

December 13, 2021

To: Members of the Budget and Finance Committee 202103287

From: Paula Boggs Muething, City Manager

Subject: Emergency Ordinance - Recreation: Monetary Donation

from Indigo Sports and In-Kind Donation from Golf

Community

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept a monetary donation of \$2,585 from Indigo Sports to support the Cincinnati Recreation Commission's Christmas activities for youth; AUTHORIZING the City Manager to accept an in-kind donation of assorted gifts collected by the Cincinnati Recreation Department's annual toy drive at its gold facilities to support the Cincinnati Recreation Commission's Christmas activities for youth; and AUTHORIZING the Finance Director to deposit the monetary donation from Indigo Sports into Fund 319, "Contributions for Recreation Purposes."

This Emergency Ordinance authorizes the City Manager to accept a monetary donation of \$2,585 from Indigo Sports, as well as an in-kind donation of assorted gifts collected from the annual golf facilities' toy drive. Both the monetary donation and gifts will be used to support Cincinnati Recreation Commission (CRC) youth Christmas activities. The Emergency Ordinance will also authorize the Finance Director to deposit the donated funds into Contributions for Recreation Purposes Fund 319.

The monetary donation and gifts will support Christmas programming needs in underprivileged communities. There are no new FTEs associated with this donation, nor does the donation require matching funds.

This Emergency Ordinance is in accordance with the "Collaborate" goal to "unite our community" as described on page 210 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to accept the donations in support of the Cincinnati Recreation Commission's Christmas activities for youth.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

cc: Andrew M. Dudas, Budget Director Karen Alder, Finance Director

