ESTABLISHING new Fund 475, "Opioid Settlement," for receipt of funds from the OneOhio Opioid Distributor Settlement for eligible expenses pursuant to the OneOhio memorandum of understanding related to OneOhio Abatement Strategies including Community Recovery, Statewide Innovation & Recovery, and Sustainability; and AUTHORIZING the Director of Finance to accept and deposit annual settlement payments into Opioid Settlement Fund 475.

WHEREAS, the City of Cincinnati is eligible to receive annual payments over 18 years from the OneOhio Distributor Settlement with McKesson, Cardinal, and AmerisourceBergen; and

WHEREAS, the settlement resources will be used for eligible expenses that address healthcare needs stemming from the opioid crisis, in accordance with the OneOhio memorandum of understanding related to OneOhio Abatement Strategies including Community Recovery, Statewide Innovation & Recovery, and Sustainability, and Auditor of State Bulletin No. 2022-003; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cincinnati requires a fund to accept the Opioid Distributor Settlement resources; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That new Fund 475, "Opioid Settlement," is hereby established for receipt of funds from the OneOhio Opioid Distributor Settlement for eligible expenses pursuant to the OneOhio memorandum of understanding related to OneOhio Abatement Strategies including Community Recovery, Statewide Innovation & Recovery, and Sustainability.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to accept annual settlement payments and deposit them into Opioid Settlement Fund 475.

Section 3. That the proper City officials are hereby authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of Section 1 and 2 hereof.

Section 4. 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
he immediate need to accept the funding and comply with the guidance established by the Auditor
of State.
Passed:
Aftab Pureval, Mayor
Attest:
Clerk