notification of default to the Surety. The determination of the amount of funds to be disbursed by Surety to the County Commissioners as set forth in the aforesaid notification is final and binding upon the parties hereto. However, the foregoing shall not release Developer from any liability for any deficiency between the amount of funds disbursed and the actual costs incurred by the County Commissioners in the performance of maintenance upon the Improvements and Developer expressly agrees to be liable to the County Commissioners for any such deficiency.
10. That upon expiration of the two years from the date of the tentative acceptance of the Improvements by the County Commissioners and upon satisfactory completion of any required maintenance upon the Improvements to bring the Improvements into compliance with Warren County subdivision regulations, the County Commissioners hereby agree to release the maintenance security and give final acceptance to the Improvements. The Developer shall request, in writing directed to the County Engineer, a final inspection of the Improvements and the Developer shall be responsible for all maintenance as may be necessary and as may accrue from the commencement of the **two year maintenance period** and until such written request for inspection is delivered.
11. In the case of default pursuant to Items 3 and 4 or 8 and 9 hereof, Developer shall make available to the County Commissioners all plans, specifications and drawing relating to the Improvements and hereby directs all third parties, including engineers and consultants, who may possess such plans, specifications and drawings, or copies thereof, to provide the same

to the County Commissioners upon request and presentation of this security agreement or a copy thereof and agrees to hold such third parties harmless from the provision of such plan specifications and drawings pursuant to this item. Developer does hereby consent to the use of such plans, specifications and drawings by the County Commissioners to complete the construction of the uncompleted or unapproved Improvements or the performance of maintenance upon the same in the case of default pursuant to Items 3 and 4 or 8 and 9 hereof.

12. In the case of conflict between the provisions of this agreement and any other security agreement relating to the same Improvements, the provisions of this agreement shall take precedence.
13. Any notice, correspondence, inquiry or request for inspection permitted or required under this security agreement shall be given as follows:

A. To the County Commissioners:

Warren County Board of County Commissioners
Attn: County Administrator
406 Justice Drive
Lebanon, OH 45036
Ph. (513) 695-1250

B. To the County Engineer:

Warren County Engineer
105 Markey Road
Lebanon, OH 45036
Ph. (513) 695-3336

C. To the Developer:

The Drees Company
Att: Jeff Hebler
231 Grandview Dr.
Ft. Mitchell, KY 41017
Ph. (859) 578 - 4324

D. To the Surety:

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

8044 Montgomery Road, Suite 150E

Cincinnati, OH 45236

Ph. (513) 792 - 1862

All notices and requests for inspection, unless otherwise specifically provided herein, shall be by certified mail, return receipt requested, and shall be complete upon mailing. **All parties are obligated to give notice of any change of address.**

14. The security to be provided herein shall be by:

_____ **Certified check or cashier's check** (attached) (**CHECK #** _____)

_____ **Original Letter of Credit** (attached) (**LETTER OF CREDIT #** _____)

_____ **Original Escrow Letter** (attached)

Surety Bond (this security agreement shall serve as the bond when signed by an authorized representative of a surety company authorized to do business within the State of Ohio with a **power of attorney attached** evidencing such authorized signature).

_____ **Surety obligation of national bank** (by signing this security agreement the authorized representative of the national bank undertaking this surety obligation does certify, for and on behalf of the undersigned national bank, that the bank has a segregated deposit sufficient in amount to the bank's total potential liability).

15. **The term "Surety" as used herein includes a bank, savings and loan or other financial institution where the security provided is a letter of credit, escrow letter or surety obligation of a national bank. The term "Surety" when referring to a bank, savings and loan or other financial institution is not intended to create obligations beyond those provided by Paragraphs 4 and/or 9 of this security agreement.**

16. **In the event that Surety shall fail to make funds available to the County Commissioners in accordance with Paragraphs 4 or 9, as applicable, within thirty (30) days after notification of default, then amounts due shall bear interest at eight per cent (8%) per annum.**

17. This Agreement shall not be assignable or transferrable by the Developer or Surety to any third party or parties without the express written consent of the County Commissioners. Developer and Surety waive any successor developer or successor surety claim or defense unless the County Commissioners have executed a written consent of assignment.
18. This Agreement shall be construed under the laws of the State of Ohio. The Developer and Surety hereby stipulate to the venue for any and all claims, disputes, interpretations and litigation of any kind arising out of this Agreement, being exclusively in the Warren County, Ohio Court of Common Pleas (unless both parties mutually agree in writing to attempt to resolve by alternate dispute resolution prior to litigation), and do further waive any right to bring or remove such claims, disputes, interpretation and litigation of any kind arising out of this Agreement, in or to any other state or a federal court.

IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, the Developer and the Surety have caused this security agreement to be executed on the date stated below.

DEVELOPER: The Drees Company

SURETY: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

Pursuant to a resolution authorizing the undersigned to execute this agreement.

Pursuant to an instrument authorizing the undersigned to execute this agreement.

SIGNATURE: 

SIGNATURE: 

PRINTED NAME: Jeff Hebel

PRINTED NAME: Susan A. Yeazell

TITLE: Assistant Secretary/Cincinnati Land

TITLE: Attorney-in-Fact

DATE: 1/8/2020

DATE: January 3, 2020

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IN EXECUTION WHEREOF, the Warren County Board of County Commissioners have caused this security agreement to be executed by the President of the Board, on the date stated below, pursuant to Board Resolution Number 20-0492, dated 3/24/2020

WARREN COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SIGNATURE: 

PRINTED NAME: Tom Groseman

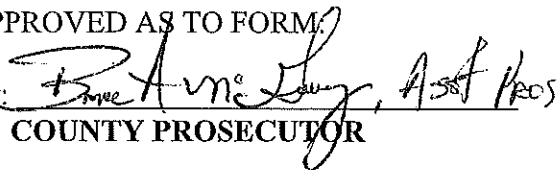
TITLE: Vice-President

DATE: 3/24/2020

RECOMMENDED BY:

By: 
COUNTY ENGINEER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: 
COUNTY PROSECUTOR

Key:

1. Name of Developer
2. Name of Person, Firm, Entity, etc. who is providing the security whether that be a bank or other financial institution (in the case of a letter of credit or escrow letter) (Surety Company in the case of a bond) or the Developer itself (in the case of a certified check or cashier's check)
3. Name of subdivision with section number and phase number where applicable
4. Name of Township



This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

Certificate No: 8202224-014183

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies"), pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint, Tiffany Gobich, Dan E. Ries, Susan A. Yeazell

all of the city of Cincinnati state of Ohio each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents and shall be as binding upon the Companies as if they have been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Companies in their own proper persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed thereto this 26th day of September, 2019.



Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

By: David M. Carey
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

Not valid for mortgage, note, loan, letter of credit, currency rate, interest rate or residual value guarantees.

State of PENNSYLVANIA
County of MONTGOMERY ss

On this 26th day of September, 2019 before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Notarial Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Upper Merion Twp., Montgomery County
My Commission Expires March 28, 2021
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By: Teresa Pastella
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-laws and Authorizations of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company which resolutions are now in full force and effect reading as follows:

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS: Section 12. Power of Attorney.

Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitation as the Chairman or the President may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Corporation to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Corporation by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Corporation. When so executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the President and attested to by the Secretary. Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

Certificate of Designation - The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

Authorization - By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the Company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the Company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this 3rd day of January, 2020.



By: Renee C. Llewellyn
Renee C. Llewellyn, Assistant Secretary

To confirm the validity of this Power of Attorney call 1-610-832-8240 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day.

PERFORMANCE BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that, The Drees Company, as Principal, and Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto Warren County Commissioners, 406 Justice Drive, Lebanon, OH 45036, as Obligee, in the sum of Two Hundred Forty-Eight Thousand Ninety and 71/100 Dollars (\$248,090.71) lawful money of the United States for the payment of which, well and truly be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS, the Principal has agreed to construct and dedicate for public purpose and maintenance of Streets and Appurtenances (including Sidewalks) in Shaker Run, Section 6, Phase A Subdivision in Turtlecreek Township, Warren County, OH.

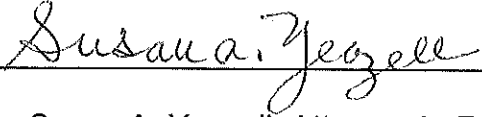
NOW THEREFORE, if the said Principal hereinbefore set forth, shall fully and faithfully perform all the work specified to be done in accordance with plans for Shaker Run Section 6, Phase A Subdivision on record at Warren County Commissioners, then this obligation shall be void and of no further legal effect; otherwise, this bond shall remain in full force and effect in law; it being expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder, shall in no event exceed the penal amount of this obligation, as herein stated to be the sum of Two Hundred Forty-Eight Thousand Ninety 71/100 Dollars (\$248,090.71) and no more.

SIGNED AND DATED THIS 3rd day of January, 2020

Principal: The Drees Company

By: 
Jeff Hebler, Assistant Secretary/
Cincinnati Land

Surety: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

By: 
Susan A. Yeazell, Attorney-in-Fact

*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0493

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE VARIOUS RECORD PLATS

BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Warren County Regional Planning Commission, to approve the following Record Plats:


- Shaker Run, Section Six, Phase A – Turtlecreek Township
- Right-Of-Way Dedication Plat, Dixie Highway – Franklin Township
- Locust Grove Country Brook North Section 3-F – Clearcreek Township

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Plat File
RPC

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0494

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENTS FROM COMMISSIONERS GENERAL FUND #11011110 INTO EMERGENCY SERVICES FUND #11012850

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the following appropriation adjustments from Commissioners Fund #11011110 into Emergency Services Fund #11012850 in order to process a vacation leave payout for Andrew Farlaine former employee of Emergency Services:

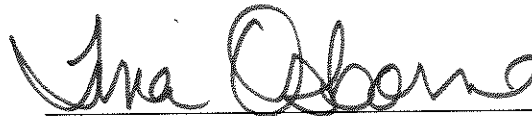
\$4,082.00	from	#11011110-5882	(Commissioners - Vacation Leave Payout)
	into	#11012850-5882	(Emergency Services - Vacation Leave Payout)

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Auditor _____
Appropriation Adjustment file
Emergency Services (file)
OMB

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 20-0495

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT WITHIN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
FUND #1101-1116

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the following appropriation adjustment:

\$200.00 from #10111116 5910 (Other Expenses)
 into #11011116 5911 (Non Taxable Meal Fringe)

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc:: Auditor _____
Appropriation Adjustment file
Economic Development (file)

*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0496

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT WITHIN WCSO FUNDS #11012220

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the following appropriation adjustment within Warren County Sheriff's Office Fund #1101:


\$1,238.00	from	11012200 5223	GAS & OIL – OPERATING SUPPLIES
	into	11012200 5840	SHERIFF UNEMPLOYMENT COMP

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc:: Auditor _____
Appropriation Adjustment file
Sheriff's Office (file)
OMB

Resolution

Number 20-0497

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT WITHIN HEALTH INSURANCE FUND
#6632

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the following appropriation adjustment for payment of Guidance Resource Fees:

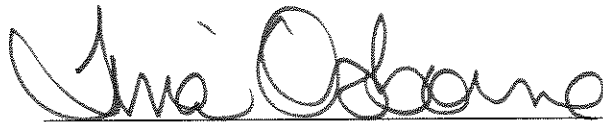
\$ 4,500.00 from #66320100-5910 (Health Ins Other Exp)
 into #66320100-5400 (Health Ins Purchased Svcs)

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc:: Auditor _____
Appropriation Adj. file
OMB (file)

Resolution

Number 20-0498

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

ACKNOWLEDGE APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolutions #10-0948 and #16-1936, this Board authorized approval of necessary financial documents in their absence by the County Administrator, Deputy County Administrator, or Clerk of Commissioners; and

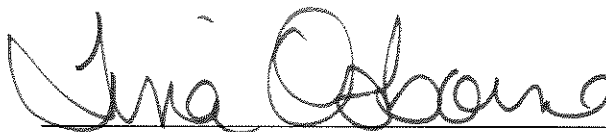
WHEREAS, it is necessary to approve appropriation adjustments in order to make a timely payments; and

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Auditor _____
Cash Advance file
Amended Certificate file
Supplemental App. file
OMB (file)
Emergency Services (file)

ACCEPT AN AMENDED CERTIFICATE FOR FUND #2264 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, APPROVE A CASH ADVANCE FROM COUNTY GENERAL FUND #1101 INTO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY FUND #2264 AND APPROVE A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION INTO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY FUND #2264

BE IT RESOLVED, to accept an amended certificate in the amount of \$100,000 from the Warren County Budget Commission, for the Emergency Management Agency Fund #2264; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to approve the following cash advance from the County General Fund #1101 into the Emergency Management Agency Fund #2264:

\$100,000 from #1101 45556 (General Fund Cash Out)
Into #2264-45555 (EMA Fund Cash In)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to approve the following supplemental appropriation into Emergency Management Agency Fund #2264:

\$100,000 into #22642800 5210 (Office Supplies)

M moved for the adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by M. Upon call of the roll the following vote resulted:

M
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Resolution adopted this 24th day of March, 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Tina Osborne, Clerk

Tz/i/omb/Fund #2264 AC SA and Cash Advance from 1101 (3-24-20)

Cc: Auditor (file)
AC file
SA file
CA file
EMA (file)
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To be reviewed 3-24-2020

*BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO*

Resolution

Number 20-0499

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

CANCEL REGULARLY SCHEDULED COMMISSIONERS' MEETING OF THURSDAY,
MARCH 26, 2020

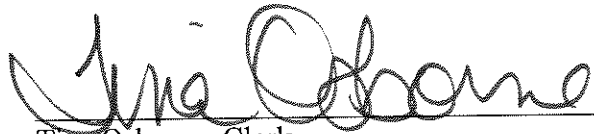
BE IT RESOLVED, to cancel the regularly scheduled Commissioners' Meeting of Thursday,
March 26, 2020.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Auditor _____
Commissioners file
Press

Resolution

Number 20-0500

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

RATIFY ACTIVATION OF ESSENTIAL PERSONNEL EMERGENCY OPERATION PLANS FOR THOSE DEPARTMENTS UNDER THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AUTHORITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE PAY FOR THOSE NON-ESSENTIAL PERSONNEL WHO ARE UNABLE TO WORK REMOTELY RELATIVE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

WHEREAS, on March 9th, 2020 Mike De Wine, Governor of the State of Ohio, declared a State of Emergency and U.S. President Donald Trump declared a national emergency on March 13th, 2020 in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, and;

WHEREAS, Warren County, Ohio recognizes that COVID-19 a respiratory disease that can result in serious illness or death, which is a new strain and can easily spread from person to person, such that the health and safety of employees or any person or property entrusted to the employees' care could be adversely affected, and;

WHEREAS, all Warren County citizens are urged to heed the advice of the Ohio Department of Health and other officials regarding COVID-19 in order to protect their health and safety;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that, as the result of the above referenced COVID-19 Pandemic event occurring in and about the County, which threatens the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Warren County, this Board hereby ratifies the actions of their County Administrator in implementing an Essential Personnel Emergency Plan, to maintain essential operations of county government during the pandemic, and;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to authorize nonessential employees who cannot telework because of the nature of their positions or equipment necessary to perform the functions of their jobs, determined at the sole discretion of the County Administrator, to be placed on administrative leave with pay pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 124.388(A); ; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the length of administrative leave with pay for each individual employee is solely at the discretion of the County Administrator, but shall in no case exceed the term that the Essential Personnel Emergency Plan is in place; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the initial term of the Essential Personnel Emergency Plan shall be for a period of two weeks beginning Monday, March 23, 2020; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said initial term shall be reviewed daily and may be revoked, extended, or otherwise modified, based upon the fluid nature of the pandemic and in the discretion of the County Administrator.

RESOLUTION #20-0500
MARCH 24, 2020
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Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: All Commissioners Departments
OMB (file)
T. Zindel
M. Russell

ESSENTIAL EMPLOYEE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN

- 1) We are going to essential personnel starting no later than 9am, Monday, March 23rd.
- 2) The essential personnel policy is in effect for 2 weeks, ending Monday, April 6th.
- 3) The essential personnel policy may be extended or reduced at any time.
- 4) Starting Monday, March 23rd the office hours for all County buildings under the BOCC will be 9am-3pm.
- 5) Department Directors will determine who can/is expected to work from home remotely.
- 6) Those staff not considered essential or cannot work remotely will be placed on paid administrative leave and not be required to use sick or vacation time.
- 7) Directors need to have a "phone tree" to get ahold of staff while gone.
- 8) Staff are expected to do the following:
 - a. Social distancing and staying in place (this is not a vacation)
 - b. To monitor their phone(s) and work/personal email(s) as best as possible
 - c. Respond to inquiries from those deemed essential or working from home remotely
- 9) Staff should be reminded of cyber-attacks and to review all correspondence carefully.
- 10) All essential personnel should be prepared to be repositioned if needed to secure continuous operations

Warren County Board of Commissioners, Reporting Elected Officials & Agencies
Essential Personal Reference Guide

Department	Director Deputy Director	Additional Essential Personnel	Special Notes
BOCC	Tiffany Zindel	Tina Osborne	1) Forward all BOCC emails to personal accounts
Grants/Transit	Susanne Mason	None	1) Will maintain Transit operations 2) Monitor federal/state grant programs
Children Services	Susan Wather Shawna Barger	All (see notes) Ashley Stutzman Jenny Carman	1) Shawna Barger will work from home 2) Most department functions are already working remotely 3) Ashley Stutzman will assist Susan in person 4) Jenny Carman will remain to assist with foster care payments and other financial needs
Dog/Kennel	Nathan Harper	3 Deputies	1) Will work remotely and respond to calls 2) Will only enter facility/shelter to bring in dogs/get supplies 3) Can repurpose vehicles staff for supply chain needs
Economic Development	Matt Schnipke	None	1) Assist companies SBA products 2) Maintain project flow for

				ED/Port 3) ED specialist can work from home
OMJ	Matt Fetty	Michael Stern		1) Assist job seekers/dislocated workers emergency programs 2) Will rotate lunch schedules to maintain continuous operations 1) Manage Sheriff fleet
Garage	Andy Russell Nolan Cook	None		
Building	Jerry Spurling	Anna Helton Lucy Gravett All inspectors		1) Inspectors work remotely 2) Staff will accept, review, scan out building permits 3) 700 permits since 1/1/2020 4) Discussion needed about taking new permits 5) Staff will inspect unoccupied areas, but not enter into occupied homes (will accept photos, Facetime and other electronic means to inspect inside occupied dwellings)
Zoning	Michelle Tegtmeier	None		1) Applications will be accepted to allow for building permits to be issued. 2) Open and continue current cases per instructions from legal counsel
Telecom	Paul Kindell	None		1) Maintain operations of County

	Gary Estes		radio, data, telephone and 911 system 2) All additional personnel can work remotely
EMA/911	Melissa Bour Jesse Madden	All staff (both sides)	1) Assist Health District in EOC 2) Maintain Communication Center operations
JFS	Lauren Cavanaugh Arlene Byrd	See notes	1) Process new unemployment benefits 2) Maintain current benefit programs (food, daycare, etc) for residents 3) ODJFS has stated personnel can take their desktops home
OMB	Martin Russell Sue Spencer Tammy Whitaker	Candace Miller - home	1) Payroll, purchase orders, HR and other financial needs 2) Maintain health/workers compensation protocols
Water and Sewer(office)	Chris Brausch Chris Wojnicz	Theresa Reier Tiffany Barnett Kassidy Vernon Rhonda Day Michael Zeiher Amy Fox Don Brewer	1) No late payments or shut offs 2) Service/billing staff will rotate inside the office (1 st rotation listed to the left, 2 nd below) Theresa Reier Janet Lundy Ila Hartrum Shawn Brinson Michael Zeiher

			Amy Fox Don Brewer
Water and Sewer (treatment facilities)	E. Turner J. Sibcy N. Zimmerman G. Gutermuth J. Ware S. Martin T. Jernigan		1) A rotating schedule will be used (1 week on, 2 or 3 off) to work the treatment facilities with a Class 3 Operator of Record and a System Operator
Facilities	Trevor Hearn	Mark Harrison Traci Guthrie Richard Johnson Blake Pottorf David Helton Wes Baker Dave Nolan	1) Maintain the cleanliness of facilities 2) Assist with normal maintenance 3) On-call Mark Zindel David Gross Chris Carman Jeff Isbell Jeremy Miller Justin Kildow 4) Mowing season will start in a few weeks
Auditor A/P	Diane Gray Matt Nolan	Nikki Cepin (occasionally)	All other accounting and Payroll Staff will be working exclusively from home.
Auditor Real Estate	Bev Wooley		Real Estate staff will be working from home on very limited as

			needed basis.
IT	Ben Clift Paul Bernard		Support has phones at home to access all calls, just have people call 695-1990 and it will ring them.
Recorder	Linda Oda Staci Morris Gina Kuvin	Kelly Walker, Gigi Schubert, Kris Plymire, Emily Oeder, Missy Dickson (once per week)	Staff at home will process electronic recordings. Paper docs will be pushed through from office personnel.
Records & Archives	Linda Oda Jen Haney	Jennifer Baker (If Jen is out sick)	Only essential archival retrieval will be done. Documents will either need to be picked up, or can be scanned in and emailed.
Treasury	Barney Wright Cinda Schuler	Janice Sexton Marlene Hadded	Pay-ins and daily balancing are top priorities. Cash availability to cover expenses will be assured. Foreclosures and payment plan modifications are on hold.
Soil & Water	Molly Conley	Dawn Stiles Beth Wilson	1) Will remotely respond to email and phone 2) Continue financial functions 3) Will continue to meet MS4 permit obligations and new Earth Disturbing Permits as necessary. Staff have vehicles and will not come to the office and no contact is made during inspections.

<p>Development Disabilities Board</p>	<p>Megan Manuel</p>	<p>Bill Caplinger Tony Hidy Pete Mason Heather Moore Chris Smith Michele Swearingen</p>	<p>1) All buildings are closed, but the agency is still open 2) Most staff is working remotely 3) Phone 513-228-6400 still being answered during business hours 4) Emergency number is 1-800-800-6847</p>
<p>Engineer's Office and Highway Department</p>	<p>Neil Tunison Kurt Weber</p>	<p>Mark Dawson Alex Foltz Roy Henson David Mick Bobbi Apking Jason Fisher</p>	<p>1) All buildings are closed, but the agency is still open 9:00 to 3:00 2) Most staff is working remotely; 3) Phone 513-695-3301 (E/O) and 513-695-3329 (Highway) still being answered during business hours</p>

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

Resolution

Number 19-0501

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

APPROVE REQUISITIONS AND AUTHORIZE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN DOCUMENTS RELATIVE THERETO


BE IT RESOLVED, to approve requisitions as listed in the attached document and authorize Tiffany Zindel, County Administrator, to sign on behalf of this Board of County Commissioners.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

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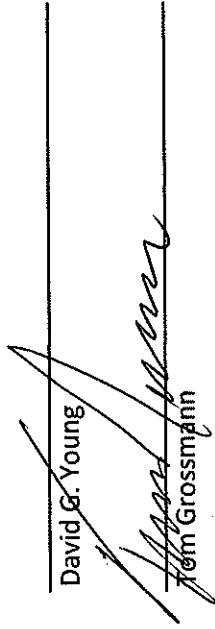

Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Commissioners file

Department	Vendor Name	Description	Amount
WAT	CINCYAUTOS INC	2020 FORD EXPLORER TRK#1204	\$ 32,379.00
CSV	MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF NORTHERN	START MENTOR SALARY AND MILEAGE 2020	\$ 12,000.00
FAC	MIAMI VALLEY POWER EQUIPMENT LLC	CUB CADET COMMERCIAL MOWER	\$ 13,999.20
WAT	REQ BLANKET	BLACK TOP RESTORATION BLANKET	\$ 10,000.00
TEL	ANIXTER IN	TEL TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT	\$ 3,000.00
ENG	CINCYAUTOS INC	2020 F-150 CREW CAB ECOBOOST	\$ 32,282.00
SHE	CINCYAUTOS INC	2020 FORD EXPLORER K8A POLICE SUV	\$ 283,944.00
ENG	REQ BLANKET	TEMP ENT FOR MORROW COZADDALE RD BRIDGE REPLAC	\$ 1.00
ENG	CARPENTER MARTY TRANSPORTATION INC	CONT FOR NB COLU RD AT US22/3 RD IMPROV	\$ 38,486.00
FAC	RIVER ROCK VENTURES INC	PPO INCREASE PROBATE/JUVENILE EXPANSION	\$ 34,677.31
SEW	TED BAKER & ASSOCIATES INCL	EMERGENCY GRIT PUMP FOR WAYNESVILLE TRMT	\$ 3,403.00

3/24/2020

APPROVED:


 David G. Young


 Tom Grossmann

 Shannon Jones

Resolution

Number 20-0502

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

AUTHORIZE WARREN COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY DIRECTOR TO APPLY FOR AND/OR ASSIST OTHER WARREN COUNTY AGENCIES AND/OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION WITH REQUESTING ANY AND ALL STATE AND FEDERAL ASSISTANCE NECESSARY TO ASSIST WITH THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

WHEREAS, on March 9th, 2020 Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, declared a State of Emergency and on March 13th, 2020 U.S. President Donald Trump declared a national emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, and;

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is a respiratory disease that can result in serious illness or death and which can be spread from person to person, and;

WHEREAS, all Warren County citizens should heed the advice of the Ohio Department of Health and other officials regarding COVID-19 in order to protect their health and safety, and;

WHEREAS, health departments, hospitals, emergency service agencies, public safety forces, transportation, and local political subdivisions continue to expend money, payroll and material resources to respond to COVID-19, and;

WHEREAS, many governmental and private organizations within Warren County are seeking additional healthcare and emergency management related resources to address COVID-19, and;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that, as the result of the above referenced COVID-19 public health issue occurring in Ohio, the United States and internationally, which threatens our health, safety and welfare, this Board authorizes all leadership personnel of county departments and agencies as are necessary, to assist in the county response to COVID-19, and;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Warren County Emergency Management Agency Director, Melissa Bour, is hereby authorized and directed to assist Warren County in requesting and making application for any and all State and Federal assistance and resources as may become or is necessary in the management, preparation for and response to COVID-19.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Emergency Services (file)
Commissioners file

Resolution

Number 20-0503

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

AMEND RESOLUTION NUMBER 20-0462, IN PART, BY PROHIBITING ANY GATHERING OF MORE THAN TEN (10) PEOPLE IN THE WARREN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING OR ANY OTHER COUNTY OWNED OR OPERATED BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES UNLESS EXCEPTED HEREIN OR OTHERWISE EXEMPTED BY THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH'S STAY AT HOME ORDER

WHEREAS, in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, on March 12, 2020, the Director of the Ohio Department of Health issued an Order to Limit and/or Prohibit Mass Gatherings in the State of Ohio defined as an event or convening that brings together one hundred (100) or more persons in a single room or single space at the same time, such as an auditorium, stadium, arena, large conference room, meeting hall, theater, or any other confined indoor or outdoor space; and,

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Director of the Ohio Department of Health amended her prior Order by re-defining the number to fifty (50) or more persons; and,

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 3701.56 of the Ohio Revised Code, a county shall enforce quarantine and isolation orders, and the rules the department of health adopts; and,

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, this Board adopted Resolution No. 20-0462 in order to comply with the said Orders, that, inter alia, prohibited any event or convening that could potentially bring together fifty (50) or more persons at the same time in a room designed for meetings and conferences in the Warren County Administration Building or any other County owned or operated buildings and facilities, with certain exceptions; and,

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2020, the Director of the Ohio Department of Health issued a new Order regarding All Persons Staying at Home Unless Engaged in Essential Work or Activity, which amended her prior Orders by defining "Prohibited activities" to include any gathering of more than ten (10) people unless otherwise exempted by the Stay at Home Order; and,

WHEREAS, this Board desires to enforce the Director's Stay at Home Order as it may pertain to the gathering of more than ten (10) people in the Warren County Administration Building or any other County owned or operated buildings and facilities, with certain exceptions or as otherwise exempted by the Director's Stay at Home Order.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County, Ohio, at least a majority of all its members casting a vote concur as follows to amend Resolution Number 20-0462, in part:

1) Any event or convening in a meeting or conference room located in the Warren County Administration Building or any other County owned or operated buildings or facilities that would involve the gathering of more than ten (10) people at the same time is prohibited, subject to the exceptions herein or otherwise exempted by the Director's Stay at Home Order, until such time as this Resolution may be amended or rescinded.

2) For purposes of clarity, this Resolution applies only to conference and meeting rooms, it does not apply to the use and operation of a public office in the County Administration Building or other buildings and facilities owned or operated by the County, or the use and operation of a courthouse or jail, or other grounds owned by the County.

3) Resolution Number 20-0462 shall remain in effect except as otherwise expressly amended herein.

4) All action taken relating to and this Resolution is an administrative act by the Board.

5) The findings made by the Board in the above WHEREAS clauses are hereby adopted as a part of these resolving paragraphs.

6) All action taken relating to and this Resolution occurred in an open meeting of this Board in compliance with the Ohio Public Meeting Act, Section 121. 22, et seq. of the Ohio Revised Code.

7) The Clerk shall cause a copy of this Resolution to be posted in conspicuous places in the County Administration Building and all other County owned buildings and facilities, and deliver an electronic copy to all elected officials and department heads.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea


Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Elected Officials
Department heads

The undersigned, being duly appointed Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County, Ohio, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of the original Resolution adopted by the Board on 24th day of March, 2020.


Tina Osborne, Clerk
Board of County Commissioners
Warren County, Ohio

Resolution

Number 20-0504

Adopted Date March 24, 2020

FINDING A REAL AND PRESENT EMERGENCY EXISTS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND AMENDING RESOLUTIONS 10-0948 AND 16-1936, IN PART, FOR THE PURPOSE OF AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO PERFORM, IN THE BOARD'S ABSENCE, SPECIFIC FUNCTIONS CONFERRED OR INCUMBENT UPON THE BOARD

WHEREAS, section 307.86 of the Ohio Revised Code provides, when a board of county commissioners, by unanimous vote of its members, makes a determination that a real and present emergency exists, and that determination and the reasons for it are entered in the minutes of the proceedings of the board, competitive bidding is not required if either the following applies:

- 1) The estimated cost is less than one hundred thousand dollars; or,
- 2) There is actual physical disaster to structures, radio communications equipment or computers; and,

WHEREAS, section 305.30 of the Ohio Revised Code provides that a county administrator, under the direction of the board of county commissioners may be empowered, inter alia, to:

(G) Contract on behalf of the board within limits provided by a resolution of the board, provided that the resolution authorizing such actions shall also specify the types of contracts upon which the administrator may act without further resolution of the board; and,

(H) Allow and pay claims for goods received and services rendered within limits provided by a resolution of the board, provided that the county department receiving those goods and services certifies their receipt before the administrator allows the claim; and,

(J) Perform any or all functions conferred or incumbent upon the board of county commissioners in the case of a disaster or emergency, provided that the board, by resolution, has delegated the specific functions or all of the functions to the administrator; and,

WHEREAS, on July 1, 2010, this Board adopted Resolution Number 10-0948 authorizing the County Administrator to approve purchase orders, payment of bills, payroll and any other necessary financial documents in the absence of the County Commissioners, or further allow the Director of the Office of Management and Budget or the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners to make such approvals in the absence of the County Administrator; and,

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2016, this Board adopted Resolution Number 16-1936 amending Resolution No. 10-0948 to authorize the County Administrator to approve purchase orders, payment of bills, payroll and any other necessary financial documents in the absence of the County Commissioners, and authorize the Deputy County Administrator or the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners to make said approvals in the absence of the County Administrator; and,

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WHEREAS, this Board desires to amend the said Resolutions in order to delegate additional specific functions to the County Administrator, or assistant County Administrator in the absence of the County Administrator, in the case of a disaster or emergency.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners, Warren County, Ohio, its members casting a vote concurring as follows, including amending Resolutions Numbers 10-0948 and 16-1936, in part:

1) based on numerous Executive Orders of the Ohio Governor and numerous Orders of the Ohio Department of Health's Director to date, and a work session with the County Health Commissioner and the Director of the County Emergency Management Services Agency, pursuant to section 307.86 (A), this Board, by unanimous vote of its members, makes a determination that a real and present emergency exists, from this date until this resolution is amended or rescinded after the Ohio Governor rescinds all Executive Orders relating to his declaration of a state of emergency for the COVID-19 pandemic, for the purposes of delegating to the County Administrator, the power to perform specific functions when either the estimated costs is less than one hundred thousand dollars, or, there is actual physical disaster to structures, radio communications equipment, or computers.

2) pursuant to section 305.30 (G) of the Ohio Revised Code, the County Administrator shall have the following authority during the time period set forth in paragraph 1 herein as it relates to contracting on behalf of the Board:

- a) enter contracts that involve less than \$100,000, including:
 - (i) any agreement, contract, lease, bid or similar document within this monetary range limit without formal resolution of the Board provided that:
 - It involves an "urgent" matter requiring immediate attention; and
 - It is requested to be addressed as an urgent matter by a department head under the authority of this Board or a County elected official.

For purposes of this section, an "urgent" matter is one that requires attention and action prior to the next regularly-scheduled meeting of the Board at which a quorum is likely to be available, and one that entails risk to individual or public health or safety if action is delayed; but it does not run contrary to a formal resolution of the Board on the specific expenditure, and the necessary funds are available to complete the contract; and,

- b) enter contracts without monetary limitation when there is actual physical disaster to structures, radio communications equipment or computers, including:

- (i) any agreement, contract, lease, bid or similar document without formal resolution of the Board provided that:
- It involves an “urgent” matter requiring immediate attention; and
 - It is requested to be addressed as an urgent matter by a department head under the authority of this Board or a County Elected Official.

3) pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 305.30 (H), the County Administrator shall have the same specific authority set forth in paragraphs 2 (a) and (b) above as it also relates to paying claims for goods received and services when the county department receiving such goods and services certifies their receipt before the County Administrator allows the claim.

4) Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 305.30 (J), perform any or all functions conferred or incumbent upon this Board during the said emergency as it relates to the following:

- a) approving and signing subdivision plats on behalf of the Board.
- b) execute and deliver written communications, upon request, acknowledging that certain activities, businesses and operations are deemed to be essential activities, business and/or operations for the benefit of County government as are permitted to continue in an Executor Order of the Governor or an Order of the Director of the Ohio Department of Health, including without limitation essential infrastructure, essential government functions, essential businesses, and critical trades.

5) Resolution Numbers 10-0948 and 16-1936 shall remain in effect in all other aspects except as otherwise amended herein.

6) in the absence of the County Administrator, the assistant County Administrator shall be authorized to perform said duties set forth in paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 herein.

7) the authority of the County Administrator (or assistant County Administrator) to act under this resolution shall be suspended when a majority of the Board declares itself present and elects to assume and exercise the powers otherwise conferred upon the County Administrator. The suspension of this authority to act shall cease, and the County Administrator is again empowered to act, when a majority of the Board of County Commissioners is no longer present and able to assume and exercise such powers.

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8) All action taken relating to and this Resolution is an administrative act by the Board.

9) The findings made by the Board in the above WHEREAS clauses are hereby adopted as a part of these resolving paragraphs.

10) All action taken relating to and this Resolution occurred in an open meeting of this Board in compliance with the Ohio Public Meeting Act, Section 121. 22, et seq. of the Ohio Revised Code.

11) The Clerk shall cause an electronic copy of this Resolution to be delivered to all elected officials and department heads.

Mr. Grossmann moved for adoption of the foregoing resolution, being seconded by Mrs. Jones. Upon call of the roll, the following vote resulted:

Mr. Young – yea
Mrs. Jones – yea
Mr. Grossmann – yea

Resolution adopted this 24th day of March 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Tina Osborne, Clerk

cc: Commissioners file
Auditor
Bruce McGary

CERTIFICATE

I, Tina Osborne, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County, Ohio, hereby do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of resolution adopted by said Board under said date.



Tina Osborne, Clerk