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

RESOLUTION NO. 15-09-09

AUTHORIZATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ACCESS TO RECOVERY PROGRAM

WHEREAS, OhioMHAS is one of seven (7) states identified through a SAMHSA grant to provide Access to Recovery (ATR) services; and,

WHEREAS, the ADAMHS Board is interested in soliciting Non-Certified Providers to support the services required for implementation of the ATR Program; and,

WHEREAS, the target populations for this grant are adults with a primary diagnosis of substance abuse disorder, income below 200% of poverty line with Criminal Justice involvement either active and or within the past five years; and,

WHEREAS, the ATR Program will provide Peer Recovery Coaching, Life Skills Training, Spiritual and Faith-Based Support, Employment Services and Job Training as well as Gap Services such as Transportation; and,

WHEREAS, the ADAMHS Board will identify potential ATR providers through an OhioMHAS ATR Application Process, and the Board in collaboration with OhioMHAS will select the ATR Providers; and,

WHEREAS, the ADAMHS Board Planning & Oversight Committee and Finance & Operations Committee reviewed the ADAMHS Board staff's recommendation and endorses approval of participating in the Access to Recovery Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. The ADAMHS Board of Directors authorizes participation in the Access to Recovery program.
- 2. The ADAMHS Board CEO is hereby authorized to solicit proposals from providers proposing to deliver services.

On the motion of Eileen Saffran, LISW-S, and seconded by Harvey A. Snider, Esq., the foregoing motion was adopted.

AYES: D. Biegel, R. Blue, E. Caraballo, C. Handler, P. Jones, C. Rerko, R. Romaniuk,

E. Saffran, H. Snider, E. Thoms, M. Warr

NAYS: None

ABSTAIN: None

MOTION ADOPTED: September 30, 2015