

June 5, 2024

**To:** Mayor and Members of City Council

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**From:** Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager

**Subject: Emergency Ordinance – Cincinnati Recreation Commission:  
Corryville Mural In-Kind Donation**

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Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

**AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept an in-kind donation of goods and services valued at up to \$13,140 from the Clifton Heights Urban Redevelopment Corporation for the painting of a mural at the Corryville Recreation Center; and **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to design, install, and maintain the mural at the Corryville Recreation Center, notwithstanding any conflicting Cincinnati Recreation Commission rules and regulations or any provision of the Cincinnati Municipal Code that would prohibit the installation and maintenance of the mural.

Approval of this Emergency Ordinance would authorize the City Manager to accept an in-kind donation goods and services valued at up to \$13,140 from the Clifton Heights Urban Redevelopment Corporation (CHURC) for the painting of a mural at the Corryville Recreation Center.

Clifton Heights Urban Redevelopment Corporation generously offered to paint a mural at the Corryville Recreation Center, with the assistance of two interns from the University of Cincinnati (UC) College of Design, Architecture, Art, and Planning (DAAP). CRC and CHURC intend to include participants from CRC’s summer camp in the mural painting process.

This in-kind donation falls outside the parameters of Ordinance No. 0317-2023, which authorized ongoing in-kind donations valued in amounts up to \$5,000, and therefore requires discrete approval.

There are no new FTEs/full time equivalents or matching funds associated with the acceptance of this in-kind donation.

Acceptance of this in-kind donation and the painting of the Corryville Recreation Center mural is in accordance with the “Collaborate” strategy to “[u]nite our [c]ommunities” as described on pages 210-211 of Plan Cincinnati (2012)

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to accept the donated goods and services to comply with the project timeline.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

cc: Andrew M. Dudas, Budget Director  
Karen Alder, Finance Director



Attachment