

**Resolution authorizing the final payment to the Columbus Downtown Development Corporation (CDDC) in support of the Scioto Mile project (Community Partnerships) (\$1,749,949.33)**

**WHEREAS**, the Columbus Downtown Development Corporation (CDDC) was charged by the City of Columbus with the development, design and construction of a riverfront park along the East Bank of the Scioto River, collectively called the "Scioto Mile"; and

**WHEREAS**, with its grand opening on July 7, 2011, the Scioto Mile will serve as an integrated system of parks, boulevards, pedestrian paths and bikeway stretching from the Arena District to the Whittier Peninsula, reconnecting downtown Columbus to the river and serving as a critical element of the downtown development plan; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 8, 2008, the Board of Commissioners approved Resolution No. 0578-08, authorizing the County to enter into a \$5,000,000 four-year contract in support of the Scioto Mile project; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 23, 2010, via Resolution No. 150-10, the Board of Commissioners authorized a revised payment schedule of \$583,384 in 2010 and \$1,749,949.00 to be paid in roughly equal payments during the first and second quarters of 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, such 2011 payments constitute the final obligations under the contract; and

**WHEREAS**, the Franklin County Board of Commissioners offer continued support of the Scioto Mile project, as authorized under Section 755.16 of the Ohio Revised Code; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

1. The attached purchase order, individually described on the accompanying Purchase Order Proof List, to the Columbus Downtown Development Corporation, in the amount of \$1,749,949.33, is hereby approved.

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cc: Columbus Downtown Development Corporation