# THE BOARD OF COMISSIONERS OF DELAWARE COUNTY MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON THIS DATE WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT:

James Ward , Deborah Martin, Donald Wuertz

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 99-182**

# IN THE MATTER OF AUTHORIZING THE USE OF DELAWARE COUNTY RLF FUNDS FOR THE QUALITY ASSURED PRODUCTS EXPANSION PROJECT

It was moved by Mr. Ward seconded by Mrs. Martin to authorize the following:

WHEREAS, Delaware County has ESTABLISHED A REVOLVING Loan Fund (RLF) capitalized with the payback from CDBG loans to local businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware County RLF is intended to facilitate the implementation of job-creating projects where a defined financing gap exists; and

WHEREAS, the County's RLF Review Committee has reviewed the application and supporting documentation for the Quality Assured Products Expansion Project and recommended RLF participation in same.

NOW THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO THE FOREGOING, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners, County of Delaware, State of Ohio as follows:

SECTION I.	That the Delaware County Board of Commissioners hereby approves an RLF
	loan in the amount of \$60,000 to complete the financing for the referenced
	project. Said loan shall be at a fixed rate of 5.5%, amortized for fifteen years.
	The loan shall be secured by personal and corporate guarantees and a second
	mortgage on the project real estate.
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SECTION II. Upon passage of this resolution, approval of the Project Report Form by the Ohio Department of Development, and clearance of ERR timeframes, the President of the Board shall be authorized to execute the Legally Binding Document for the RLF financing for the referenced project.

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 99–183**

# IN THE MATTER OF PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF BONDS IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$63,000,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVINGTHE DELAWARE COUNTY SEWER DISTRICT:

The Board of County Commissioners of Delaware County, Ohio, met in special session in its offices at 101 North Sandusky Street, Delaware, Ohio at 9:00 A.M. on March 3, 1999, with the following members present:

Mr. Ward, Mrs. Martin and Mr. Wuertz

Mr. Martin moved the adoption of the following Resolution and Mr. Ward seconded the motion.

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF BONDS IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$63,000,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVING THE DELAWARE COUNTY SEWER DISTRICT BY THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE ALUM CREEK WATER RECLAMATION FACILITY, THE ALUM CREEK PUMP STATION, AND THE CENTRAL MAINTENANCE FACILITY, INCLUDING PIPING, PUMPING, AERATION AND SETTLING FACILITIES, TERTIARY FILTER FACILITIES, DISINFECTION SYSTEMS, POST AERATION FACILITIES, AEROBIC DIGESTERS, SLUDGE HANDLING AND ADMINISTRATIVE FACILITIES, AND CONSTRUCTING, IMPROVING AND EXTENDING LATERAL, TRUNK AND INTERCEPTOR SEWERS, TOGETHER WITH ALL NECESSARY APPURTENANCES THERETO.

WHEREAS, this Board has previously by proper legislation and proceedings declared the necessity of and determined to proceed with the improvements described in Section 2; and

WHEREAS, the County Auditor as fiscal officer of this County has certified to this Board that the estimated life or period of usefulness of the improvements described in Section 2 is at least five years and the maximum maturity of the Bonds described in Section 2 is 40 years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Delaware County, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. <u>Definitions and Interpretation</u>. In addition to the words and terms elsewhere defined in this Resolution, unless the context or use clearly indicates another or different meaning or intent:

"Authorized Denominations" means (a) with respect to Current Interest Bonds, the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, and (b) with respect to Capital Appreciation Bonds, the denomination equal to the original principal amount that, when interest is accrued and compounded thereon on each Interest Accretion Date to the stated maturity of the Bonds, will equal a \$5,000 Maturity Amount or any integral multiple thereof.

"Bond proceedings" means, collectively, this Resolution, the Certificate of Award, the Continuing Disclosure Certificate and such other proceedings of the County, including the Bonds, that provide collectively for, among other things, the rights of holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds.

"Bond Register" means all books and records necessary for the registration, exchange and transfer of Bonds as provided in Section 5.

"Bond Registrar" means The Fifth Third Bank, in Cincinnati, Ohio as the initial authenticating agent, bond registrar, transfer agent and paying agent for the Bonds under the Registrar Agreement and until a successor Bond Registrar shall have become such pursuant to the provisions of the Registrar Agreement and, thereafter, "Bond Registrar" shall mean the successor Bond Registrar.

"Book entry form" or "book entry system" means a form or system under which (a) the ownership of book entry interests in Bonds and the principal of and interest on the Bonds may be transferred only through a book entry, and (b) physical Bond certificates in fully registered form are issued by the County only to a Depository or its nominee as registered owner, with the Bonds "immobilized" in the custody of the Depository or its designated agent. The book entry maintained by others than the County is the record that identifies the owners of book entry interests in those Bonds and that principal and interest.

"Capital Appreciation Bonds" means any Bonds designated as such in the Certificate of Award, maturing in the years, being in the original principal amounts and having the Maturity Amounts set forth therein, and bearing interest accrued and compounded on each Interest Accretion Date and payable at maturity.

"Certificate of Award" means the certificate authorized by Section 6(a), to be executed by the County Administrator, setting forth and determining those terms or other matters pertaining to the Bonds and their issuance, sale and delivery as this Resolution requires or authorizes to be set forth or determined therein.

"Clerk" means the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners.

"Closing Date" means the date of physical delivery of, and payment of the purchase price for, the Bonds.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, the Regulations (whether temporary or final) under that Code or the statutory predecessor of that Code, and any amendments of, or successor provisions to, the foregoing and any official rulings, announcements, notices, procedures and judicial determinations regarding any of the foregoing, all as and to the extent applicable. Unless otherwise indicated, reference to a Section of the Code includes any applicable successor section or provision and such applicable Regulations, rulings, announcements, notices, procedures and determinations pertinent to that Section.

"Compound Accreted Amount" means, with respect to any Capital Appreciation Bond, the original principal amount thereof plus interest accrued and compounded on each Interest Accretion Date to the date of maturity or other date of determination. The Compound Accreted Amount per \$5,000 Maturity Amount of the Capital Appreciation Bonds of each maturity as of each Interest Accretion Date shall be set forth in the Certificate of Award. The Compound Accreted Amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond for each maturity as of any date other than an Interest Accretion Date is the sum of (a) the Compound Accreted Amount for such Bond on the immediately preceding Interest Accretion Date plus (b) the product of (i) the difference between (A) the Compound Accreted Amount of that Bond on the immediately preceding Interest Accretion Date and (B) the Compound Accreted Amount of that Bond on the immediately succeeding Interest Accretion Date, times (ii) the ratio of (C) the number of days from the immediately preceding Interest Accretion Date to the date of determination to (D) the total number of days from that immediately preceding Interest Accretion Date to the immediately succeeding Interest Accretion Date; provided, however, that in determining the Compound Accreted Amount of a Capital Appreciation Bond as of a date prior to the first Interest Accretion Date, the Closing Date shall be deemed to be the immediately preceding Interest Accretion Date and the original principal amount of that Capital Appreciation Bond shall be deemed to be the Compound Accreted Amount on the Closing Date.

"Continuing Disclosure Certificate" means the certificate authorized by subsection 6(c), to be substantially in the form on file with the Clerk, and which, together with the agreements of the County set forth in that subsection, shall constitute the continuing disclosure agreement made by the County for the benefit of holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds in accordance with the Rule.

"County" means Delaware County, Ohio.

"County Administrator" means the County Administrator of the County.

"County Auditor" means the County Auditor of the County.

"Current Interest Bonds" means, collectively, the Current Interest Serial Bonds and the Current Interest Term Bonds, each as is designated as such in the Certificate of Award.

"Current Interest Serial Bonds" means those Current Interest Bonds designated as such and maturing on the dates set forth in the Certificate of Award, bearing interest payable on each Interest Payment Date and not subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption.

"Current Interest Term Bonds" means those Current Interest Bonds designated as such and maturing on the date or dates set forth in the Certificate of Award, bearing interest payable on each Interest Payment Date and subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption.

"Depository" means any securities depository that is a clearing agency under federal law operating and maintaining, with its Participants or otherwise, a book entry system to record ownership of book entry interests in Bonds or the principal of and interest on Bonds, and to effect transfers of Bonds, in book entry form, and includes and means initially The Depository Trust Company (a limited purpose trust company), New York, New York.

"Interest Accretion Dates" means, as to any Capital Appreciation Bonds, each June 1 and December 1, commencing on the date specified in the Certificate of Award, in the years any Capital Appreciation Bonds are outstanding.

"Interest Payment Dates" means (a) as to Current Interest Bonds, June 1 and December 1 of each year that the Current Interest Bonds are outstanding, commencing on the date specified in the Certificate of Award, and (b) as to any Capital Appreciation Bonds, their respective maturity dates.

"Maturity Amount" means, with respect to a Capital Appreciation Bond, the principal and interest due and payable at the stated maturity of that Capital Appreciation Bond.

"Original Purchaser" means collectively Banc One Capital Markets, Inc. and Fifth Third/The Ohio Company.

"Participant" means any participant contracting with a Depository under a book entry system and includes securities brokers and dealers, banks and trust companies, and clearing corporations.

"Principal Payment Dates" means December 1 in each of the years from and including 2000 to and including 2024, provided that the first Principal Payment Date may be deferred one year and the last Principal Payment Date may be advanced up to five years or deferred one year if such actions are determined by the County Administrator in the Certificate of Award to be in the best interest of and financially advantageous to the County and further provided that in no case shall the total number of Principal Payment Dates exceed the maximum maturity of the Bonds referred to in the preambles hereto.

"Purchase Agreement" means the Bond Purchase Agreement between the County and the Original Purchaser, as it may be modified from the form on file with the Clerk and executed by the County Administrator in accordance with Section 6.

"Registrar Agreement" means the Bond Registrar Agreement between the County and the Bond Registrar, as it may be modified from the form on file with the Clerk and executed by the County Auditor in accordance with Section 4.

"Rule" means Rule 15c2-12 prescribed by the SEC pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

"SEC" means the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The captions and headings in this Resolution are solely for convenience of reference and in no way define, limit or describe the scope or intent of any Sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs or clauses hereof. Reference to a Section means a section of this Resolution unless otherwise indicated.

Section 2. <u>Authorized Principal Amount and Purpose; Application of Proceeds.</u> It is necessary and determined to be in the County's best interest to issue bonds of this County in the maximum principal amount of \$63,000,000 (the Bonds) for the purpose of improving the Delaware County Sewer District by the construction of the Alum Creek water reclamation facility, the Alum Creek pump station, and the central maintenance facility, including piping, pumping, aeration and settling facilities, tertiary filter facilities, disinfection systems, post aeration facilities, aerobic digesters, sludge handling and administrative facilities, and constructing, improving and extending lateral, trunk and interceptor sewers, together with all necessary appurtenances thereto. The total principal amount of Bonds to be issued (not to exceed the stated maximum amount) shall be the amount certified in the certificate of award (the Certificate of Award) as the amount which is necessary to provide for paying project costs and financing costs. The Bonds shall be issued pursuant to Chapter 133, Ohio Revised Code, and this resolution.

The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds, except any premium and accrued interest, shall be paid into the proper fund or funds, and those proceeds are appropriated and shall be used for the purpose for which the Bonds are being issued. Any portion of those proceeds representing premium and accrued interest shall be paid into the Bond

#### Retirement Fund.

Section 3. <u>Denominations</u>; <u>Dating</u>; <u>Principal and Interest Payment and Redemption Provisions</u>. The Bonds shall be issued in one lot and only as fully registered bonds, in the Authorized Denominations, but in no case as to a particular maturity date exceeding the principal amount maturing on that date. The respective principal amounts of the Bonds to be issued as Current Interest Bonds and Capital Appreciation Bonds (if any Bonds are to be issued as Capital Appreciation Bonds) shall be determined in the Certificate of Award, having due regard to the best interest of and financial advantages to the County</u>. The Current Interest Bonds shall be dated as provided in the Certificate of Award, provided that their dated date shall not be more than sixty (60) days prior to the Closing Date, and any Capital Appreciation Bonds shall be dated as of the Closing Date.

(a) <u>Interest Rates and Payment Dates</u>. The Current Interest Bonds shall bear the rate or rates of interest per year (computed on a 360-day per year basis), as shall be determined, subject to subsection (c) of this Section, in the Certificate of Award; provided, that the Current Interest Bonds of any one stated maturity all shall bear the same rate of interest. Interest on the Current Interest Bonds shall be payable at such rate or rates on the Interest Payment Dates until the principal amount has been paid or provided for. The Current Interest has been paid or provided for or, if no interest has been paid or provided for, from their date.

Any Capital Appreciation Bonds shall bear interest from the Closing Date at the compounding rate or rates of interest (computed on a 360-day per year basis), accrued and compounded on each Interest Accretion Date and payable at maturity, that will result in the aggregate Maturity Amounts payable at maturity, as shall be determined, subject to subsection (c) of this Section, in the Certificate of Award; provided, that the Capital Appreciation Bonds of any one stated maturity all shall bear the same compounding rate of interest. The total interest accrued on any Capital Appreciation Bond as of any particular date shall be an amount equal to the amount by which the Compound Accreted Amount of that Capital Appreciation Bond exceeds the original principal amount of that Capital Appreciation Bond as of that date.

(b) <u>Principal Payment Schedule</u>. The Bonds shall mature or be payable pursuant to Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements (as hereinafter defined and described) on the Principal Payment Dates in principal amounts as shall be determined, subject to subsection (c) of this Section, in the Certificate of Award, which determination shall be consistent with the best interest of and financial advantages to the County.

Consistent with the foregoing and in accordance with the determination of the best interest of and financial advantages to the County, the County Administrator shall specify in the Certificate of Award (i) the aggregate principal amount of Current Interest Bonds to be issued as Current Interest Serial Bonds, the Principal Payment Dates on which those Bonds shall be stated to mature and the principal amount thereof that shall be stated to mature on each such Principal Payment Date, (ii) the aggregate principal amount of Current Interest Bonds to be issued as Current Interest Bonds, the Principal Payment Date or Dates on which those Bonds shall be stated to mature on each such Principal Payment Date, the Principal Payment Date or Dates on which those Bonds shall be stated to mature on each such Principal Payment Date, the Principal Payment Date or Dates on which Current Interest Term Bonds shall be stated to mature on each such Principal Payment Date, the Principal Payment Date or Dates on which Current Interest Term Bonds shall be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption (Mandatory Redemption Dates) and the principal amount thereof that shall be payable pursuant to Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements on each Mandatory Redemption Date, and (iii) the aggregate principal amount of any Bonds to be issued as Capital Appreciation Bonds and the corresponding aggregate Maturity Amount thereof, the Principal Payment Date or Dates on which those Bonds shall be stated to mature, and the principal amount and corresponding Maturity Amount thereof that shall be payable on each such Principal Payment Date.

(c) <u>Conditions for Establishment of Interest Rates and Principal Payment Dates and Amounts</u>. The rate or rates of interest per year to be borne by the Current Interest Bonds and the compounding rate or rates of interest per year to be borne by any Capital Appreciation Bonds, and the principal amount of Current Interest Bonds maturing or payable pursuant to Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements on each Principal Payment Date and the Maturity Amount of any Capital Appreciation Bonds payable on each Principal Payment Date, shall be such that the total principal and interest payments on the Bonds in any fiscal year in which principal is payable is not more than three times the amount of those payments in any other fiscal year. The net interest rate for the Bonds determined by taking into account the respective principal amounts of the Bonds and terms to maturity or mandatory sinking fund redemption of those principal amounts of Bonds shall not exceed 8-1/2% per year.

(d) <u>Payment of Debt Charges</u>. The debt charges on the Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America without deduction for the services of the Bond Registrar as paying agent. Principal of and any premium on the Current Interest Bonds, and principal of and interest on any Capital Appreciation Bonds, shall be payable when due upon presentation and surrender of the Bonds at the office of the Bond Registrar. Interest on a Current Interest Bond shall be paid on each Interest Payment Date by check or draft mailed to the person in whose name the Bond was registered, and to that person's address appearing, on the Bond Registrar at the close of business on the 15th day of the calendar month next preceding that Interest Payment Date. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if and so long as the Bonds are issued in a book entry system, principal of and interest and any premium on the Bonds shall be payable in the manner provided in any agreement entered into by the County Auditor, in the name and on behalf of the County, in connection with the book entry system.

(e) <u>Redemption Provisions</u>. The Current Interest Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to stated maturity as follows:

(i) Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption of Current Interest Term Bonds. If any of the Bonds are

issued as Current Interest Term Bonds, the Current Interest Term Bonds shall be subject to mandatory redemption in part by lot and be redeemed pursuant to mandatory sinking fund requirements, at a redemption price of 100% of the principal amount redeemed, plus accrued interest to the redemption date, on the applicable Mandatory Redemption Dates and in the principal amounts payable on those Dates, for which provision is made in the Certificate of Award (such Dates and amounts, the Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements).

The aggregate of the moneys to be deposited with the Bond Registrar for payment of principal of and interest on any Current Interest Term Bonds on each Mandatory Redemption Date shall include an amount sufficient to redeem on that Date the principal amount of Current Interest Term Bonds payable on that Date pursuant to Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements (less the amount of any credit as hereinafter provided).

The County shall have the option to deliver to the Bond Registrar for cancellation Current Interest Term Bonds in any aggregate principal amount and to receive a credit against the then current or any subsequent Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirement (and corresponding mandatory redemption obligation) of the County, as specified by the County Auditor, for Current Interest Term Bonds stated to mature on the same Principal Payment Date as the Current Interest Term Bonds so delivered. That option shall be exercised by the County on or before the 15th day preceding any Mandatory Redemption Date with respect to which the County wishes to obtain a credit, by furnishing the Bond Registrar a certificate, signed by the County Auditor, setting forth the extent of the credit to be applied with respect to the then current or any subsequent Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirement for Current Interest Term Bonds stated to mature on the same Principal Payment Date. If the certificate is not timely furnished to the Bond Registrar, the current Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirement (and corresponding mandatory redemption obligation) shall not be reduced. A credit against the then current or any subsequent Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirement (and corresponding mandatory redemption obligation), as specified by the County Auditor, also shall be received by the County for any Current Interest Term Bonds which prior thereto have been redeemed (other than through the operation of the applicable Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements) or purchased for cancellation and canceled by the Bond Registrar, to the extent not applied theretofore as a credit against any Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirement, for Current Interest Term Bonds stated to mature on the same Principal Payment Date as the Current Interest Term Bonds so redeemed or purchased and canceled.

Each Current Interest Term Bond so delivered, or previously redeemed, or purchased and canceled, shall be credited by the Bond Registrar at 100% of the principal amount thereof against the then current or subsequent Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements (and corresponding mandatory redemption obligations), as specified by the County Auditor, for Current Interest Term Bonds stated to mature on the same Principal Payment Date as the Current Interest Term Bonds so delivered, redeemed or purchased and canceled.

(ii) <u>Optional Redemption</u>. The Current Interest Bonds of the maturities specified in the Certificate of Award shall be subject to redemption by and at the sole option of the County, in whole or in part in integral multiples of \$5,000, on the dates, in the years and at the redemption prices (expressed as a percentage of the principal amount to be redeemed), plus accrued interest to the redemption date, to be determined in the Certificate of Award; provided that the earliest optional redemption date shall not be earlier than December 1, 2007 or later than December 1, 2010, and the redemption price for the earliest optional redemption date shall not be greater than 103%.

If optional redemption of Current Interest Term Bonds at a redemption price exceeding 100% of the principal amount to be redeemed is to take place as of any Mandatory Redemption Date applicable to those Current Interest Term Bonds, the Current Interest Term Bonds, or portions thereof, to be redeemed optionally shall be selected by lot prior to the selection by lot of the Current Interest Term Bonds of the same maturity to be redeemed on the same date by operation of the Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Requirements. Bonds to be redeemed pursuant to this paragraph shall be redeemed only upon written notice from the County Auditor to the Bond Registrar, given upon the direction of this Board by adoption of a resolution. That notice shall specify the redemption date and the principal amount of each maturity of Bonds to be redeemed, and shall be given at least 45 days prior to the redemption date or such shorter period as shall be acceptable to the Bond Registrar.

(iii) <u>Partial Redemption</u>. If fewer than all of the outstanding Bonds are called for optional redemption at one time and Bonds of more than one maturity are then outstanding, the Bonds that are called shall be Bonds of the maturity or maturities selected by the County. If fewer than all of the Bonds of a single maturity are to be redeemed, the selection of Bonds of that maturity to be redeemed, or portions thereof in amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, shall be made by the Bond Registrar by lot in a manner determined by the Bond Registrar. In the case of a partial redemption of Bonds by lot when Bonds of denominations greater than \$5,000 are then outstanding, each \$5,000 unit of principal thereof shall be treated as if it were a separate Bond of the denomination of \$5,000. If it is determined that one or more, but not all, of the \$5,000 units of principal amount represented by a Bond are to be called for redemption, then, upon notice of redemption of a \$5,000 unit or units, the registered owner of that Bond shall surrender the Bond to the Bond Registrar (i) for payment of the redemption price of the \$5,000 unit or units of principal amount called for redemption (including, without limitation, the interest accrued to the date fixed for redemption and any premium), and (ii) for issuance, without charge to the registered owner, of a new Bond or Bonds of any

Authorized Denomination or Denominations in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unmatured and unredeemed portion of, and bearing interest at the same rate and maturing on the same date as, the Bond surrendered.

(iv) <u>Notice of Redemption</u>. The notice of the call for redemption of Bonds shall identify (A) by designation, letters, numbers or other distinguishing marks, the Bonds or portions thereof to be redeemed, (B) the redemption price to be paid, (C) the date fixed for redemption, and (D) the place or places where the amounts due upon redemption are payable. The notice shall be given by the Bond Registrar on behalf of the County by mailing a copy of the redemption notice by first class mail, postage prepaid, at least 30 days prior to the date fixed for redemption, to the registered owner of each Bond subject to redemption in whole or in part at the registered owner's address shown on the Bond Register maintained by the Bond Registrar at the close of business on the fifteenth day preceding that mailing. Failure to receive notice by mail or any defect in that notice regarding any Bond, however, shall not affect the validity of the proceedings for the redemption of any Bond.

(v) <u>Payment of Redeemed Bonds</u>. In the event that notice of redemption shall have been given by the Bond Registrar to the registered owners as provided above, there shall be deposited with the Bond Registrar on or prior to the redemption date, moneys that, in addition to any other moneys available therefor and held by the Bond Registrar, will be sufficient to redeem at the redemption price thereof, plus accrued interest to the redemption date, all of the redeemable Bonds for which notice of redemption has been given. Notice having been mailed in the manner provided in the preceding paragraph hereof, the Bonds and portions thereof called for redemption shall become due and payable on the redemption date, and, subject to Section 7, upon presentation and surrender thereof at the place or places specified in that notice, shall be paid at the redemption price, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. If moneys for the redemption of all of the Bonds and portions thereof to be redeemed, together with accrued interest thereon to the redemption date, are held by the Bond Registrar on the redemption date, so as to be available therefor on that date and, if notice of redemption has been deposited in the mail as aforesaid, then from and after the redemption date those Bonds and portions thereof called for redemption shall cease to bear interest and no longer shall be considered to be outstanding. If those moneys shall not be so available on the redemption date, or that notice shall not have been deposited in the mail as aforesaid, those Bonds and portions thereof shall continue to bear interest, until they are paid, at the same rate as they would have borne had they not been called for redemption. All moneys held by the Bond Registrar for the redemption of particular Bonds shall be held in trust for the account of the registered owners thereof and shall be paid to them, respectively, upon presentation and surrender of those Bonds.

(vi) <u>Capital Appreciation Bonds</u>. The Capital Appreciation Bonds, if any, are not subject to redemption prior to maturity.

Section 4. Execution and Authentication of Bonds; Appointment of Bond Registrar. The Bonds shall be signed by at least two members of the Board of County Commissioners and the County Auditor, in the name of the County and in their official capacities, provided that any or all of those signatures may be a facsimile. The Bonds shall be issued in the Authorized Denominations and numbers as requested by the Original Purchaser and approved by the County Auditor, shall be numbered as determined by the County Administrator in order to distinguish each Bond from any other Bond and to distinguish the Current Interest Bonds from any Capital Appreciation Bonds, and shall express upon their faces the purpose, in summary terms, for which they are issued and that they are issued pursuant to this Resolution.

The Fifth Third Bank, in Cincinnati, Ohio, is hereby appointed to act as the initial Bond Registrar. The County Auditor shall sign and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the County, the Registrar Agreement between the County and the Bond Registrar, in substantially the form as is now on file with the Clerk. The Registrar Agreement is approved, together with any changes or amendments that are not inconsistent with this Resolution and not substantially adverse to the County and that are approved by the County Auditor on behalf of the County, all of which shall be conclusively evidenced by the signing of the Registrar Agreement or amendments thereto. The County Auditor shall provide for the payment of the services rendered and for reimbursement of expenses incurred pursuant to the Registrar Agreement, except to the extent paid or reimbursed by the Original Purchaser in accordance with the Purchase Agreement, from the proceeds of the Bonds to the extent available and then from other money lawfully available and appropriated or to be appropriated for that purpose.

No Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose or shall be entitled to any security or benefit under the Bond proceedings unless and until the certificate of authentication printed on the Bond is signed by the Bond Registrar as authenticating agent. Authentication by the Bond Registrar shall be conclusive evidence that the Bond so authenticated has been duly issued, signed and delivered under, and is entitled to the security and benefit of, the Bond proceedings. The certificate of authentication may be signed by any authorized officer or employee of the Bond Registrar or by any other person acting as an agent of the Bond Registrar and approved by the County Auditor on behalf of the County. The same person need not sign the certificate of authentication on all of the Bonds.

#### Section 5. Registration; Transfer and Exchange; Book Entry System.

(a) <u>Bond Registrar</u>. So long as any of the Bonds remain outstanding, the County will cause the Bond Registrar to maintain and keep the Bond Register. Subject to the provisions of Section 6, the person in whose name a Bond is registered on the Bond Register shall be regarded as the absolute owner of that Bond for all purposes of the

Bond proceedings. Payment of or on account of the debt charges on any Bond shall be made only to or upon the order of that person; neither the County nor the Bond Registrar shall be affected by any notice to the contrary, but the registration may be changed as provided in this Section. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the County's liability upon the Bond, including interest, to the extent of the amount or amounts so paid.

(b) <u>Transfer and Exchange</u>. Any Bond may be exchanged for Bonds of any Authorized Denomination upon presentation and surrender at the office of the Bond Registrar, together with a request for exchange signed by the registered owner or by a person legally empowered to do so in a form satisfactory to the Bond Registrar. A Bond may be transferred only on the Bond Register upon presentation and surrender of the Bond at the office of the Bond Registrar together with an assignment signed by the registered owner or by a person legally empowered to do so in a form satisfactory to the Bond Registrar. Upon exchange or transfer the Bond Registrar shall complete, authenticate and deliver a new Bond or Bonds of any Authorized Denomination or Denominations requested by the owner equal in the aggregate to the unmatured principal amount of the Bond surrendered and bearing interest at the same rate and maturing on the same date.

If manual signatures on behalf of the County are required, the Bond Registrar shall undertake the exchange or transfer of Bonds only after the new Bonds are signed by the authorized officers of the County. In all cases of Bonds exchanged or transferred, the County shall sign and the Bond Registrar shall authenticate and deliver Bonds in accordance with the provisions of the Bond proceedings. The exchange or transfer shall be without charge to the owner, except that the County and Bond Registrar may make a charge sufficient to reimburse them for any tax or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to the exchange or transfer. The County or the Bond Registrar may require that those charges, if any, be paid before the procedure is begun for the exchange or transfer. All Bonds issued and authenticated upon any exchange or transfer shall be valid obligations of the County, evidencing the same debt, and entitled to the same security and benefit under the Bond Proceedings as the Bonds surrendered upon that exchange or transfer. Neither the County nor the Bond Registrar shall be required to make any exchange or transfer of (i) Bonds then subject to call for redemption between the 15th day preceding the mailing of notice of Bonds to be redeemed and the date of that mailing, or (ii) any Bond selected for redemption, in whole or in part.

(c) <u>Book Entry System</u>. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Resolution, if the County Administrator determines in the Certificate of Award that it is in the best interest of and financially advantageous to the County, the Bonds may be issued in book entry form in accordance with the following provisions of this Section.

The Bonds may be issued to a Depository for use in a book entry system and, if and so long as a book entry system is utilized, (i) the Bonds may be issued in the form of a single, fully registered Bond representing each maturity and registered in the name of the Depository or its nominee, as registered owner, and immobilized in the custody of the Depository or its designated agent; (ii) the book entry interest owners of Bonds in book entry form shall not have any right to receive Bonds in the form of physical securities or certificates; (iii) ownership of book entry interests in Bonds in book entry form shall be shown by book entry on the system maintained and operated by the Depository and its Participants, and transfers of the ownership of book entry interests shall be made only by book entry by the Depository and its Participants; and (iv) the Bonds as such shall not be transferable or exchangeable, except for transfer to another Depository or to another nominee of a Depository, without further action by the County.

If any Depository determines not to continue to act as a Depository for the Bonds for use in a book entry system, the County Auditor may attempt to establish a securities depository/book entry relationship with another qualified Depository. If the County Auditor does not or is unable to do so, the County Auditor, after making provision for notification of the book entry interest owners by the then Depository and any other arrangements deemed necessary, shall permit withdrawal of the Bonds from the Depository, and shall cause Bond certificates in registered form to be authenticated by the Bond Registrar and delivered to the assigns of the Depository or its nominee, all at the cost and expense (including any costs of printing), if the event is not the result of County action or inaction, of those persons requesting such issuance.

The County Auditor is hereby authorized and directed, to the extent necessary or required, to enter into any agreements, in the name and on behalf of the County, that the County Auditor determines to be necessary in connection with a book entry system for the Bonds.

#### Section 6. Sale of the Bonds.

(a) <u>To the Original Purchaser</u>. The Bonds are sold at private sale to the Original Purchaser at a purchase price, not less than 97% of the aggregate principal amount thereof, as shall be determined in the Certificate of Award, plus accrued interest on the Current Interest Bonds from their date to the Closing Date, and shall be awarded by the County Administrator with and upon such other terms as are required or authorized by this Resolution to be specified in the Certificate of Award, in accordance with law, the provisions of this Resolution and the Purchase Agreement.

The County Administrator shall sign and deliver the Certificate of Award and shall cause the Bonds to be prepared and signed and delivered, together with a true transcript of proceedings with reference to the issuance of the Bonds, to the Original Purchaser upon payment of the purchase price. The Commissioners, or any of them, the County Auditor, the Clerk, the County Administrator and other County officials, as appropriate, each are authorized and directed to sign any transcript certificates, financial statements and other documents and instruments and to take such actions as are necessary or appropriate to consummate the transactions contemplated by this Resolution.

The County Administrator shall sign and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the County, the Purchase Agreement between the County and the Original Purchaser, in substantially the form as is now on file with the Clerk,

providing for the sale to, and the purchase by, the Original Purchaser of the Bonds. The Purchase Agreement is approved, together with any changes or amendments that are not inconsistent with this Resolution and not substantially adverse to the County and that are approved by the County Administrator on behalf of the County, all of which shall be conclusively evidenced by the signing of the Purchase Agreement or amendments thereto.

(b) <u>Primary Offering Disclosure -- Official Statement</u>. The preliminary official statement of the County relating to the original issuance of the Bonds substantially in the form now on file with the Clerk is approved. The distribution and use of that preliminary official statement is hereby approved. The President of the Commissioners, the County Auditor and the County Administrator are each authorized and directed to complete and sign on behalf of the County, and in their official capacities, that preliminary official statement, with such modifications, completions, changes and supplements, as those officers shall approve or authorize for the purpose of preparing and determining, and to certify or otherwise represent, that the revised official statement is a "deemed final" official statement (except for permitted omissions) by the County as of its date and is a final official statement for purposes of SEC Rule 15c2-12(b)(1), (3) and (4).

Those officers are each further authorized to use and distribute, or authorize the use and distribution of, the final official statement and supplements thereto in connection with the original issuance of the Bonds as may in their judgment be necessary or appropriate. Those officers and each of them are also authorized to sign and deliver, on behalf of the County, and in their official capacities, such certificates in connection with the accuracy of the final official statement and any amendment thereto as may, in their judgment, be necessary or appropriate.

(c) <u>Agreement to Provide Continuing Disclosure</u>. For the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners from time to time of the Bonds, the County agrees, as the only obligated person with respect to the Bonds under the Rule, to provide or cause to be provided such financial information and operating data, financial statements and notices, in such manner, as may be required for purposes of paragraph (b)(5)(i) of the Rule. In order to describe and specify certain terms of the County's continuing disclosure agreement for that purpose, and thereby to implement that agreement, including provisions for enforcement, amendment and termination, the Commissioners, or any two of them, are authorized and directed to sign and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the County, the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, with any changes or amendments that are not inconsistent with this Resolution and not substantially adverse to the County and that are approved by the Commissioners signing on behalf of the County, all of which shall be conclusively evidenced by the signing of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate or amendments to it. The agreement formed, collectively, by this paragraph and the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, shall be the County's continuing disclosure agreement for purposes of the Rule, and its performance shall be subject to the availability of funds and their annual appropriation to meet costs the County would be required to incur to perform it.

(d) <u>Application for Rating or Bond Insurance</u>. The filing of an application for (i) a rating on the Bonds by one or more nationally-recognized rating agencies, or (ii) a policy of insurance from a company or companies to better assure the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds is hereby ratified. If, in the judgment of the County Administrator, it is in the best interest of and financially advantageous to this County to obtain each such rating or policy, the County Administrator, except to the extent paid by the Original Purchaser in accordance with the Purchase Agreement, is authorized to provide for the payment of such rating or policy from the proceeds of the Bonds to the extent available and otherwise from any other funds lawfully available and that are appropriated or shall be appropriated for that purpose.

Section 7. <u>Provisions for Tax Levy</u>. There shall be levied on all the taxable property in the County, in addition to all other taxes, a direct tax annually during the period the Bonds are outstanding in an amount sufficient to pay the debt charges on the Bonds when due, which tax shall not be less than the interest and sinking fund tax required by Section 11 of Article XII of the Ohio Constitution. The tax shall be within the ten-mill limitation imposed by law, shall be and is ordered computed, certified, levied and extended upon the tax duplicate and collected by the same officers, in the same manner and at the same time that taxes for general purposes for each of those years are certified, levied, extended and collected, and shall be placed before and in preference to all other items and for the full amount thereof. The proceeds of the tax levy shall be placed in the Bond Retirement Fund, which is irrevocably pledged for the payment of the debt charges on the Bonds when and as the same fall due. In each year to the extent the income from the County's sewerage system is available for the payment of the debt charges on the Bonds and is appropriated for that purpose, the amount of the tax shall be reduced by the amount of the income so available and appropriated.

Section 8. <u>Federal Tax Considerations</u>. The County covenants that it will use, and will restrict the use and investment of, the proceeds of the Bonds in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary so that (a) the Bonds will not (i) constitute private activity bonds, arbitrage bonds or hedge bonds under Sections 141, 148 or 149 of the Code or (ii) be treated other than as bonds to which Section 103 of the Code applies, and (b) the interest thereon will not be an item of tax preference under Section 57 of the Code.

The County Auditor, as the fiscal officer, or any other officer of the County having responsibility for issuance of the Bonds, is hereby authorized (a) to make or effect any election, selection, designation, choice, consent, approval, or waiver on behalf of the County with respect to the Bonds as the County is permitted or required to make or give under the federal income tax laws, including, without limitation thereto, any of the elections provided for in Section 148(f)(4)(C) of the Code or available under Section 148 of the Code, for the purpose of assuring, enhancing or protecting favorable tax treatment or status of the Bonds or interest thereon or assisting compliance with requirements for that purpose, reducing the burden or expense of such compliance, reducing the rebate amount or payments or penalties, or making payments of special amounts in lieu of making computations to determine, or paying, excess earnings as rebate, or obviating those amounts or payments, as determined by that officer, which action shall be in

writing and signed by the officer, (b) to take any and all other actions, make or obtain calculations, make payments, and make or give reports, covenants and certifications of and on behalf of the County, as may be appropriate to assure the exclusion of interest from gross income and the intended tax status of the Bonds, and (c) to give one or more appropriate certificates of the County, for inclusion in the transcript of proceedings for the Bonds, setting forth the reasonable expectations of the County regarding the amount and use of all the proceeds of the Bonds, the facts, circumstances and estimates on which they are based, and other facts and circumstances relevant to the tax treatment of the interest on and the tax status of the Bonds.

Section 9. <u>Certification and Delivery of Resolution and Certificate of Award</u>. The Clerk is directed to deliver a certified copy of this Resolution and a copy of the Certificate of Award to the County Auditor.

Section 10. <u>Other Determinations</u>. This Board determines that all acts and conditions necessary to be performed by the County or to have been met precedent to and in the issuing of the Bonds in order to make them legal, valid and binding general obligations of the County have been performed and have been met, or will at the time of delivery of the Bonds have been performed and have been met, in regular and due form as required by law; that the full faith and credit and general property taxing power (as described in Section 7) of the County are pledged for the timely payment of the debt charges on the Bonds; and that no statutory or constitutional limitation of indebtedness or taxation will have been exceeded in the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 11. <u>Compliance with Open Meeting Requirements</u>. This Board finds and determines that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Board and that all deliberations of this Board and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

Section 12. Effective Date. This resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

The foregoing motion having been put to a vote, the result of the roll call was as follows:

Vote on Motion: Mr. Ward Aye Mrs. Martin Aye Mr. Wuertz Aye

### **RESOLUTIION NO. 99-184**

### IN THE MATTER OF ADJOURNING INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR PERSONNEL MATTERS ORC 121.22(G)(1) TO CONSIDER THE APPOINTMENT, EMPLOYMENT DISMISSAL, DISCIPLINE, PROMOTION, DEMOTION, OR COMPENSATION OF A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE OR OFFICIAL... AT 9:25AM:

It was moved by Mrs. Martin to go into Executive Session Mr. Ward seconded the motion.

Vote on Motion: Mr. Ward Aye Mrs. Martin Aye Mr. Wuertz Aye

**RESOLUTION NO. 99-185** 

## IN THE MATTER OF ADJOURNING OUT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 11:05 AM :

It was moved by Mr. Ward and seconded by Mrs. Martin to adjourn out of Executive Session .

Vote on Motion: Mr. Ward Aye Mrs. Martin Aye Mr. Wuertz Aye

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.