AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$581,851 from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, FY 2022 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program (ALN 97.044) to provide resources for the replacement of outdated equipment; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant resources into Fire Grant Fund 472, revenue account no. 472x8542.

WHEREAS, a grant of up to \$581,851 is available from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, FY 2022 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program (ALN 97.044) to provide resources for the replacement of outdated equipment for the Cincinnati Fire Department ("CFD"); and

WHEREAS, the City intends to utilize the grant resources to purchase eight automatic chest compression devices, including external power supplies and battery chargers, to replace and conform noncompliant equipment to national standards, and for annual onsite maintenance; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of this grant requires a ten percent local cost share match of \$58,185 which will be provided from existing capital improvement program project account no. 980x272x232704, "Fire Equipment"; and

WHEREAS, no new FTEs/full time equivalents are associated with acceptance of this grant; and

WHEREAS, the City applied for this grant prior to the deadline of March 20, 2023, but no grant funds will be accepted without approval by Council; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of this grant is in accordance with the "Live" goal to "[c]reate a more livable community" as described on pages 156-163 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 apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$581,851 from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, FY 2022 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program (ALN 97.044) to provide resources for the replacement of outdated equipment.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the grant resources into Fire Grant Fund 472, revenue account no. 472x8542.

Section 3. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of the grant and Sections 1 and 2.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed:		_, 2023	
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