

EMERGENCY

City of Cincinnati

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EESW/EEF 2025

An Ordinance No. 79

AMENDING Ordinance No. 240-2024 to increase the amount of grant funding the City Manager is authorized to accept from the Federal Bipartisan Infrastructure Law Airport Infrastructure Grant program (ALN 20.106) from \$1,250,000 to \$1,400,000 to aid in the development of the Lunken Airport drainage infrastructure plan; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the additional \$150,000 in grant resources into the General Government Grants Fund revenue account no. 404x8554, Department of Transportation and Engineering project account no. 25DRN1.

WHEREAS, on June 12, 2024, Council passed Ordinance No. 240-2024, which authorized the City Manager to accept and to appropriate grant funding from the Federal Bipartisan Infrastructure Law Airport Infrastructure Grant ("BIL/AIG") program and authorized the Director of Finance to deposit grant resources into the General Government Grants Fund revenue account no. 404x8554, Department of Transportation and Engineering ("DOTE") project account no. 25DRN1; and

WHEREAS, the cost estimate for the Lunken Airport drainage infrastructure plan has been updated to reflect current construction pricing trends and the federal participation grant match has been increased from ninety percent to 95 percent; and

WHEREAS, after these changes, the BIL/AIG program will now contribute up to \$1,400,000 in grant funds to develop the Lunken Airport drainage infrastructure plan; and

WHEREAS, the BIL/AIG program will still require a local share, but the local grant match has been reduced from ten percent to five percent, which will be covered by resources available in DOTE General Aviation Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 104x234x7200, effective FY 2025; and

WHEREAS, there are no new FTEs/full time equivalents associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, developing a drainage infrastructure plan for 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 Section 1 of Ordinance No. 240-2024, passed by Council on June 12, 2024, is amended as follows:

Section 1. That the City Manager is authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$1,250,000\\$1,400,000, effective FY 2025, from the Federal Bipartisan Infrastructure Law FY 2024 Airport Infrastructure

Grant ("BIL/AIG") program (ALN 20.106) to aid in the development of the Lunken Airport drainage infrastructure plan.

Section 2. That all terms of Ordinance No. 240-2024 not amended in this ordinance remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. 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 accept and appropriate additional grant resources to meet established project timelines.

Passed: AWI 9, 2025

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest:

Clerk

Deletions are indicated by strikethrough; additions are indicated by underline.

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