

**Resolution authorizing CHOICES for Victims of Domestic Violence, Inc. to receive the fees collected in 2016 for the support of shelters for victims of domestic violence.  
(Commissioners)**

**WHEREAS**, section 3113.35 of the Revised Code establishes provisions for funding shelters for victims of domestic violence from fees collected for the issuance of marriage licenses and fees related to annulment, divorce, or marriage dissolution actions; and

**WHEREAS**, CHOICES for Victims of Domestic Violence, Inc. has filed an application for funding that fulfills the provisions set forth; and

**WHEREAS**, section 3113.35 of the Revised Code requires the Board of County Commissioners to notify applicants of their eligibility for support by November 15 of the year in which the application is filed; and

**WHEREAS**, Franklin County estimates that approximately \$300,000 will be available for CHOICES for Victims of Domestic Violence, Inc. in 2015 from fees collected under section 3113.34 and division (D) of section 2303.201 of the Revised Code; now, therefore,

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

1. That CHOICES for Victims of Domestic Violence, Inc. is authorized to receive all fees collected in Franklin County in 2015 pursuant to section 3113.35 of the Revised Code.
2. That the fees collected during the first half of 2015 shall be paid to CHOICES for Victims of Domestic Violence, Inc. by July 15, 2015; and the fees collected during the second half of 2014 shall be paid by January 15, 2016.

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