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ESTABLISHING new capital improvement program project account no. 980x234x242384, “Lunken Runway 3L-21R 2024 FAA AIP Grant,” for the purpose of decommissioning runway 3L-21R at Lunken Airport; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$1,400,000 from the Federal Aviation Administration Airport Improvement Program (ALN 20.106) to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x234x242384, “Lunken Runway 3L-21R 2024 FAA AIP Grant,” for the purpose of decommissioning Runway 3L-21R at Lunken Airport; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x234x242384, “Lunken Runway 3L-21R 2024 FAA AIP Grant.”

WHEREAS, a grant of up to \$1,400,000 is available from the Federal Aviation Administration (“FAA”) Airport Improvement Program (“AIP”) (ALN 20.106) (the “FAA/AIP Grant”) to provide resources to decommission Runway 3L-21R at Lunken Airport; and

WHEREAS, Runway 3L-21R is classified as an “additional” runway by the FAA and will not be eligible for future AIP resources; and

WHEREAS, decommissioning Runway 3L-21R and converting it into a taxiway is included in the approved Airport Layout Plan for Lunken Airport, as it will enable the City to develop additional areas of Lunken Airport in the future; and

WHEREAS, the FAA/AIP Grant requires a ten percent local match of up to \$140,000, half of which will be provided from capital improvement program project account no. 980x234x222352, “FAA/ODOT Local Match,” and half of which will be provided from future Ohio Department of Transportation Airport program grant resources; and

WHEREAS, there are no new FTEs/full-time equivalents associated with the FAA/AIP Grant;

WHEREAS, decommissioning Runway 3L-21R at Lunken Airport is in accordance with the “Connect” goal to “[d]evelop a regional transportation system that promotes economic vitality,” as described on page 139 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That new capital improvement program project account no. 980x234x242384, “Lunken Runway 3L-21R 2024 FAA AIP Grant,” is hereby established for the purpose of decommissioning runway 3L-21R at Lunken Airport.

Section 2. That the City Manager is authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$1,400,000 from the Federal Aviation Administration (“FAA”) Airport Improvement Program (ALN 20.106) (the “FAA/AIP Grant”) to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x234x242384, “Lunken Runway 3L-21R FAA AIP Grant,” for the purpose of decommissioning Runway 3L-21R at Lunken Airport.

Section 3. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the FAA/AIP Grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x234x242384, “Lunken Runway 3L-21R FAA AIP Grant.”

Section 4. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the FAA/AIP Grant and Sections 1 through 3.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare and shall, subject to the terms of Article II, Section 6 of the Charter, be effective immediately. The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to apply for and accept the grant by the applicable deadlines.

Passed: _____, 2024

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk