



City of Cincinnati

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An Ordinance No. _____

- 2022

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for a grant of up to \$10,000 from the Federal FY 2022 Certified Local Government Grant Program, which funds shall be used to reimburse certain costs associated with hosting the National Alliance for Preservation Commission's Biennial Conference Forum in Cincinnati, Ohio during July 2022.

WHEREAS, the City is a Certified Local Government, authorized to manage the local historical resources within the City, a function carried out through the Office of the Urban Conservator in the Department of City Planning and Engagement and the work of the Historic Conservation Board; and

WHEREAS, only Certified Local Governments with demonstrated historic preservation programs may apply for and receive funds from the Certified Local Government Program; and

WHEREAS, the City was selected to host the National Alliance for Preservation Commission's Biennial Conference Forum ("the Conference"), which will attract 800 to 1,000 participants from 44 states to the City from July 13-17, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the City will co-host the Conference with the State Historic Preservation Office, the Ohio History Connection, and the Cincinnati Preservation Association; and

WHEREAS, there is a Certified Local Government grant available that the City can use for the reimbursement of costs associated with hosting the Conference; and

WHEREAS, the grant funds will support the conference by covering costs of facilitating conference sessions and bus tours, print materials for conference sessions, the conference program, and keynote speakers; and

WHEREAS, the City's grant application will be enhanced by the City's demonstrating its commitment to the Conference by providing funding for the cost of the Conference in addition to the grant funding, and the Department of Buildings and Inspections will provide funds in an amount of up to \$10,000 in the form of a conference sponsorship to support the Conference; and

WHEREAS, no new FTEs or local match requirements are associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, the grant application was due February 18, 2022, and therefore the Department of City Planning and Engagement will have applied for the grant prior to receiving approval from Council, but no grant funds will be accepted without approval of Council; and

WHEREAS, the use of Certified Local Government Program grant resources is in accordance with the “Sustain” goal to “[p]reserve our natural and built environment” as described on page 193 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to apply for a grant of up to \$10,000 from the Federal FY 2022 Certified Local Government Grant Program, which funds shall be used to reimburse certain costs associated with hosting the National Alliance for Preservation Commission’s Biennial Conference Forum in Cincinnati, Ohio during July 2022.

Section 2. That the proper City officials are hereby authorized to do all things necessary and proper to apply to carry out the terms of Section 1 hereof.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2022

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk