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AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$600,000, effective FY 2026, from the Ohio Department of Health Bureau of Environmental Health and Radiation Protection Public Health Lead Safe Housing Program to provide resources to the Cincinnati Health Department to assist in the control of lead paint, dust, and soil hazards in residential properties, and to provide lead prevention education and training in local high-risk communities; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant funds into Public Health Research Fund revenue account no. 350x8536.

WHEREAS, a grant of up to \$600,000 is available from the Ohio Department of Health Bureau of Environmental Health and Radiation Protection Public Health Lead Safe Housing Program to provide resources for the Cincinnati Health Department (“CHD”) to assist with the control of lead paint, dust, and soil hazards in residential properties, and to provide lead prevention education and training in local high-risk communities; and

WHEREAS, the Public Health Lead Safe Housing Program grant will assist CHD to abate lead exposure and to increase public awareness and education to the hazards of lead-based products; and

WHEREAS, the City applied for this grant on April 25, 2025, but no grant funds will be accepted without approval by Council; and

WHEREAS, this grant requires no matching funds, and there are no new FTEs/full time equivalents associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, abating lead exposure and increasing public awareness of the hazards of lead-based products are in accordance with the “Sustain” goal to “[b]ecome a healthier Cincinnati” as described on pages 181-191 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 authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant of up to \$600,000, effective FY 2026, from the Ohio Department of Health Bureau of Environmental Health and Radiation Protection Public Health Lead Safe Housing Program to provide resources to the Cincinnati Health Department to assist in the control of lead paint, dust, and soil hazards in residential properties, and to provide lead prevention education and training in local high-risk communities.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the grant funds into Public Health Research Fund revenue account no. 350x8536.

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

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2025

Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk