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AMENDING Ordinance No. 304-2020 to authorize the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in the amount of up to \$3,500,000 from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes, Lead Hazard Reduction Grant Program (CFDA 14.905) to Lead Hazard Control Research Grant Fund 387 for the purpose of identifying and controlling lead-based paint hazards in eligible, privately owned housing for low-income occupants.

WHEREAS, on September 16, 2020, Council approved Ordinance No. 304-2020 authorizing the application for, acceptance, and appropriation of up to \$3,000,000 from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (“HUD”) Healthy Homes Production Grant program, for the purpose of remediating lead-based paint hazards in privately owned housing for low-income occupants; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 304-2020 provided that no local match was required for the grant; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 304-2020 authorized the City Manager to appropriate the grant funds to Public Health Research Fund 350; and

WHEREAS, after Council’s approval of Ordinance No. 304-2020, HUD awarded the City grant funding in the amount of \$3,500,000, with a local match of \$310,000; and

WHEREAS, an amendment to Ordinance No. 304-2020 is required to reconcile the correct grant amount, local match requirements, other grant stipulations, and the appropriation of the grant funds to Lead Hazard Control Research Grant Fund 387; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 of Ordinance 304-2020, approved by the City Council on September 16, 2020, are hereby amended as follows:

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in the amount of up to ~~\$3,000,000~~ \$3,500,000 from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development’s ~~Healthy Homes Production Grant program~~ Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes, Lead Hazard Reduction Grant Program (CFDA 14.905) to Lead Hazard Control Research Grant Fund 387 for the purpose of ~~helping to remediate properties with lead hazards and for the promotion and development of Healthy Homes Supplemental funding.~~ identifying and controlling lead-based paint hazards in eligible, privately owned housing for low-income occupants.

~~Section 2. That if the grant is awarded, the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to receive and deposit the grant funds into Public Health Research Fund 350. That the proper City officials are authorized to use and expend the sum of up to \$3,500,000 in accordance with the grant terms and Section 1 hereof.~~

~~Section 3. That the proper City officials are authorized to use and expend the sum of up to \$3,000,000 in accordance with the grant terms and Sections 1 and 2 hereof.~~

Section 3.4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Section 2. That all terms of Ordinance No. 304-2020 not amended by this ordinance remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. 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 timely accept the grant funds.

Passed: _____

John Cranley, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk

Deletions are struck through. Additions are underlined.