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City of Cincinnati

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An Ordinance No. 273

- 2025

ESTABLISHING new capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x262317, "HAM Cincinnati Crossings Grant PID 121898," to provide resources for safety improvements at the following seven locations: the Calhoun St. and Clifton Ave. intersection; the crossing on Calhoun St. at address 265; the Calhoun St. and Ohio Ave. intersection; the McMillan St. and Wheeler St. intersection; the McMillan St. and Moerlein Ave. intersection; the McMillan St. and Scioto Ln. intersection; and the Madison Rd. and Anderson Pl. intersection; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate an Ohio Department of Transportation ("ODOT") Highway Safety Improvement Program ("HSIP") grant of up to \$1,552,500 to the newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x262317, "HAM Cincinnati Crossings Grant PID 121898"; **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x262317, "HAM Cincinnati Crossings Grant PID 121898"; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to enter into a Local Public Agency agreement with ODOT to complete the PID 121898 project and **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to do all things necessary to cooperate with the Director of ODOT to complete the PID 121898 project.

WHEREAS, there is a grant available from the Ohio Department of Transportation's ("ODOT") Highway Safety Improvement Program ("HSIP"); and

WHEREAS, ODOT has already awarded the City grant funding for each of the seven project applications, for a combined total of up to \$1,552,500, but no grant funds will be accepted without approval by Council; and

WHEREAS, ODOT has also requested that the funding be consolidated into a single Local Public Agency agreement; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of this grant requires matching resources of up to \$172,500, which will be provided from various existing capital improvement program project accounts; and

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

WHEREAS, implementing pedestrian safety measures is in accordance with the "Connect" goal to "[d]evelop an efficient multi-modal transportation system that supports neighborhood livability" and strategy to "[p]lan, design, and implement a safe and sustainable transportation system" as described on pages 127-137 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That the Director of Finance is authorized to establish new capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x262317, "HAM Cincinnati Crossings Grant PID 121898," to provide resources for safety improvements at the following seven locations: the Calhoun St. and

Clifton Ave. intersection; the crossing on Calhoun St. at address 265; the Calhoun St. and Ohio Ave. intersection; the McMillan St. and Wheeler St. intersection; the McMillan St. and Moerlein Ave. intersection; the McMillan St. and Scioto Ln. intersection; and the Madison Rd. and Anderson Pl. intersection.

Section 2. That the City Manager is authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate a Highway Safety Improvement Program ("HSIP") Systemic Safety grant awarded by the Ohio Department of Transportation ("ODOT") of up to \$1,552,500 to the newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x262317, "HAM Cincinnati Crossings Grant PID 121898".

Section 3. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the grant resources into capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x262317, "HAM Cincinnati Crossings Grant PID 121898".

Section 4. That the City Manager is authorized to enter into a Local Public Agency agreement with ODOT to complete the PID 121898 projects.

Section 5. That the City Manager is authorized to do all things necessary to cooperate with the Director of ODOT to complete the PID 121898 projects.

Section 6. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the grants and Sections 1 through 5.

Section 7. 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 resources and meet established project deadlines.

Passed: September 4, 2025

Attest: [Signature]
Clerk

[Signature]
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ORDINANCE NO. 273-2025
WAS PUBLISHED IN THE CITY BULLETIN
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER ON 9/16/2025
[Signature]
CLERK OF COUNCIL