



**EMERGENCY**

**City of Cincinnati**

**An Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_**

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**AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept a donation in the amount of up to \$500 from the Women’s Fund for the purpose of providing resources to support the annual Girls in Government Day; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept additional in-kind donations, including food, drinks, pens, notebooks, and utensils from Kroger, t-shirts from the Greater Cincinnati Foundation, and transportation services provided by Metro to and from the event; **AUTHORIZING** the reimbursement from Duke Energy for the purchase of items such as backpacks and books to support the 2023 Girls in Government Day; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit any donated funds for the Girls in Government Day into Fund No. 314, “Special Events,” account no. 314x041x8571.

**WHEREAS**, Girls in Government Day will be held on Wednesday, April 5, 2023, to train women how to become more involved in local government and how to run for office; and

**WHEREAS**, the Women’s Fund has offered a donation in the amount of \$500 to assist with the expenses for event; and

**WHEREAS**, Kroger has offered additional in-kind donations of food, drinks, and utensils for the event’s breakfast, snacks, and lunch, and pens and notebooks for event participants and volunteers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Greater Cincinnati Foundation has offered an in-kind donation of t-shirts for use by event participants and volunteers; and

**WHEREAS**, Metro has offered to provide transportation services to and from the Girls in Government Day event for participants and volunteers; and

**WHEREAS**, Duke Energy has offered to reimburse costs associated with the purchase of items such as backpacks and books for event participants; and

**WHEREAS**, the annual Girls in Government Day event is in accordance with the Plan Cincinnati “Live” goal to “[b]uild a robust public life,” and the strategies to “[d]evelop and maintain inviting and engaging public spaces to encourage social interaction between different types of people,” and “[c]reate a welcoming civic atmosphere,” as described on pages 147-155 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

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

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Section 2. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to accept additional in-kind donations, including food, drinks, pens, notebooks, and utensils from Kroger, t-shirts from the Greater Cincinnati Foundation, transportation services provided by Metro to and from the event, and a reimbursement from Duke Energy for the purchase of items such as backpacks and books to support the 2023 Girls in Government Day.

Section 3. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to deposit any funds donated to the City of Cincinnati in relation to Girls in Government Day into Fund 314, “Special Events,” account no. 314x041x8571.

Section 4. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of Sections 1 through 3 hereof.

Section 5. 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 need to provide resources to prepare for the 2023 Girls in Government Day in a timely manner.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2023

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Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk