



Interdepartmental Correspondence Sheet

WU01744

Date: June 3, 2026

**To:** President Pro Tem Scotty Johnson  
**From:** Emily Smart Woerner, City Solicitor *EESW*  
**Subject:** **Emergency Ordinance – Honorary Secondary Street Naming – James Johnson Way**

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Transmitted herewith is an emergency ordinance captioned as follows:

**DECLARING** that Ninth Street at Central Avenue in the West End neighborhood shall hereby receive the honorary, secondary name of “James Johnson Way” in honor of James L. Johnson, and his lifelong commitment to justice, public service, and mentorship and his enduring impact to the Cincinnati community.

EESW/JRS(dbr)  
Attachment  
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