

Resolution authorizing a public ceremony and reception for the naming of 410 South High Street as the James A. Karnes Building. (Commissioners)

WHEREAS, the Franklin County Board of Commissioners wishes to honor Sheriff James A. Karnes for his service to the people of Franklin County by dedicating the building at 410 South High Street as the James A. Karnes Building thus allowing the citizens of Franklin County to forever recognize the hard work and dedication of Sheriff James A. Karnes; and

WHEREAS, James A. Karnes was elected Franklin County's 50th Sheriff in 1992, serving the people of Franklin County for over forty-four years and making him the longest serving sheriff in the history of Franklin County, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff Karnes began his law enforcement career with the Franklin County Sheriff's Office as a Deputy in the Corrections Division in 1963, progressed through the ranks, and supervised many divisions within the office before being elected as Sheriff in 1992; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable to use public funds in an amount not to exceed \$1,000.00 for the provision of snacks, non-alcoholic beverages, and other ancillary items for the dedication of 410 South High Street as the James A. Karnes Building; and

WHEREAS, a resolution is necessary to meet the proper public purpose expenditure requirements as set forth in Ohio Attorney General Opinion 82-006 and Auditor of State Bulletins 2003-005 and 2004-002; now, therefore,

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

1. The Board finds and hereby declares this dedication to be a proper and necessary public purpose to provide snacks and non-alcoholic beverages for the purpose of publicly recognizing the outstanding service and tenure of Sheriff James A. Karnes for the residents of Franklin County.
2. That the attached purchase order in the amount of \$1,000 for the purchase of snacks, non-alcoholic beverages, and other ancillary items that is individually described on the accompanying Purchase Order Proof List is hereby approved.

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