

EMERGENCY

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AUTHORIZING the establishment of new capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x232032, “DNR Team HQ Renovation,” for the purpose of providing resources for renovation of the former District 5 Police Station located at 1012 Ludlow Avenue; and **AUTHORIZING** the transfer and appropriation of the sum of \$1,450,000 from the unappropriated surplus of Park Board Permanent Improvement Fund 752 to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x232032, “DNR Team HQ Renovation.”

WHEREAS, the Department of Natural Resources Team Headquarters Renovation project will transition the former District 5 Police Station building into the new headquarters for the Cincinnati Park Board Natural Resources Team (the “Project”); and

WHEREAS, on March 7, 2023, the Cincinnati Park Board Commissioners (the “Park Board”) unanimously approved the use of \$1,450,000 (the “Funds”) from Park Board Permanent Improvement Fund 752 for the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Funds will be reimbursed to the Park Board after property on 3215 Reading Road is sold to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; and

WHEREAS, investing in a new headquarters for the Cincinnati Park Board Natural Resources Team is in accordance with the “Sustain” goal to “[m]anage our financial resources,” as described on pages 199-205 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. 980x203x232032, “DNR Team HQ Renovation,” is hereby established for the purpose of providing resources for renovation of the former District 5 Police Station located at 1012 Ludlow Avenue (the “Project”).

Section 2. That the transfer and appropriation of the sum of \$1,450,000 from the unappropriated surplus of Park Board Permanent Improvement Fund 752 to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x203x232032, “DNR Team HQ Renovation” is hereby authorized.

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

Section 4. 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 6 of the Charter, be effective immediately. The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to begin Project development and avoid delays.

Passed: _____, 2023

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk