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Summit County Prosecutor's Office Child Support Enforcement Agency Honored

Summit County CSEA Winner of Ohio CSEA Directors' Association Contest

AKRON, Ohio (Friday, September 15, 2023) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that the Summit County Prosecutor's Office Child Support Enforcement Agency was honored by the Ohio CSEA Directors' Association with two awards.

In a recent contest sponsored by the Ohio CSEA Directors' Association, the Summit County Child Support Enforcement agency won two awards for a photo contest, "Unique Location" and "Fan Favorite". The contest was held during the month of August as part of Child Support Awareness month.

The contest involved child support enforcement agencies throughout Ohio who took pictures of agency employees for a photo contest where people could vote on the Ohio CSEA Directors' Association Facebook page.

The Summit County Prosecutor's Office Child Support Enforcement Agency received the most votes in the fan favorite category. Judges chose Summit County CSEA for the unique location award.

The Agency's picture had employees gather at Akron's Wingfoot Park with the iconic Goodyear Blimp in the background. While standing in front of the park's lake, CSEA employees were "reflecting on a good year in child support for Summit County".

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“My employees deserve all the accolades and honors given to them. They do a wonderful job fighting for families in Summit County. This contest is a fun way to show how much they care about what they do,” said Prosecutor Walsh.

About Summit County CSEA

The Summit County Child Support Enforcement Agency collects over \$74 million annually and handles more than 40,000 child support cases. Each year it establishes paternity or support orders for more than 3,500 children. Since its inception in 2001, the Criminal Non-Support program has collected more than \$57 million through its aggressive prosecution of individuals neglecting to pay child support. You can learn more about CSEA on its website: <https://prosecutor.summitoh.net/division/Child-Support-Enforcement-Agency.html>.