

May 18, 2022

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202201193

From: John P. Curp, Interim City Manager

Subject: Ordinance - Police: FY 2023 State General Traffic Safety Grant

Attached is an Ordinance captioned:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in an amount up to \$175,000, effective in FY 2023 pending award timing, from the State of Ohio Department of Public Safety, Office of Criminal Justice Services, to fund a Traffic Safety Resource Prosecutor assigned to the Ohio Department of Public Safety, which position will provide training, education, and technical support to traffic crimes prosecutors and law enforcement agencies throughout the State of Ohio, and work to develop a coordinated statewide, multidisciplinary planned approach to the prosecution of impaired driving and other traffic crimes in Ohio; and AUTHORIZING the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds received by the City of Cincinnati into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No. 23TSRP, effective in FY 2023 pending award timing.

This Ordinance would authorize the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate a grant in an amount up to \$175,000, effective in FY 2023 pending award timing, from the State of Ohio Department of Public Safety, Office of Criminal Justice Services, to fund a Traffic Safety Resource Prosecutor (TSRP) assigned to the Ohio Department of Public Safety, which will provide training, education, and technical support to traffic crimes prosecutors and law enforcement agencies throughout the State of Ohio, and work to develop a coordinated statewide, multidisciplinary planned approach to the prosecution of impaired driving and other traffic crimes in Ohio. This Ordinance would also authorize the Finance Director to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No, 23TSRP, effective in FY 2023 pending award timing.

The grant requires no matching funds. There are no new FTE associated with this grant. Per the award condition, this TSRP has been assigned by Ohio Department of Public Safety and the sub-contract term will be from October 1, 2022, through September 30, 2023.

This ordinance is in accordance with the "Live" goal to "[c]reate a more livable community" as described on page 156 of Plan Cincinnati (2012).

The Administration recommends passage of this Ordinance.

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

