

EMERGENCY

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- 2024

AUTHORIZING the payment of \$27,306.26 from Parks Department Cincinnati Riverfront Park Fund 329 non-personnel operating budget account no. 329x202x8000x7286 to Vets Securing America for charges related to security services provided in Cincinnati parks from April 1, 2024, through May 31, 2024, pursuant to the attached then and now certificate from the Director of Finance.

WHEREAS, Vets Securing America provided security services in certain Cincinnati parks from April 1, 2024, through May 31, 2024, pursuant to a duly executed contract; and

WHEREAS, a misunderstanding regarding the timing of the Office of Procurement's service quote process and subsequent encumbrance approval requirements resulted in a delay in payment and an outstanding obligation of \$27,306.26; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.41(D)(1), the Director of Finance has issued a certificate, attached to this ordinance, verifying that a sufficient sum was appropriated and in the City treasury for the purpose of paying such charges under the contract at the time the services were provided and the quote was issued and at the time the attached certificate was issued; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to provide a payment of \$27,306.26 to Vets Securing America for the security services provided; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Director of Finance is authorized to make a payment of \$27,306.26 from Parks Department Cincinnati Riverfront Park Fund 329 non-personnel operating budget account no. 329x202x8000x7286, pursuant to the attached certificate from the Director of Finance, to Vets Securing America for charges related to security services provided in Cincinnati parks from April 1, 2024, through May 31, 2024.

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

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 pay Vets Securing America for the outstanding charges in a timely manner.

Passed: _____, 2024

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk