

## EMERGENCY

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- 2023

**ESTABLISHING** new capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x232311, “Transportation Safety Action Plan Grant,” to provide grant resources to conduct a transportation safety action plan (“TSAP”) to prevent deaths and serious injuries on City of Cincinnati roadways; **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept and appropriate a grant in an amount of up to \$250,000 from the U.S. Department of Transportation’s Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant Program (ALN 20.939) to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x232311, “Transportation Safety Action Plan Grant,” to conduct a TSAP to prevent deaths and serious injuries on City of Cincinnati roadways; and **AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these grant resources.

WHEREAS, on September 8, 2022, Council approved Ordinance No. 267-2022, which authorized the City Manager to apply for a grant in the amount of up to \$250,000 from the U.S. Department of Transportation’s SS4A Grant Program for the purpose of conducting a transportation safety action plan (“TSAP”) to prevent deaths and serious injuries on City of Cincinnati roadways; and

WHEREAS, resources in the amount of up to \$250,000 are available from the U.S. Department of Transportation’s SS4A Grant Program for the purpose of conducting a TSAP; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of the grant requires local matching resources of up to twenty percent of the total project amount, totaling up to \$62,500, which may be provided from existing and future capital improvement program projects, including existing account nos. 980x232x232383, “Pedestrian Safety Improvements,” and 980x232x232336, “Neighborhood Transportation Strategies”; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of grant resources does not require additional FTEs/full time equivalents; and

WHEREAS, the TSAP is in accordance with the “Connect” goal to “[d]evelop an efficient multi-modal transportation system that supports neighborhood livability” and strategy to “[p]lan, design, and implement a safe and sustainable transportation system,” as described on pages 127-138 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to establish capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x232311, “Transportation Safety Action Plan Grant,” for the purpose of providing grant resources to conduct a transportation safety action plan (“TSAP”) to prevent deaths and serious injuries on City of Cincinnati roadways.

Section 2. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to accept and appropriate a grant in an amount of up to \$250,000 from the U.S. Department of Transportation’s Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant Program (“SS4A”) (ALN 20.939) to newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x232311, “Transportation Safety Action Plan Grant,” for the purpose of conducting a TSAP to prevent deaths and serious injuries on City of Cincinnati roadways.

Section 3. That the City Manager is authorized to enter into any agreements necessary for the receipt and administration of these grant resources.

Section 4. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit such grant resources in an amount up to \$250,000 into newly established capital improvement program project account no. 980x232x232311, “Transportation Safety Action Plan Grant.”

Section 5. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to carry out the terms of the grant and Sections 1 through 4 hereof.

Section 6. 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 accept the SS4A grant resources to begin the transportation safety action plan in a timely manner.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2023

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Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk