

May 29, 2025

To: Mayor and Members of City Council

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From: Sheryl M.M. Long, City Manager

Subject: Legislative Resolution: Reading Road Storm Sewer Improvement

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Attached is a Legislative Resolution captioned as follows:

DECLARING the intent to appropriate to public use certain real-property interests necessary to construct, maintain, repair, and replace a 48-inch storm sewer, as well as for the construction, installation, maintenance, and repair of a stormwater detention facility in order to alleviate periodic flooding that occurs along Reading Road and adjacent private properties.

This storm sewer improvement project will alleviate periodic flooding that occurs along Reading Road and adjacent private properties, and acquire and retain certain real-property interests for these purposes.

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to acquire all real property interests necessary to construct the project without delay, to ensure the safe, dependable, and uninterrupted provision and protection of the public right-of-way and adjacent properties.

The Administration recommends passage of the attached emergency Legislative Resolution.

Attachment A – Legal Descriptions for Real Properties

Attachment B – Easements to be Appropriated

cc: Andrea Yang, Interim Executive Director, Greater Cincinnati Water Works