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Russell M. Pry – Summit County Executive

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County Executive Russell M. Pry Offers Amnesty to Dog Owners on Mother's Day

On Sunday, May 9, 2010, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Summit County Executive Russell M. Pry will waive the \$14 late-fee regularly charged to citizens who have yet to purchase a 2010 Summit County Dog Licenses and sell tags for the low price of \$14 each (regular price \$28). The discounted price will **ONLY** be offered to citizens in attendance at Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens, located at 714 North Portage Path in Akron, on this date only.

Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens will be observing Mother's Day by offering free admission to all moms, as well as complimentary self-guided manor tours. The Summit County Division of Animal Control will be on site promoting animal adoptions, answering questions and selling dog licenses in the courtyard.

The Ohio Revised Code requires citizens who own, keep or harbor a dog more than three months of age to purchase a county dog license on an annual basis. Funds generated from the sale of dog licenses are used to feed, house and vaccinate abandoned animals in need.

For more information on the sale of 2010 Summit County Dog Licenses, or for additional sale locations, visit <http://www.co.summit.oh.us/fiscaloffice>. Citizens without access to the Internet are being asked to call 330-630-7226.

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