

**Resolution authorizing a subgrant award and contract with Buckeye Ranch Inc. for the provision of supervised visitation and safe exchange services through the OVW FY 2011 Safe Havens: Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Grant Program (OHS&JP) (\$175,504.50)**

**WHEREAS**, the Franklin County Criminal Justice Planning Board has identified supervised visitation and safe exchange services as a primary initiative in the 2012/2013 Comprehensive Strategic Justice Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Franklin County Board of Commissioners has authorized the receipt of a Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) FY11 Safe Havens: Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Grant Program for the purpose of increasing supervised visitation and exchange options for families with a history of domestic violence, child abuse, sexual assault and/or stalking; and

**WHEREAS**, Franklin County and Buckeye Ranch jointly applied for the OVW Grant Program in collaboration with the Franklin County Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court and other victim service providers and have been authorized by OVW to transition from the required planning phase to the implementation phase; and

**WHEREAS**, OVW and Franklin County Homeland Security and Justice Programs have reviewed and approved the proposed Year 2 implementation budget submitted by the Buckeye Ranch and the Franklin County Prosecuting Attorney has reviewed the contract and found it to be acceptable as to form.

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

The attached subgrant award, contract for services and purchase described on the accompanying Purchase Order Proof List is hereby approved for the agency and project listed below with compensation not to exceed the listed amount:

**FY 2011 Safe Havens:**

**Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Grant Program**

**Award Amount:**

Buckeye Ranch Inc. "Common Ground SV/SE Services" \$175,504.50

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CC: Commissioners  
OHS&JP  
Buckeye Ranch Inc.