

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept and appropriate a donation from Hamilton County Public Health in an amount of up to \$500,000 for the purpose of providing additional funding for a multidisciplinary social services outreach pilot program; **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the donated funds into General Fund 050; and further **AUTHORIZING** the transfer and appropriation of up to \$500,000 from the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050 to the Cincinnati Fire Department General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x271x7200 for the purpose of providing additional funding for a multidisciplinary social services outreach pilot program.

WHEREAS, on June 23, 2022, Council approved Ordinance No. 171-2022, which authorized the City Manager to accept and deposit a donation from Hamilton County Public Health in an amount of up to \$100,000, and authorized the transfer and appropriation of up to \$100,000 from the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050 to the Cincinnati Fire Department for the purpose of creating a social services outreach pilot program; and

WHEREAS, Hamilton County Public Health intends to donate an additional \$500,000 of funding from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s Overdose Data to Action Program to the Cincinnati Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, this additional funding will extend the multidisciplinary social services outreach program previously established in Ordinance No. 171-2022; and

WHEREAS, the social services outreach team will continue to coordinate and deliver services to the community, Fire Department members, and Emergency Communications Center employees, and to identify, engage, and connect individuals to the appropriate medical, behavioral, and/or social services in the community; and

WHEREAS, there is no local match required, and no new FTEs are associated with this donation; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance is in accordance with “Sustain” goal to “[b]ecome a healthier Cincinnati” as described on pages 181-192 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 hereby authorized to accept and appropriate a donation in an amount of up to \$500,000 from Hamilton County Public Health for the purpose of providing additional funding for a multidisciplinary social services outreach pilot program.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to deposit the donated funds into General Fund 050.

Section 3. That the transfer and appropriation of an amount of up to \$500,000 from the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050 to the Cincinnati Fire Department General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x271x7200 is hereby authorized for the purpose of providing additional funding for a multidisciplinary social services outreach pilot program.

Section 4. That the proper City officials are hereby authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the provision of Sections 1 through 3 hereof.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2023

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk