

May 6, 2026

To: Mayor and Members of City Council

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From: Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager

Subject: Emergency Ordinance – Cincinnati Recreation Commission (CRC): Pool Furniture Acquisition

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

ESTABLISHING new permanent improvement program project account no. 980x199x261949, “Aquatics Furniture and Equipment – GF,” to provide resources for the acquisition of pool furniture, fixtures, and equipment, including but not limited to tables, seating, umbrellas, and other shade structures, needed for City pool facilities; **AUTHORIZING** the transfer and return to source of \$100,000 from existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x199x231915, “Recreation Facilities Renovation – GFCO,” to the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050; and **AUTHORIZING** the transfer and appropriation of \$100,000 from the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050 to newly established permanent improvement program project account no. 980x199x261949, “Aquatics Furniture and Equipment – GF,” to provide resources for the acquisition of pool furniture, fixtures, and equipment, including but not limited to tables, seating, umbrellas, and other shade structures, needed for City pool facilities.

Approval of this Emergency Ordinance authorizes the establishment of new permanent improvement program project account no. 980x199x261949, “Aquatics Furniture and Equipment – GF,” to provide resources for the acquisition of pool furniture, fixtures, and equipment, including but not limited to tables, seating, umbrellas, and other shade structures, needed for City pool facilities. This Emergency Ordinance then transfers and returns to source \$100,000 from existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x199x231915, “Recreation Facilities Renovation – GFCO,” to the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050 and then appropriates that same \$100,000 to the newly established permanent improvement program project account no. 980x199x261949, “Aquatics Furniture and Equipment – GF”.

There is a need to acquire pool furniture, fixtures, and equipment, including but not limited to tables, seating, umbrellas, and other shade structures, for use at City pool facilities.

Providing pool furniture, fixtures, and equipment at City pool facilities is in accordance with the “Live” goal to “[b]uild a robust life” and strategy to “[d]evelop and

maintain inviting and engaging public spaces to encourage social interaction between different types of people” as described on pages 149-151 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to acquire necessary pool furniture, fixtures, and equipment for City pools for use in the upcoming outdoor aquatics season.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

cc: Andrew Dudas, Budget Director
Steve Webb, Finance Director



Attachment