

March 30, 2022

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202200822

From: John P. Curp, Interim City Manager

Subject: **Ordinance – Cincinnati Recreation Commission (CRC): Dater Foundation Grant Supporting RiverTrek Program**

Attached is an Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$15,000 from the Dater Foundation for the purpose of providing resources for the Cincinnati Recreation Commission's annual RiverTrek program; and **AUTHORIZING** the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Contributions for Recreational Purposes Fund 319.

Approval of this Ordinance would authorize the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$15,000 from the Dater Foundation for the purpose of providing resources for the Cincinnati Recreation Commission's annual RiverTrek program. This Ordinance will also authorize the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Contributions for Recreational Purposes Fund 319.

There is no local match required and acceptance of the grant will not require the addition of any FTEs.

The Cincinnati Recreation Commission's RiverTrek program offers an outdoor adventure and leadership opportunity for youths ages 12 to 17. The RiverTrek program includes a 5-day, 4-night canoeing and camping experience of self-discovery involving a 65-mile journey down the Little Miami River, designed to foster and instill self-confidence and leadership skills in the participants.

Providing resources for the RiverTrek program is in accordance with the "Collaborate" goal to "work in synergy with the Cincinnati community" as well as the strategy to "unite our communities," as described on pages 209-212 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The Administration recommends passage of this Ordinance.

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



Attachment