

January 4, 2024

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202400027

From: Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager

Subject: Emergency Ordinance - Police: Acceptance of Monetary Donation

from Lieutenant Colonel Maurice A. Robinson

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

**AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept and appropriate a donation of \$1,000 from Lieutenant Colonel Maurice A. Robinson to be used for operation of the Cincinnati Police Department Youth Services Program; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the donation into Public Safety Special Projects Fund 456.

This Emergency Ordinance authorizes the City Manager to accept and appropriate a donation of \$1,000 from Lieutenant Colonel Maurice A. Robinson to be used to operate the Cincinnati Police Department (CPD) Youth Services Program. This Emergency Ordinance further authorizes the Director of Finance to deposit the donation into Public Safety Special Projects Fund 456.

Lieutenant Colonel Maurice A. Robinson, a City employee, has generously offered to donate \$1,000 to support the operation of the CPD Youth Services Program. The CPD Youth Services Program operates multiple programs, including the Summer Cadet Program, Children in Trauma Intervention (C.I.T.I.) Camp, and the Public Safety Cadet Program.

This donation does not require additional FTEs/full time equivalents or matching funds.

Acceptance of this donation is in accordance with the "Collaborate" goal to "[w]ork in synergy with the Cincinnati community" and the strategy to "[u]nite our communities" as described on pages 209-212 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the need to ensure timely acceptance of the donation from Lieutenant Colonel Maurice A. Robinson.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

cc: Andrew M. Dudas, Budget Director Karen Alder, Finance Director

Attachment

