

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept and appropriate a donation of up to \$135,000 from the United Way of Greater Cincinnati, operating on behalf of the Cincinnati Bengals, into existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x199x251900, “Outdoor Facilities Renovation,” to reimburse the Cincinnati Recreation Commission for the purchase of playground structures, equipment, materials, and signage for improvements to the Ryan Park Complex; **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the donated funds into existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x199x251900; and **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these donated funds.

WHEREAS, the Ryan Park Complex, which is adjacent to and utilized by the Gamble Montessori Elementary School, includes a park and playground accessible to the Westwood, North Fairmount, and Millvale neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the site plan for improvements to the Ryan Park Complex includes the addition of equipment physically accessible to people with disabilities, an education trail, and mindfulness spaces, which will be purchased from David Williams and Associates (“DWA”) on behalf of Gametime Equipment, and will be integrated with existing equipment already in place at the Ryan Park Complex; and

WHEREAS, the playground structures, equipment, materials, and signage will need to be purchased from DWA approximately eight weeks prior to planned installation in the fall of 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Cincinnati Recreation Commission (“CRC”) will cover the cost for the agreed-upon site improvements and the United Way of Greater Cincinnati (“United Way”) will reimburse CRC up to \$135,000; and

WHEREAS, partnering with the United Way and updating and upgrading recreational facilities at the Ryan Park Complex is in accordance with the “Live” goal to “[b]uild a robust public life,” and the “Collaborate” goal to “[w]ork in synergy with the Cincinnati community” and strategy to “[u]nite our communities” as described on pages 149-154 and 209-211 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 authorized to accept and appropriate a donation of up to \$135,000 from the United Way of Greater Cincinnati, operating on behalf of the Cincinnati Bengals, into existing capital improvement project account no. 980x199x251900, “Outdoor

Facilities Renovation,” to provide resources to purchase playground structures, equipment, materials, and signage from David Williams and Associates on behalf of Gametime Equipment for improvements to the Ryan Park Complex.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the donated funds into existing capital program project account no. 980x199x251900.

Section 3. The City Manager is authorized to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these donated funds.

Section 4. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the donation and Sections 1 through 3.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2025

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk