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Date: August 31, 2020

To: Councilmember Chris Seelbach
From: Andrew W. Garth, Interim City Solicitor *AWG*
Subject: **Emergency Ordinance – Streetcar Free Fare Authorization**

Transmitted herewith is an ordinance captioned as follows:

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to take such actions as are necessary to establish fare-free transit service for the Cincinnati Bell Connector beginning on September 2, 2020, which program shall be consistent with the adopted Fiscal Year 2021 streetcar budget; **AUTHORIZING** the suspension for sixty days of those sections of the Cincinnati Municipal Code that would otherwise require payment of fares by streetcar riders; and **DECLARING** Council's intent to introduce additional legislation within sixty days to modify the Cincinnati Municipal Code to allow for an ongoing fare-free service option for the Cincinnati Bell Connector.

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