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AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in the amount of up to \$288,200 in FY 2021 Project Safe Neighborhoods funds from the United States Attorney’s Office, Southern District of Ohio, administered by the Office of Criminal Justice Services (ALN 16.609), for the purchase and implementation of the FususOne platform, a real-time video and incident management system with video-sharing capabilities and a community-facing portal that will aid in the response to and investigation of violent crime; and **AUTHORIZING** the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No. 21PSN.

WHEREAS, the Project Safe Neighborhoods initiative supports projects that lead to a sustained reduction in violent crime, including criminal gang activities and the felonious possession and use of firearms; and

WHEREAS, a grant is available in the amount of up to \$288,200 in FY 2021 Project Safe Neighborhoods funds from the United States Attorney’s Office, Southern District of Ohio, administered by the Office of Criminal Justice Services (ALN 16.609), for the purchase and implementation of the FususOne platform, a real-time video and incident management system with video-sharing capabilities and a community-facing portal that will aid in the response to and investigation of violent crime; and

WHEREAS, the grant application deadline was August 29, 2022, and the Cincinnati Police Department applied for the grant prior to this ordinance receiving Council approval, but no funds will be accepted without approval of Council; and

WHEREAS, no matching funds or new FTEs are associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance is in accordance with the “Live” goal to “[c]reate a more livable community,” as described on pages 156-163 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 apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in the amount of up to \$288,200 in FY 2021 Project Safe Neighborhoods funds from the United States Attorney’s Office, Southern District of Ohio, administered by the Office of Criminal Justice Services (ALN 16.609), for the purchase and implementation of the FususOne platform, a

real-time video and incident management system with video-sharing capabilities and a community-facing portal that will aid in the response to and investigation of violent crime.

Section 2. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No. 21PSN.

Section 3. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the grant and Sections 1 and 2 herein.

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 ensure the timely acceptance of grant funds.

Passed: _____, 2022

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk