

June 3, 2024

To: Members of the Budget and Finance Committee

From: Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager *WW* 202401509

Subject: **Emergency Ordinance – Police: Acceptance of In-Kind Donation from the Cincinnati Police Athletic League**

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept an in-kind donation of goods and professional services from the Cincinnati Police Athletic League valued at up to \$95,000 associated with operating the Children in Trauma Intervention Camp (C.I.T.I. Camp).

This Emergency Ordinance authorizes the City Manager to accept an in-kind donation of goods and professional services from the Cincinnati Police Athletic League valued at up to \$95,000 associated with operating the Children in Trauma Intervention Camp (C.I.T.I. Camp).

The City, through the Cincinnati Police Department's Youth Services Unit, operates the Children in Trauma (C.I.T.I. Camp), a seven-week program for children ages eleven through thirteen, whose mission is to "encourage, inspire, motivate and challenge youth to excel on all levels of social and personal growth." C.I.T.I. Camp works with a variety of other organizations and City and County departments, such as Cincinnati Public Schools (CPS), the Hamilton County Juvenile Court, and the Cincinnati Recreation Commission (CRC), among others, to present its program curriculum. C.I.T.I. Camp begins on June 6, 2024.

The Cincinnati Police Athletic League received a grant from the Hatton Foundation to subsidize the cost of operating the C.I.T.I. Camp and is directly paying for goods and professional services associated with operating C.I.T.I. Camp.

This donation does not require additional FTEs/full time equivalents or matching funds.

Acceptance of this donation is in accordance with the "Collaborate" goal to "[w]ork in synergy with the Cincinnati community" and the strategy to "[u]nite our communities" as described on pages 209-211 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need for the Cincinnati Police Department to accept and utilize the donated in-kind resources to operate C.I.T.I. Camp, which begins on June 6, 2024.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

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

Attachment

