

April 27, 2022

To: Mayor and Members of City Council

From: John P. Curp, Interim City Manager *سماوی* 202201072

Subject: **Emergency Ordinance – Police: Acceptance of Two Canines Donated from the Matt Haverkamp Foundation**

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept a donation of two canines, each worth \$8,500, from the Matt Haverkamp Foundation for use by the Cincinnati Police Department's Canine Squad.

This Emergency Ordinance would authorize the City Manager to accept the donation of two canines valued at approximately \$8,500 each from the Matt Haverkamp Foundation. The donated canines will be used in the Cincinnati Police Department's Canine Squad.

Acceptance of these two canines will not represent an addition or increase to the CPD canine complement. These new canines will replace two retiring canines currently in service as part of the CPD's Canine Squad. This donation does not require additional FTE or matching funds.

Accepting this donation is in accordance with the "Live" goal to "Create a more livable community" as described on page 156 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the impending retirement of two current canines and the need to maintain the operational objectives of the Cincinnati Police Department.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

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

Attachment

