

# City of Cincinnati



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## MOTION

WE MOVE that Cincinnati City Council allocate \$500,000 from the Capital budget to The Playhouse in the Park to assist with the \$49.5 million project to replace the aging Marx Theatre with a modern, inclusive facility that will welcome our diverse citizens to Eden Park and the Mount Adams neighborhood. This new facility will ensure that future generations of Cincinnatians will enjoy the same level of artistry that they have come to expect from the Playhouse, as this important Cincinnati institution reaches out to new audiences and communities.

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## STATEMENT

The Playhouse is a city-owned facility. Playhouse maintains it, and pays the city \$85,500 per year in rent. Moreover, the Playhouse is a vital economic driver of the Mount Adams business district and crucial to the fabric of its unique residential neighborhood.

The one-time investment of \$500,000 from the City of Cincinnati adds to the \$2.2 million from the State of Ohio that has been contributed as part of the past two capital budget cycles.

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