

AUTHORIZING the City Manager to apply for, accept, and appropriate grant resources in an amount up to \$125,000 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, FY21 Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act Grant Program (CFDA #16.710), for the purpose of providing assistance with expansion of the Cincinnati Police Department's current law enforcement mental health and wellness efforts; and **AUTHORIZING** the Director of Finance to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No. 21LEMH.

WHEREAS, there is available from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, FY21 Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act Grant Program (CFDA #16.710), a grant in an amount up to \$125,000 for the purpose of providing assistance with expansion of the Cincinnati Police Department's ("CPD") current law enforcement mental health and wellness efforts; and

WHEREAS, the grant does not require local matching funds; and

WHEREAS, grant funds will be used to add a Senior Administrative Specialist, the salary and fringe benefits for which will be funded using \$62,500 of the grant funds annually for the two-year grant term and the remainder using CPD's existing personnel budget; and

WHEREAS, there is a 1.0 new FTE associated with this grant; and

WHEREAS, the grant application deadline is June 3, 2021, and CPD intends to apply by this date, but no grant funds will be accepted before approval by City Council; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance is in accordance with the "Live" goal to "create a more livable community, support our neighborhoods" as described on page 156 and 171 of Plan Cincinnati (2012); now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the City Manager is authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate grant resources in an amount up to \$125,000 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, FY21 Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act Grant

Program (CFDA #16.710), for the purpose of providing assistance with expansion of the Cincinnati Police Department's current law enforcement mental health and wellness efforts.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is authorized to deposit the grant funds into Law Enforcement Grant Fund 368, Project Account No. 21LEMH.

Section 3. That the proper City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and proper to comply with the terms of this grant and Sections 1 and 2 hereof.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2021

John Cranley, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk