



**EMERGENCY**

**City of Cincinnati**

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**An Ordinance No. 62**

**-2025**

**AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$3,536 from the State of Ohio, Office of the Attorney General, National Crime Victims' Rights Week Community Awareness Project to provide resources for the Cincinnati Police Department's Victims Assistance Liaison Unit and the Cincinnati Citizens Respect Our Witnesses program to host the 9th Annual Homicide Memorial Ceremony; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368x8533, project account no. 25CVRW.

WHEREAS, the National Crime Victims' Rights Week Community Awareness Project grant is available to support innovative and collaborative approaches to promoting community-wide public awareness of the rights and available services for victims of all types of crimes during National Crime Victims' Rights Week, occurring April 7-11, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the theme of the 9th Annual Homicide Memorial Ceremony is Connecting, Kinship, and Healing, and the ceremony will include a gallery area and the "Calling of the Names" by family members in honor of their loved ones; and

WHEREAS, because the grant application deadline was February 28, 2025, the City has already applied for the grant and received notification of award on March 11, 2025, but no grant funds will be accepted without approval by Council; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of this grant requires no local matching funds, and no new FTEs/full time equivalents are associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of the grant is in accordance with the "Live" goal to "[c]reate a more livable community" as described on page 156 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

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

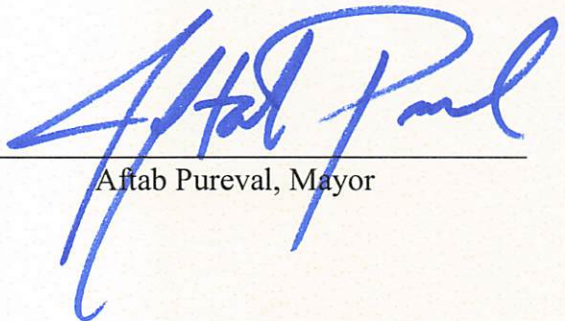
Section 1. That the City Manager is authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$3,536 from the State of Ohio, Office of the Attorney General, National Crime Victims' Rights Week Community Awareness Project to provide resources for the Cincinnati Police Department's Victims Assistance Liaison Unit and the Cincinnati Citizens Respect Our Witnesses program to host the 9th Annual Homicide Memorial Ceremony.

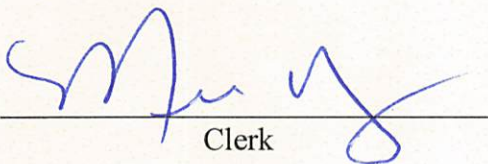
Section 2. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368x8533, project account no. 25CVRW.

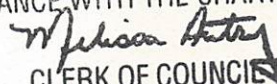
Section 3. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the grant and Sections 1 and 2.

Section 4. 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 need to ensure timely acceptance of any grant funds awarded.

Passed: April 2, 2025

  
Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest:   
Clerk

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ORDINANCE NO 67-2025  
WAS PUBLISHED IN THE CITY BULLETIN  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER ON 4/15/2025  
  
CLERK OF COUNCIL