

ESTABLISHING new capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252355, “Beekman St Pedestrian Safety MRF Grant,” to provide resources to implement pedestrian safety improvements on Beekman Street; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept and appropriate a grant of up to \$200,000 from the Hamilton County Municipal Road Fund to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252355, “Beekman St Pedestrian Safety MRF Grant”; **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252355, “Beekman St Pedestrian Safety MRF Grant”; and **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these grant resources.

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2024, Council passed Ordinance No. 147-2024, which authorized the City Manager to apply for Hamilton County Municipal Road Fund grant resources as well as other federal, state, and local grant resources for transportation projects, and Council’s authorization is now required to accept and appropriate the grant resources awarded to the City; and

WHEREAS, this grant does not require matching funds, and there are no new FTE/full time equivalents associated with the acceptance of these grant resources; and

WHEREAS, implementing pedestrian safety improvements on Beekman Street is in accordance with the “Connect” goal to “[d]evelop an efficient multi-modal transportation system that supports neighborhood livability” and strategy to “[p]lan, design, and implement a safe and sustainable transportation system” as described on pages 129-138 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That new capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252355, “Beekman St Pedestrian Safety MRF Grant,” is established to provide resources to implement pedestrian safety improvements on Beekman Street.

Section 2. That the City Manager is authorized to accept and appropriate a grant of up to \$200,000 from the Hamilton County Municipal Road Fund to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252355, “Beekman St Pedestrian Safety MRF Grant.”

Section 3. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252355, “Beekman St Pedestrian Safety MRF Grant.”

Section 4. That the City Manager is authorized to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these grant resources.

Section 5. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the grant and Sections 1 through 4.

Section 6. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2025

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk