

March 10, 2021

To: Mayor and Members of City Council

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From: Paula Boggs Muething, City Manager

**Subject: Emergency Ordinance – Accept & Appropriate State of Ohio
Department of Natural Resources Capital Funds for Ault Park Wi-Fi**

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the establishment of new capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x212008, “Ault Park Wi-Fi – State of Ohio Capital”; and **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept and appropriate State of Ohio Capital Budget resources in the amount of \$46,000 as authorized by Senate Bill 310, which established the State of Ohio’s Capital Budget for Fiscal Years 2021 and 2022, to the newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x212008, “Ault Park Wi-Fi – State of Ohio Capital.”

This Emergency Ordinance will authorize the establishment of new capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x212008, “Ault Park Wi-Fi – State of Ohio Capital.” The Emergency Ordinance also authorizes the City Manager to accept and appropriate \$46,000 of State of Ohio Capital Budget resources authorized by Senate Bill 310 to the newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x212008, “Ault Park Wi-Fi – State of Ohio Capital.”

Installation of public Wi-Fi at Ault Park Pavilion is in accordance with the “Live” goal to “build a robust public life” and strategy to “develop and maintain inviting and engaging public spaces that encourage social interaction between different types of people” as described on pages 147 – 152 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to accept the funding to avoid disruption in services related to Wi-Fi at Ault Park Pavilion.

cc: Christopher A. Bigham, Assistant City Manager
Karen Alder, Finance Director

Attachment

