

EMERGENCY

City of Cincinnati

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An Ordinance No. 353

- 2025

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to execute a Water Service Agreement between the City of Cincinnati and the City of Fairfield, Ohio for the continued sale of standby water to the City of Fairfield.

WHEREAS, the City of Cincinnati ("City") owns and operates the Greater Cincinnati Water Works, a municipal water utility that supplies water to its inhabitants, and is empowered pursuant to Ohio Constitution Article XVIII, Section 6 and Charter Article IV, Section 9 to sell and deliver surplus water outside of the City limits as may be authorized by Council; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fairfield, Ohio ("Fairfield") owns and operates the Fairfield Water Works, a municipal water utility that supplies water to its inhabitants and is empowered pursuant to Ohio Constitution Article XVIII, Section 4 to contract to purchase water to be supplied to its inhabitants; and

WHEREAS, the City has provided standby surplus water to Fairfield and currently provides standby surplus water pursuant to a certain Agreement between the parties dated October 10, 2000, which will expire December 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to enter into a new Water Service Agreement to provide updated terms for the City to continue to provide standby water service to Fairfield; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a Water Service Agreement between the City of Cincinnati ("City") and the City of Fairfield, Ohio in substantially the form of Attachment A attached hereto (the "Agreement").

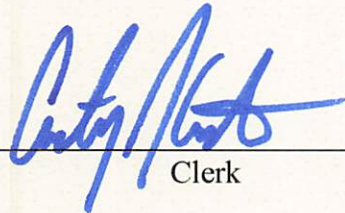
Section 2. That the proper City officials are hereby authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the Agreement.

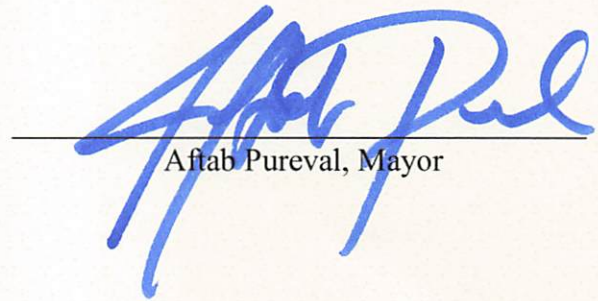
Section 3. That this ordinance shall be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare and shall, subject to the terms

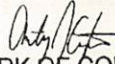
of Article II, Section 4. of the Charter, be effective immediately. The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to execute the Agreement prior to the December 31, 2025 expiration of the current water service contract.

Passed: November 13, 2025

Attest:


Clerk


Aftab Pureval, Mayor

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ORDINANCE NO 353-2025
WAS PUBLISHED IN THE CITY BULLETIN
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER ON 11/25/2025

CLERK OF COUNCIL