

**January 11, 2023**

**To:** Mayor and Members of City Council 202300264  
**From:** Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager  
**Subject: Emergency Ordinance – Human Services Fund**

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Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

**ESTABLISHING** the City of Cincinnati’s human services funding priorities for Fiscal Year 2024 and subsequent Fiscal Years; **ESTABLISHING** an Impact Award for one large-scale social innovation project; **ESTABLISHING** a multi-year funding cycle for all human services funding; **ADVISING** the United Way and any other organization assisting the City with evaluating human services funding applications that City Council’s policy regarding the City of Cincinnati’s human services funding priorities is as follows: Impact Award, up to 33 percent; Comprehensive Workforce Development Support, 25 percent; Youth Gun Violence Prevention and Reduction, twenty percent; Supporting, Securing, and Stabilizing Housing for High-Risk Populations, ten percent; Emergency Wrap-Around Services (through Project LIFT), ten percent; overhead, two percent; and **ADVISING** the United Way and any other organization assisting the City with evaluating human services funding applications that the initial Impact Award should prioritize eviction prevention and housing stabilization.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

cc: William “Billy” Weber, Assistant City Manager  
Virginia Tallent, Interim Assistant City Manager

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