

EMERGENCY

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- 2021

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in an amount of \$3,000 from Interact for Health for the purpose of providing support for printing and mailing of educational materials related to COVID-19 vaccinations and addressing vaccine disparities in vulnerable Cincinnati communities; and **AUTHORIZING** the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Public Health Research Fund 350.

WHEREAS, there is a grant available from Interact for Health that will support the City's plans, through the City of Cincinnati Health Department ("CHD"), to deploy educational materials related to COVID-19 vaccinations and address vaccine disparities in vulnerable Cincinnati communities; and

WHEREAS, this grant does not require matching funds, and there are no new FTEs associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, the CHD applied for this grant as the application deadline was May 25, 2021, but will not accept any funds without approval of Council; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance is in accordance with the "Sustain" goal to "Become a healthier Cincinnati," as described on page 181 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 hereby authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in an amount of \$3,000 from Interact for Health for the purpose of providing support for printing and mailing of educational materials related to COVID-19 vaccinations and addressing vaccine disparities in vulnerable Cincinnati communities.

Section 2. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to receive and deposit the grant funds into Public Health Research Fund 350.

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

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 accept grant funds to cover expenses related to the prevention and control of COVID-19 cases.

Passed: _____, 2021

John Cranley, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk