

September 28, 2022

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202201844

From: Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager

Subject: **Emergency Ordinance – City Planning and Engagement: Moral Obligation Payment to the National Alliance of Preservation Commission**

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the payment of \$9,500 from the City Planning and Engagement General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x171x0000x7289 as a moral obligation of the City of Cincinnati to the National Alliance of Preservation Commission for the purpose of making payments associated with hosting the National Alliance for Preservation Commission’s Biennial Conference Forum in Cincinnati, Ohio in July 2022.

Approval of this Emergency Ordinance will authorize the payment \$9,500 from the City Planning and Engagement non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x171x0000x7289 as a moral obligation to the National Alliance for Preservation Commission for costs associated with hosting the National Alliance for Preservation Commission’s Biennial Conference Forum in Cincinnati, Ohio in July 2022.

The Department of City Planning and Engagement entered into an agreement with the National Alliance of Preservation Commission to host and sponsor the National Alliance for Preservation Commission’s Biennial Conference Forum; however, resources to pay the associated costs were not certified in a timely manner.

On September 8, 2022, City Council approved Ordinance No. 0270-2022, which authorized the acceptance and appropriation of a grant award up to \$9,500 from the FY 2022 Certified Local Government Grant Program for the purpose of reimbursing costs associated with hosting the National Alliance for Preservation Commission’s Biennial Conference Forum. This grant award will cover the costs associated with the moral obligation payment.

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to pay the National Alliance of Preservation Commission for costs associated with hosting the National Alliance for Preservation Commission’s Biennial Conference Forum in Cincinnati, Ohio in July 2022.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

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

Attachment