

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to enter into a funding agreement with the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments to fund a joint Advanced Air Mobility Electrical Infrastructure Plan for the Southwest Ohio General Aviation Airports Project.

WHEREAS, the City has determined that a plan is needed for future operations of Advanced Air Mobility (“AAM”) aircraft at the Cincinnati Municipal Airport-Lunken Field (“Lunken Field”) to support business expansion and growth at Lunken Field; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (“OKI”) has secured \$80,000 in Ohio Planning Discretionary Funds (ALN 20.205) from the U.S. Department of Transportation for the AAM Electrical Infrastructure Plans for Southwest Ohio General Aviation Airports Project, which involves five regional airport participants including Lunken Field; and

WHEREAS, OKI will provide project management services data in support of the project and the City will participate as a partner in the project’s oversight team; and

WHEREAS, the project requires a \$3,400 contribution from the City, which will be paid to OKI from Lunken Airport non-personnel operating budget account no. 104x234x7200; and

WHEREAS, there are no new FTE/full time equivalents associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, providing funding for the AAM Electrical Infrastructure Plans for Southwest Ohio General Aviation Airports Project is in accordance with “Sustain” goal to “[b]ecome a healthier Cincinnati” and strategy to “[c]reate a healthy environment and reduce energy consumption” as described on pages 181-185 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the City Manager is authorized to do all things necessary and proper to enter into a funding agreement with the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments to fund a joint Advanced Air Mobility Electrical Infrastructure Plan for the Southwest Ohio General Aviation Airports Project.

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

Section 3. 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