

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a Local Food Promotion Program (CFDA #10.177) grant in the amount of \$16,080 from the Regional Food System Partnerships (“RFSP”), which RFSP grant will be provided to Green Umbrella with the City as a subrecipient of the grant for the purpose of funding the building of a regional food system that serves all residents of Greater Cincinnati; and **AUTHORIZING** the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Public Health Research Fund 350.

WHEREAS, Green Umbrella, the regional sustainability alliance of Greater Cincinnati, is the recipient of a Regional Food System Partnerships Regional Food System Partnerships grant, and the City is a subrecipient of the grant; and

WHEREAS, funding from this grant will support the salary of the Cincinnati Health Department’s (“CHD”) Healthy Eating Coordinator who will assist Green Umbrella with achieving its objective to improve household access to local foods by expanding neighborhood-scale distribution of local foods to corner stores in low-income neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, Green Umbrella already applied for the grant, but CHD will not accept any funds without approval of Council; and

WHEREAS, there is no local match required and no new FTEs are associated with this grant; 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 Local Food Promotion Program (CFDA #10.177) grant in the amount of \$16,080 from the Regional Food System Partnerships (“RFSP”), which RFSP grant will be provided to Green Umbrella with the City as a subrecipient of the grant for the purpose of funding the building of a regional food system that serves all residents of Greater Cincinnati.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to deposit the grant resources into Public Health Research Fund 350.

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

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

Passed: _____, 2021

John Cranley, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk