

EMERGENCY

City of Cincinnati

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An Ordinance No. 284 - 2021

**DETERMINING** to proceed with the special assessment project at 221 E. Fourth Street in the City of Cincinnati involving the City of Cincinnati, Ohio Energy Special Improvement District.

WHEREAS, prior to the passage of this ordinance, this Council duly adopted a resolution declaring the necessity of the assessment project at 221 E. Fourth Street in the City of Cincinnati (the "Resolution of Necessity"), which provides for the levying and collection of special assessments to be assessed on such property sufficient to pay the costs of the Authorized Improvements (as defined in the Resolution of Necessity); and

WHEREAS, all statutory procedural requirements for the imposition of special assessments on the assessed property, including, without limitation, the right to make claims for damages alleged to result from and objections to the Assessment Project (as defined in the Resolution of Necessity), have been waived by the owners of 100% of the affected property; now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the recitals hereof are hereby incorporated by reference, and each capitalized term not otherwise defined herein or by reference to another document shall have the meaning assigned to it in the Resolution of Necessity, an unsigned copy of which is attached to this ordinance as Attachment A.

Section 2. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the Assessment Project described in the Resolution of Necessity. The Assessment Project shall be made in accordance with the provisions of the Resolution of Necessity, the Petition (a copy of which is attached to the Resolution of Necessity), and the plans, specifications, profiles, and estimates of cost previously approved and now on file with the Clerk of Council.

Section 3. That the assessment of the Special Assessments to pay costs of the Assessment Project shall be assessed against the Assessed Property in the manner and in the number of installments provided in the Petition. The Special Assessments shall be assessed

against the Assessed Property commencing in tax year 2021 for collection in 2022 and shall continue through tax year 2045 for collection in 2046.

Section 4. That the estimated Special Assessments for costs of the Assessment Project prepared and filed in the office of the Clerk of Council and in the office of the City's Director of Finance, in accordance with the Resolution of Necessity, are hereby adopted.

Section 5. That all contracts for the construction of the Assessment Project will be let in the manner provided by law, subject to the provisions of the Ohio Revised Code and the Standing Assignment Agreement among the City, the Port of Greater Cincinnati Development Authority, and the City of Cincinnati, Ohio Energy Special Improvement District, Inc., and the costs of the Assessment Project shall be financed as provided in the Resolution of Necessity.

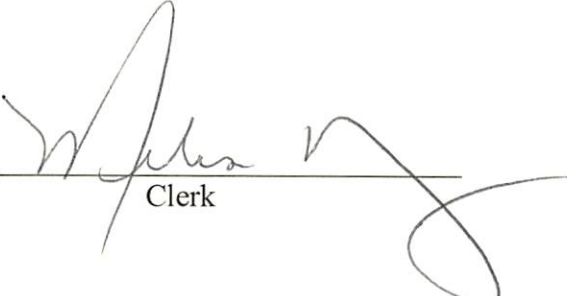
Section 6. That in compliance with Ohio Revised Code Section 319.61, the Clerk of Council is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of this ordinance to the Hamilton County Auditor within fifteen (15) days after the date of passage.

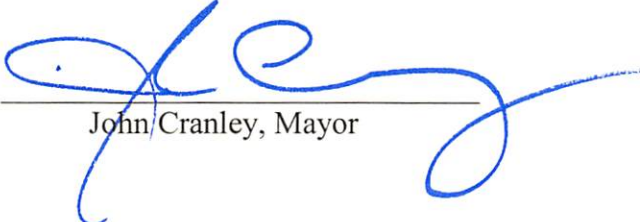
Section 7. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22.

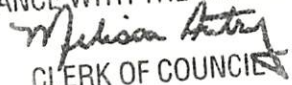
Section 8. That this ordinance shall be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare and shall, subject to the terms of Article II, Section 6 of the Charter, be effective immediately. The reason for the emergency is to ensure that the board of directors of the City of Cincinnati, Ohio Energy Special

Improvement District, Inc. may proceed with the Assessment Project as soon as possible so that work thereon may commence or continue without delay.

Passed: June 23, 2021

Attest:   
Clerk

  
John Cranley, Mayor

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ORDINANCE NO 284 2021  
WAS PUBLISHED IN THE CITY BULLETIN  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER ON 7.6.2021  
  
CLERK OF COUNCIL