

EMERGENCY

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AUTHORIZING the transfer and appropriation of \$334,565.60 from the unappropriated surplus of Park Board Permanent Improvement Fund 752 to existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x212006, "Parks Operations Center," for the purpose of providing resources for the design of the Parks Operations Center replacement facility.

WHEREAS, a new federal facility for the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health is being developed on a site that includes the Parks Operations Center on Reading Road; and

WHEREAS, the Cincinnati Board of Park Commissioners agreed to sell this property, so a replacement facility must be designed and constructed within 21 months of the closure of the existing facility; and

WHEREAS, Council approved Ordinance No. 0047-2021 authorizing the City Manager to transfer and appropriate \$57,750 from Park Board Permanent Improvement Fund 752 to capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x212006, "Parks Operations Center," for the purpose of providing resources for the Parks Operations Center replacement facility; and

WHEREAS, the Park Board originally intended to relocate the Parks Operations Center to the previous Police District 5 building but not been able to secure the necessary funding; and

WHEREAS, an amendment has been added to the original contract for additional design work which will consider other locations, at a lower cost, for relocation of the Parks Operations Center; and

WHEREAS, the Parks Operations Center relocation project is in accordance with the "Sustain" goal to "[m]anage our financial resources" and strategy to "[b]etter coordinate our capital improvement spending," as described on pages 199-201 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 hereby authorized to transfer and appropriate \$334,565.60 from the unappropriated surplus of Park Board Permanent Improvement Fund 752 to existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x212006, "Parks Operations

Center,” for the purpose of providing resources for the design of the Parks Operations Center replacement facility.

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

Section 3. That this ordinance shall be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of 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 transfer the funding necessary to complete the design work and relocation of the Parks Operations Center and avoid a disruption in service.

Passed: _____, 2022

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk