AUTHORIZING the payment of \$3,834 from the Cincinnati Fire Department General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x272x4300x7332 as a moral obligation to Johnson Doppler Lumber for the one-time purchase of particle board used in fire recruit training.

WHEREAS, supply chain issues hindered the Cincinnati Fire Department's ("CFD") ability to obtain particle board through the City's existing contract in a timely manner, which caused a delay in live fire burn training, a necessary part of fire recruit training; and

WHEREAS, to ensure the timely completion of training for Recruit Class #119, a one-time purchase of particle board was made by CFD from Johnson Doppler Lumber, which is adjacent to CFD's High Intensity Burn Building where the live fire burns take place; and

WHEREAS, no contract was entered into, and no funds were previously certified, for the purchase of particle board from Johnson Doppler Lumber; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds are available in the Cincinnati Fire Department General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x272x4300x7332 to pay for the purchase of particle board from Johnson Doppler Lumber; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to provide payment to Johnson Doppler Lumber for such purchase in an amount totaling \$3,834; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to make a payment of \$3,834 from the Cincinnati Fire Department General Fund non-personnel operating budget account no. 050x272x4300x7332 as a moral obligation to Johnson Doppler Lumber for the one-time purchase of particle board used in fire recruit training.

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

Section 3. 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 the immediate need to make payment to Johnson Doppler Lumber for outstanding charges relating to the purchase of particle board by the Cincinnati Fire Department.

Passed:		, 2022	
			Aftab Pureval, Mayor
Attest:	Clerk		