

EMERGENCY

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- 2023

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept and appropriate a grant in an amount of up to \$2,535,400 from the Ohio Child Care Stabilization Sub-Grant through the Ohio Child Care Resource and Referral Association and the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ALN 93.575) for the purpose of supporting approximately thirteen Cincinnati Recreation Commission licensed neighborhood childcare programs; and **AUTHORIZING** the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Recreation Federal Grant Projects Fund 324.

WHEREAS, on November 16, 2022, Council approved Ordinance No. 353-2022, which authorized the City Manager to apply for grant resources in an amount up to \$2,535,400 from the Ohio Child Care Stabilization Sub-Grant through the Ohio Child Care Resource and Referral Association and the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services for the purpose of supporting approximately thirteen Cincinnati Recreation Commission (“CRC”) licensed neighborhood childcare programs; and

WHEREAS, CRC was notified the City was awarded a grant in the amount of \$2,535,400; and

WHEREAS, the grant funding will allow CRC to increase the benefits provided to the Cincinnati community through licensed neighborhood childcare programs in the neighborhoods of Bond Hill, Corryville, East Walnut Hills, Evanston, Madisonville, Millvale, Northside, Pleasant Ridge, Price Hill, Saylor Park, Walnut Hills, West End, and Winton Hills; and

WHEREAS, there are no additional FTEs associated with this grant, and there are no matching fund requirements; and

WHEREAS, providing resources for neighborhood childcare programs is in accordance with the “Collaborate” goal to “[w]ork in synergy with the Cincinnati community” and strategy to “[u]nite our communities,” as described on pages 209-212 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 accept and appropriate a grant of up to \$2,535,400 from the Ohio Child Care Stabilization Sub-Grant through the Ohio Child Care Resource and Referral Association and the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ALN

93.575) for the purpose of supporting approximately thirteen Cincinnati Recreation Commission licensed neighborhood childcare programs.

Section 2. That the Finance Director is authorized to deposit the funds into Recreation Federal Grant Projects Fund 324.

Section 3. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the grant and Sections 1 and 2 hereof.

Section 4. 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 accept and utilize the grant resources before the deadline of June 30, 2023.

Passed: _____, 2023

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk