

EMERGENCY

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- 2024

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept and appropriate grant resources of up to \$615,000 from the Ohio Department of Development through the Hamilton County Land Reutilization Corporation to the Department of Buildings and Inspections Hazard Abatement Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 347x212x7600 to reimburse the Department of Buildings and Inspections for building demolition and site revitalization projects; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant resources into Hazard Abatement Fund 347 revenue account no. 347x8538.

WHEREAS, the Hamilton County Land Utilization Corporation applied for the Demolition and Site Revitalization Grant in December 2021, and subsequently entered into a Subrecipient Agreement with the City of Cincinnati in November 2022 to reimburse the Department of Buildings and Inspections for building demolition and site revitalization projects as outlined in the original grant agreement; and

WHEREAS, no grant funds will be accepted without approval by Council; and

WHEREAS, this grant does not require matching funds, and there are no new FTEs/full time equivalents associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, utilizing grant resources to reimburse completed building demolition and site revitalization projects is in accordance with the “Sustain” goal to “[m]anage our financial resources” and strategy to “[s]pend public funds more strategically” as described on pages 199-205 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 grant resources of up to \$615,000 from the Ohio Department of Development through the Hamilton County Land Reutilization Corporation to the Department of Buildings and Inspections Hazard Abatement Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 347x212x7600 to reimburse the Department of Buildings and Inspections for building demolition and site revitalization projects.

Section 2. That Council authorizes the Director of Finance to deposit the grant funds into Hazard Abatement Fund 347 revenue account no. 347x8538.

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Section 3. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to comply with the terms of this grant and Sections 1 and 2.

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 the grant resources in a timely manner.

Passed: _____, 2024

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk