

EMERGENCY

AEP

- 2026

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to execute a funding agreement with Keep Cincinnati Beautiful (“KCB”) to provide one-time operational support for the Don’t Dump the Nati program; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to expend existing resources of up to \$30,000 from Office of Environment and Sustainability General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x104x7400 to provide one-time operational support to KCB for the Don’t Dump the Nati program; and **DECLARING** such expenditure to serve a public purpose.

WHEREAS, in 2023, Keep Cincinnati Beautiful (“KCB”) began the Don’t Dump the Nati program to reduce illegal dumping by providing a place for Cincinnati residents to drop off waste for free; and

WHEREAS, as part of the program, KCB provides dumpsters for yard waste, recycling, scrap metal, construction debris, tires, and more, as well as electronic waste recycling services in collaboration with other community partners; and

WHEREAS, KCB will submit data reports detailing collection and waste diversion performance to the City; and

WHEREAS, providing one-time operational support to KCB’s Don’t Dump the Nati program is in accordance with the “Sustain” goal to “[b]ecome a healthier Cincinnati” and strategy to “[c]reate a healthy environment and reduce energy consumption” as described on pages 181-185 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 execute a funding agreement with Keep Cincinnati Beautiful (“KCB”) to provide one-time operational support for the Don’t Dump the Nati program.

Section 2. That the City Manager is authorized to expend existing resources of up to \$30,000 from Office of Environment and Sustainability General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x104x7400 to provide one-time operational support to KCB for the Don’t Dump the Nati program.

Section 3. That providing one-time operational support to KCB for the Don't Dump the Nati program is declared to serve a public purpose because it reduces illegal dumping and littering in Cincinnati.

Section 4. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of Section 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 execute a funding agreement with KCB to provide one-time operational support for the Don't Dump the Nati program.

Passed: _____, 2026

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk