

**ALCOHOL, DRUG ADDICTION AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES BOARD  
OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY**

**RESOLUTION NO. 14-04-07**

**AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TRADE ASSOCIATION**

**WHEREAS**, with the anticipated loss of State 507 funding, the ADAMHS Board of Cuyahoga County has the lowest per capita State of Ohio Non-Medicaid funding; and,

**WHEREAS**, the ADAMHS Boards of Franklin and Hamilton County are also well below the state average in terms of per capita Non-Medicaid funding by the State of Ohio; and,

**WHEREAS**, the following chart depicts the State of Ohio funding without the 507 allocation; and,

<b>Board</b>	<b>Per Capita</b>
Cuyahoga	\$ 3.58
Franklin	\$ 4.24
Hamilton	\$ 5.12
State Average	\$ 7.86

**WHEREAS**, a Trade Association is desirable to represent the largest counties pertaining to State funding and other urban issues; and,

**WHEREAS**, the ADAMHS Boards of Franklin and Hamilton County have agreed to contribute a like sum of \$10,000.00 each.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:**

1. The ADAMHS Board of Directors authorizes partnering with the Franklin and Hamilton County ADAMHS Boards to establish a Trade Association to represent the counties on issues pertaining to funding and other urban issues.
2. The amount of \$10,000.00 be set aside for the anticipated establishment costs.

On the motion of Rev. Benjamin F. Gohlstin, Sr., seconded by Eugenia Cash, LSW, MSSA, CDCA, the foregoing resolution was adopted.

**AYES:** D. Biegel, R. Blue, M. Boyle, E. Caraballo, E. Cash, R. Fowler, B. Gohlstin, P. Jones, S. Killpack, C. Rerko, R. Romaniuk, M. Warr

**NAYS:** None

**ABSTAIN:** None

**DATE ADOPTED:** April 30, 2014