

EMERGENCY
City of Cincinnati

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An Ordinance No. _____ - 2021

ESTABLISHING new capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222346, “River Road Rehab (PID 108937) ODOT Grant,” for the purpose of rehabilitating River Road from Anderson Ferry Road to Fairbanks Avenue (HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937); **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept and appropriate a grant in the amount of up to \$1,350,000 from the Federal Highway Administration (Assistance Listing Number 20.205), as administered by the Ohio Department of Transportation, to newly created capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222346, “River Road Rehab (PID 108937) ODOT Grant,” for the purpose of providing grant resources for the HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937 project, which will rehabilitate River Road from Anderson Ferry Road to Fairbanks Avenue in the Riverside community; and further **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to do all things necessary to cooperate with the Director of the Ohio Department of Transportation in order to complete the HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937 Project.

WHEREAS, on behalf of the City of Cincinnati, the Ohio Department of Transportation (“ODOT”) applied for a grant in the amount of up to \$1,350,000 from the Federal Highway Administration (“FHWA”) (Assistance Listing Number 20.205) to support the River Road Rehabilitation (HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937) project, which will rehabilitate River Road from Anderson Ferry Road to Fairbanks Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the City’s estimated local match in the amount of \$4,100,000 will be provided from resources currently available in existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222308, “Street Rehabilitation”; and

WHEREAS, there are no new FTE requirements associated with the acceptance of this grant; and

WHEREAS, ODOT has already applied for the FHWA grant on behalf of the City, but the City will not accept funds without City Council approval; and

WHEREAS, the HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937 project is in accordance with the “Connect” goal to “develop a regional transportation system that promotes economic vitality,” and the strategy to “plan, design, and implement a safe and sustainable transportation system,” as described on pages 127-138 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to establish new capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222346, “River Road Rehab (PID 108937)

ODOT Grant,” for the purpose of rehabilitating River Road from Anderson Ferry Road to Fairbanks Avenue (HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937).

Section 2. That the City Manager is authorized to accept and appropriate a grant in the amount of up to \$1,350,000 from the Federal Highway Administration (Assistance Listing Number 20.205), as administered by the Ohio Department of Transportation (“ODOT”), to newly created capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x222346, “River Road Rehab (PID 108937) ODOT Grant,” for the purpose of providing grant resources for the HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937 project.

Section 3. That the City Manager is authorized to do all things necessary to cooperate with the Director of ODOT in order to complete the HAM-50-14.21 PID 108937 project.

Section 4. That the City consents to the Director of ODOT moving forward to complete the above-described project and shall cooperate as necessary.

Section 5. That the proper City officials are hereby authorized to use and expend the sum of up to \$1,350,000 in accordance with the provisions of Sections 1 through 4 herein.

Section 6. 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 accept grant resources to meet ODOT project deadlines.

Passed: _____, 2021

John Cranley, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk