

February 9, 2022

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202200262

From: John P. Curp, Interim City Manager

Subject: **Ordinance – DOTE: Municipal Road Fund Grant for Fairbanks and Delhi Avenues**

Attached is an Ordinance captioned:

ESTABLISHING new capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222356, “Fairbanks & Delhi Ave MRF Grant,” for the purpose of providing resources for curb repairs, pavement repairs, roadway resurfacing, and related needs under the Street Rehabilitation Program on Fairbanks and Delhi Avenues in the neighborhood of Sedamsville; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept and appropriate grant resources in an amount of up to \$121,000 from the Hamilton County Municipal Road Fund to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222356, “Fairbanks & Delhi Ave MRF Grant”; **AUTHORIZING** the Finance Director to deposit the grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222356, “Fairbanks & Delhi Ave MRF Grant”; and **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these grant resources.

This Ordinance establishes capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222356, “Fairbanks & Delhi Ave MRF Grant,” for the purpose of providing resources for curb repairs, pavement repairs, roadway resurfacing, and related needs under the Street Rehabilitation Program on Fairbanks and Delhi Avenues in the neighborhood of Sedamsville. This Ordinance also authorizes the City Manager to accept and appropriate grant resources in an amount of up to \$121,000 from the Hamilton County Municipal Road Fund to new capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222356, “Fairbanks & Delhi Ave MRF Grant.” This Ordinance also authorizes the Finance Director to deposit resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222356. Finally, this Ordinance authorizes the City Manager to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these grant resources.

On October 14, 2020, the City Council passed Ordinance No. 0344-2020, which authorized the City Manager to apply for these Hamilton County Municipal Road Fund grant resources, but City Council’s authorization is required to accept and appropriate the grant resources.

The grant requires local matching funds in the amount of \$2,279,000, which will be provided from resources available in existing capital improvement program project

account nos. 980x233x222308, “Street Rehabilitation,” and 980x233x212339, “Fairbanks and Delhi Avenues Safety OPWC Grant.” No new FTEs are required.

The rehabilitation project on Fairbanks and Delhi Avenues is in accordance with the “Connect” goal to “develop a regional transportation system that promotes economic vitality,” and the strategy to “use the City’s transportation network to help facilitate economic development opportunities,” as described on pages 139-143 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The Administration recommends passage of this Ordinance.

cc: Andrew M. Dudas, Budget Director
Karen Alder, Finance Director



Attachment