

August 4, 2025

**To:** Members of the Budget and Finance Committee  
**From:** Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager  
**Subject:** **Emergency Ordinance – Police: Acceptance of Monetary Donation from the Rotary Club of Cincinnati**

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Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

**AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept and appropriate a donation of \$1,000 from the Rotary Club of Cincinnati to be used for operation of the Cincinnati Police Department Public Safety Cadet program and the Cops for a Cure program; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the donation into Public Safety Special Projects Fund revenue account no. 456x8571.

This Emergency Ordinance authorizes the City Manager to accept and appropriate a donation of \$1,000 from the Rotary Club of Cincinnati to be used for the operation of the Cincinnati Police Department (CPD) Public Safety Cadet program and the Cops for a Cure program. This Emergency Ordinance also authorizes the Director of Finance to deposit the donation into Public Safety Special Projects Fund revenue account no. 456x8571.

The Rotary Club of Cincinnati has graciously donated \$1,000 to support the operation of the CPD Public Safety Cadet program and the Cops for a Cure program. The CPD Public Safety Cadet program, formerly titled the Explorers Program, gives students ages sixteen through nineteen the opportunity to work part-time during the summer to explore a career in law enforcement by working and training with members of the CPD. The Cops for a Cure program supports members of CPD diagnosed with breast cancer.

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 209-211 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the need to ensure timely acceptance of the donation from the Rotary Club of Cincinnati.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

cc: Andrew Dudas, Budget Director  
Steve Webb, Finance Director

Attachment

