

May 18, 2022

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202201199

From: John P. Curp, Interim City Manager

Subject: **Ordinance – Police: FY 2022 Improving Criminal Justice Responses to Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Grant Program**

Attached is an Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate grant resources awarded by the United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, from the FY 2022 Improving Criminal Justice Responses to Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Grant Program (ALN 16.590) in an amount up to \$36,000 for the purpose of reimbursing the Cincinnati Police Department for the cost of providing an Immigration Liaison Officer to work assigned hours at the Family Justice Center of the Young Women’s Christian Association of Greater Cincinnati, effective FY 2023 pending award timing; and **AUTHORIZING** the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No. 22YFJC, effective FY 2023 pending award timing.

This Ordinance would authorize the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate grant resources awarded by the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) from the FY 2022 Improving Criminal Justice Responses to Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Grant Program (ALN 16.590) in an amount up to \$36,000 for the purpose of reimbursing the Cincinnati Police Department (CPD) for the cost of providing an Immigration Liaison Officer (ILO) to work assigned hours at the Family Justice Center of the Young Women’s Christian Association (YWCA) of Greater Cincinnati, effective FY 2023 pending award timing. This Ordinance would also authorize the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No, 22YFJC.

CPD serves as a partner under the YWCA of Greater Cincinnati’s grant application. As a subrecipient, the CPD will receive reimbursement for ILO overtime. The current application is an extension of the FY 2019 grant, which expires in September 2022. The grant requires no matching funds. There are no new FTE associated with this grant.

As the grant application deadline was April 28, 2022, the YWCA of Greater Cincinnati has already applied for this grant. Should this Ordinance not receive approval from the City Council, the grant sub-award funding will not be accepted.

The Ordinance is in accordance with the “Live” goal to “Create a more livable community” as described on page 156 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The Administration recommends passage of this Ordinance.

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



Attachment