

AMENDING Ordinance No. 172-2024 to allow the City to use resources from the Ohio Department of Health’s Creating Healthy Communities grant for reimbursement of non-personnel expenses that are necessary for executing the Healthy Communities Program.

WHEREAS, the Healthy Communities Program, a Cincinnati Health Department (“CHD”) initiative, advances health equity in Cincinnati through education, policy, and partnerships, addressing nutrition, physical activity, tobacco use, mental health, and other key health priorities; and

WHEREAS, on May 30, 2024, Council passed Ordinance No. 172-2024, which authorized the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant, effective FY 2025, of up to \$120,000 from the State of Ohio Department of Health Creating Healthy Communities Program to reimburse existing staff for their work on the Healthy Communities Program; and

WHEREAS, the grant also allows for reimbursement of non-personnel expenses related to the Healthy Communities Program, and CHD seeks to utilize the grant funds for these non-personnel expenses; and

WHEREAS, amending Ordinance No. 172-2024 is necessary to authorize the use of grant funds for non-personnel expenses necessary for executing the Healthy Communities Program; now, therefore;

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

Section 1. That Section 1 of Ordinance No. 172-2024, passed by Council on May 30, 2024, is amended as follows:

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant, effective FY 2025, of up to \$120,000 from the State of Ohio Department of Health Creating Healthy Communities ~~Program program~~ to reimburse the City for personnel and non-personnel expenses related to existing staff for their work on the Healthy Communities program.

Section 2. That all terms of Ordinance No. 172-2024 not amended or repealed by this ordinance remain in full force and effect.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 authorize the use of grant funds for non-personnel expenses necessary for executing the Healthy Communities Program.

Passed: _____, 2025

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk

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