

EMERGENCY

City of Cincinnati

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An Ordinance No. 73

- 2026

AUTHORIZING the transfer and appropriation of \$92,371.67 from the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050 to the City Manager’s Office non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x101x7400 to provide one-time resources to support the Center for Closing the Health Gap’s (“Center”) Health Expo in 2026 as well as its numerous other impactful initiatives throughout the year; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to expend \$100,000 of existing resources from the City Manager’s Office non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x101x7400 to provide one-time resources to support the Center’s Health Expo in 2026 as well as its numerous other impactful initiatives throughout the year; and **DECLARING** that expenditures from the City Manager’s Office non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x101x7400 to support the Center’s Health Expo in 2026 and its numerous other impactful initiatives throughout the year are for a public purpose.

WHEREAS, on February 25, 2026, Council adopted Motion No. 202600095 to provide resources to support the Center for Closing the Health Gap’s (“Center”) Health Expo in 2026 and its numerous other impactful initiatives throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, the Center holds an annual Health Expo that attracts more than 14,000 attendees and provides thousands of health screenings; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the Health Expo, the Center reaches 89,000 individuals annually through town hall meetings and informational and training workshops as well as social media, partnerships, and ongoing health-related activities; and

WHEREAS, the Center’s Do Right Campaign empowers individuals to eat, move, and live in a way that creates healthy lifestyles; and

WHEREAS, the Center’s Do Right Kids school-based intervention offers physical education instruction for fourth, fifth, and sixth graders at the Roll Hill Academy; and

WHEREAS, the Center also partners with the national Peer Health Exchange to implement social and emotional wellness as a part of ninth, tenth, and eleventh grade health classes in Cincinnati Public Schools; and

WHEREAS, a prior year encumbrance of \$92,371.67 remaining on the FY 2025 contract with the Center for Closing the Health Gap can be cancelled because the contract has expired and all eligible invoices have been submitted, making those funds available for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, an additional \$7,628.33 of existing resources in the City Manager’s Office FY 2026 budget is available for this purpose, bringing the total to \$100,000; 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 transfer and appropriate \$92,371.67 from the unappropriated surplus of General Fund 050 to the City Manager's Office non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x101x7400 to provide one-time resources to support the Center for Closing the Health Gap's ("Center") Health Expo in 2026 as well as its numerous other impactful initiatives throughout the year.

Section 2. That the City Manager is authorized to expend \$100,000 of existing resources from the City Manager's Office non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x101x7400 to provide one-time resources to support the Center's Health Expo in 2026 as well as its numerous other impactful initiatives throughout the year.


Section 3. That expenditures from the City Manager's Office non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x101x7400 to support the Center's Health Expo in 2026 and its numerous other impactful initiatives throughout the year are declared to be for a public purpose.

Section 4. That the proper officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of Sections 1 and 2.

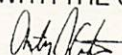
Section 5. That this ordinance shall be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare and shall, subject to the terms of Article II, Section 6 of the Charter, be effective immediately. The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to accomplish the authorized transfer and appropriation so that the funding described in this ordinance is in place immediately and the necessary expenditures may be made as soon as possible.

Passed: March 11, 2026

Attest: 
Clerk


Aftab Pureval, Mayor

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ORDINANCE NO. 73-2024
WAS PUBLISHED IN THE CITY BULLETIN
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER ON 3/24/2026


CLERK OF COUNCIL