



# News Release

**Russell M. Pry – Summit County Executive**

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## Summit County Executive Russ Pry Takes Oath of Office

On Tuesday, January 6, 2009, at 4:30 p.m., Russ Pry will take the oath of office in a ceremony being held at the Mogadore High School, in the Commons, located at 130 South Cleveland Avenue, Mogadore, Ohio. Executive Pry will be sworn-in by the Honorable Judge Carol Dezso. A reception will follow at the John S. Knight Center in downtown Akron. The public is invited to attend both events.

In November 2008, the citizens of Summit County elected Pry to a four-year term as Executive. Pry was first appointed to the position by the Summit County Democratic Precinct Committee in July 2007.

The office of the Summit County Executive was established in 1980, when voters passed a measure creating a Charter form of government. County departments under the authority of the Executive include Administrative Services, Communications, Community and Economic Development, Environmental Services, Finance and Budget, Human Resources, Insurance and Risk Management, Job and Family Services, Law and the Medical Examiner.

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