

EMERGENCY

City of Cincinnati

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An Ordinance No. _____

- 2026

DECLARING that Montgomery Road at the intersection with Blair Street in the Evanston neighborhood shall hereby receive the honorary, secondary name of “Darnell Mansoor Way” in honor of Cincinnati Police Officer Darnell Mansoor and in recognition of his service to the City of Cincinnati.

WHEREAS, Darnell Mansoor was born on October 24, 1955, and joined the City of Cincinnati (“City”) Police Department in 1980; and

WHEREAS, Officer Mansoor was a devout Muslim and family man and showed compassion in everything he did; and

WHEREAS, throughout his career, Officer Mansoor was known for his professionalism, integrity, and compassion; and

WHEREAS, Officer Mansoor made significant contributions to the Cincinnati community through his work in the community and dedication to crime prevention; and

WHEREAS, Officer Mansoor was known for his outgoing and congenial personality, and working with troubled individuals that needed a guiding and helping hand; and

WHEREAS, Officer Mansoor tragically lost his life while off duty in April 1993; and

WHEREAS, with deep respect and remembrance, the City wishes to honor the legacy of Officer Darnell Mansoor who served the City of Cincinnati Police Department and community with unwavering dedication, integrity, and compassion for thirteen years; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That Montgomery Road at the intersection with Blair Street in the Evanston neighborhood shall hereby receive the honorary, secondary name of “Darnell Mansoor Way” in honor of Officer Darnell Mansoor to preserve his memory and his service to the City of Cincinnati (“City”).

Section 2. That the appropriate City officials are hereby authorized to do all things necessary and proper to implement the provisions of Section 1 herein, including the generation and installation of appropriate secondary street signage, which shall designate Montgomery Road

at the intersection with Blair Street in the Evanston neighborhood as “Darnell Mansoor Way” in accordance with the Department of Transportation and Engineering’s procedures relating to street designation and related signage.

Section 3. That a copy of this ordinance be sent to the family of Officer Darnell Mansoor via the office of Vice Mayor Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney.

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 allow the Department of Transportation and Engineering to move forward with the administrative requirements related to the honorary naming of streets to provide for the ceremony and dedication of the honorary street name at the earliest possible time.

Passed: _____, 2026

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk