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RESOLUTION NO. 20 - 2026

RECOGNIZING Keep Cincinnati Beautiful and **EXPRESSING** the support of the Mayor and Council for the public launch of Keep Cincinnati Beautiful’s comprehensive campaign to double the impact on our City through its new home in the historic Harry Hake Building in Walnut Hills.

WHEREAS, since its founding in 1978, Keep Cincinnati Beautiful has enhanced the quality of life in Cincinnati through sustained efforts in litter removal, beautification, and community education; and

WHEREAS, the organization has made a measurable impact by removing millions of pounds of litter, painting more than 1,500 buildings, and planting thousands of trees across the city; and

WHEREAS, Keep Cincinnati Beautiful has restored the historic Harry Hake Building in Walnut Hills as its permanent headquarters, reflecting a commitment to both environmental stewardship and historic preservation; and

WHEREAS, the opening of this new facility stands as a testament to the dedication of its staff, volunteers, and supporters, and serves as a source of pride for the Cincinnati community; and

WHEREAS, the launch of Keep Cincinnati Beautiful’s ambitious \$6,000,000 campaign demonstrates a forward-looking vision to expand its impact and continue its legacy of service and excellence; now, therefore,

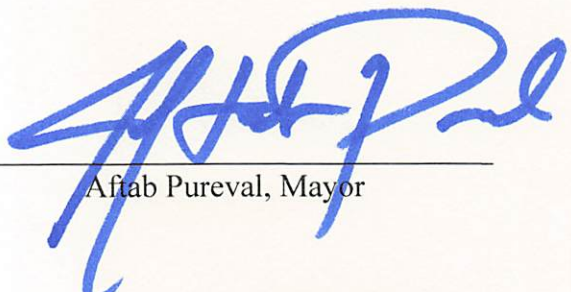
BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That the Mayor and this Council hereby recognize Keep Cincinnati Beautiful for the public launch of its comprehensive campaign to double its impact on our City through its new home in the historic Harry Hake Building in Walnut Hills.

Section 2. That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of Council and that a copy be provided to Keep Cincinnati Beautiful through the office of Vice Mayor Jan-Michele Kearney.

Passed: April 22, 2026

Attest: 
Clerk


Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Submitted by Vice Mayor Jan Michele Kearney