

**February 2, 2022** 

To:

Mayor and Members of City Council

From:

John P. Curp, Interim City Manager 202200192

Subject:

Emergency Ordinance - Parking: USquare Garage Lighting

Replacement Project

Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

ESTABLISHING capital improvement program project account no. 980x248x222404, "USquare Garage Lighting Replacement," for the purpose of upgrading and replacing the light fixtures in the USquare Garage East and West; and AUTHORIZING the transfer and appropriation of \$17,000 from the Parking System Facilities Fund balance sheet account no. 102x3441, "U-Square Garage – Reserve for Capital Projects," to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x248x222404, "USquare Garage Lighting Replacement."

Approval of this Emergency Ordinance authorizes the establishment of new capital improvement program project account no. 980x248x222404, "USquare Garage Lighting Replacement" for the purpose of upgrading and replacing the light fixtures in the USquare Garage East and West. It will also authorize the transfer and appropriation of \$17,000 from Parking System Facilities Fund 102 balance sheet account no. 102x3441, "U-Square Garage – Reserve for Capital Projects," to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x248x222404, "USquare Garage Lighting Replacement."

The current lighting fixtures at USquare Garage East and West are obsolete and need immediate replacement. This new lighting will allow the garage to remain functional and open to the public.

The USquare Garage Lighting Replacement project is in accordance with the "Sustain" goal to "Manage our financial resources" as described on pages 199-205 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to commence the replacement of failing light fixtures as soon as possible to ensure the garage remains functional.

The Administration recommends passage of this Emergency Ordinance.

cc:

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

