

August 3, 2026

To: Members of the Budget, Finance & Governance Committee

From: Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager 202602480

Subject: **Ordinance – DOTE: Additional CRP OKI Grant for EV Charging Infrastructure**

Attached is an Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept and appropriate additional grant resources of up to \$89,597.20 from the Carbon Reduction Program funds awarded by the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, as administered by the Ohio Department of Transportation (ALN 20.205), to capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252317, “EV Charging OTR Garages Grant PID 122817,” to provide additional resources to install electric vehicle charging infrastructure in parking garages located in Over-The-Rhine and the Central Business District; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the additional grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252317, “EV Charging OTR Garages Grant PID 122817.”

Approval of this Ordinance authorizes the City Manager to accept and appropriate additional grant resources of up to \$89,597.20 from the Carbon Reduction Program funds awarded by the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI), as administered by the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT), to capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252317, “EV Charging OTR Garages Grant PID 122817,” to provide additional resources to install electric vehicle charging infrastructure in parking garages located in Over-The-Rhine (OTR) and the Central Business District (CBD).

On June 18, 2025, the City Council passed Ordinance No. 0201-2025, which authorized the City Manager to apply for, accept and appropriate grant resources of up to \$859,972 from the Carbon Reduction Program funds awarded from the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI), as administered by the Ohio Department of Transportation (ALN 20.205) to capital improvement program project account no. 980x233x252317, “EV Charging OTR Garages Grant PID 122817.”

The additional grant resources do not require matching funds or new FTEs/full time equivalents.

The installation of electric vehicle charging infrastructure is in accordance with the “Sustain” goal to “[b]ecome a healthier Cincinnati” and strategy to “[c]reate a healthy

environment and reduce energy consumption” as described on pages 181-185 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The Administration recommends passage of this Ordinance.

cc: Andrew Dudas, Budget Director
Steve Webb, Finance Director

Attachment

