

EMERGENCY

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- 2024

AUTHORIZING the payment of up to \$25,000 from various Cincinnati Recreation Commission General Fund accounts, as provided in Attachment A, as a moral obligation to the Cintas Corporation for cleaning chemicals and chemical mixing station services previously provided.

WHEREAS, the Cincinnati Recreation Commission (“CRC”) engaged the Cintas Corporation to provide various products and services, including cleaning chemicals and chemical mixing station services, for the 23 recreation centers; and

WHEREAS, CRC believed that all of the services were within City purchasing guidelines and procedures; and

WHEREAS, after consultation with the Office of Procurement, CRC determined that, while all other services were within City purchasing guidelines, the purchase of cleaning chemicals and services was not; and

WHEREAS, outstanding invoices from the Cintas Corporation to CRC for the cleaning chemicals and services total \$25,000; and

WHEREAS, CRC immediately ceased purchasing cleaning chemicals and services from the Cintas Corporation upon learning that these items and services were not within City purchasing guidelines and has worked with the Office of Procurement to rectify the issue; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to provide payment to the Cintas Corporation for the cleaning chemicals and services previously provided in the amount of \$25,000; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Finance Director is authorized to make a payment of up to \$25,000 from various Cincinnati Recreation Commission General Fund accounts, as provided in Attachment A, as a moral obligation to the Cintas Corporation for cleaning chemicals and chemical mixing station services previously provided.

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

Section 3. 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 make payment to the Cintas Corporation for the products and services that have been provided.

Passed: _____, 2024

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk