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Official Proceedings City Council

Cleveland, Ohio
Wednesday, July 15, 2026

The meeting of the Council was called to order at 7:39 p.m. with the President of Council, Blaine A. Griffin, in the Chair.

Council Members present: Kevin Bishop, Kevin Conwell, Austin N. Davis, Deborah Gray, Blaine A. Griffin, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Nikki Hudson, Joseph Jones, Brian Kazy, Michael D. Polensek, Jasmin Santana, Tanmay Shah, Charles Slife, Richard Starr.

Also present were: Chiefs Barrett, Culp, Drummond, Griffin, McNair, Pomerantz, Puente, Thomas, Trivisonno; Directors Bourdeau-Small, Cole, Connor Warren, DeRosa, Keane, Laird, Mersmann, Miller-Tait, Mitchell, O'Toole, Raffalli, Roy Wilson, Scruggs, Shute-Woodson.

MOTION

Council Members, Administration, Staff, and those in the audience rose for a moment of silent reflection, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

MOTION

On the motion of Council Member Gray, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with and the journal approved. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

Communications

File No. 780-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with CDW-G for the purchase of equipment (Samsung VXT QTY 160). Received.

File No. 781-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Dell Technologies for the purchase of equipment (Dell Pro Max Tower T2 FCT). Received.

File No. 782-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with CDW-G for the purchase of equipment (CISCO ROOM NAVIGATOR). Received.

File No. 783-2026

From Kim Roy Wilson, Director of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Centric Consulting LLC., for equipment (Accela Reimagine Program). Received.

File No. 784-2026

From Kim Roy Wilson, Director of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Centric Consulting LLC., for Residential Engagement Sc. Received.

File No. 785-2026

From Kim Roy Wilson, Director of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Centric Consulting LLC., for CGI-Advantage Implemente. Received.

File No. 786-2026

From Kim Roy Wilson, Director of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with AVAAP Consulting, LLC., for ADA Compliance of Public Facing Digital. Received.

File No. 787-2026

From Kim Roy Wilson, Director of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with AVAAP Consulting, LLC., for Risk Management Origami Implementation-7. Received.

File No. 788-2026

From Kim Roy Wilson, Director of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with AVAAP Consulting, LLC., for Risk Management Origami Implementation-8. Received.

File No. 789-2026

From Kim Roy Wilson, Director of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with AVAAP Consulting LLC., for Ticketing System 3. Received.

File No. 790-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Dell Technologies for software Microsoft License Renewal. Received.

File No. 791-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Dell Technologies for equipment, Urban AI High End Laptop. Received.

File No. 792-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with CDW-G for the purchase of equipment, Supply needs from CDW-G. Received.

File No. 793-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with BPS for IT Consultant II. Received.

File No. 881-2026

From Larry Jones II, Commissioner, Department of Innovation and Technology, City of Cleveland. Notification of Utilization of the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with CDW for the purchase of equipment, (HID Card Readers, QTY 2). Received.

File No. 794-2026

From Council President Blaine A. Griffin, Recommending approval of the appointment of Council Member Austin Davis (Ward 7) to Steelyard Commons Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Advisory Board. Received.

File No. 795-2026

Oath of Office for Patrick Dugan, Assistant Director, Department of Public Works, City of Cleveland. Received.

File No. 796-2026

Oath of Office for Scott Cahill, Assistant Director of Department of Building and Housing, City of Cleveland. Received.

File No. 797-2026

Oath of Office for Brandon Ngo, Community Relations Board Member, City of Cleveland. Received.

File No. 798-2026

Oath of Office for Yasir Hamdallah, Community Relations Board Member, City of Cleveland. Received.

File No. 799-2026

Oath of Office for Peter Whitt, Community Relations Board Member, City of Cleveland. Received.

File No. 800-2026

Oath of Office for Rev. Anthony Small, Community Relations Board Member, City of Cleveland. Received.

File No. 801-2026

Oath of Office for Stephanie Morrison Hrbek, Community Relations Board Member, City of Cleveland. Received.

File No. 802-2026

From Council President Blaine A. Griffin. Designating, without objection by Council, Va’Kedia Stiggers to serve as Clerk of Council Pro Tempore for all matters requiring the Clerk’s signature on June 9th, 2026 & June 10th, 2026. And Designating Mrs. Rachel Nigro-Scalish to serve as Clerk of Council Pro Tempore for all matters requiring the Clerk’s signature on June 11th & June 12, 2026.

File No. 803-2026

From Mark E. Whipkey, Chief of Asset Management, CHN Housing Partners. Notice of intent to apply to Ohio Housing Finance Agency (OHFA) for multifamily funding programs for the development known as Near West Side Homes on approximately 65 land parcels (Ward 14) in Cleveland, Ohio.

File No. 804-2026

From Ashley Schweickart, Senior Development Project Manager, The Community Builders. Notice of intent to apply to Ohio Housing Finance Agency (OHFA) for multifamily funding programs for the development known as Woodhill Center South for 55 units at 10923 Woodland Avenue (Ward 6), Cleveland, Ohio.

File No. 805-2026

From Jimmy McCune, Vice President-Development, Wallick Communities/WAM Ironwood Flats, LLC., Notice of intent to apply to Ohio Housing Finance Agency for multifamily funding programs for the development know as Ironwood Flats for 62 units at 3051 East 63rd Street (Ward 3), Cleveland, Ohio.

File No. 821-2026

From Council President Blaine Griffin, pursuant to Chapter 163 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, recommending approval of the appointment of Lisa Buffo to the Cleveland Urban Forestry Commission (City Resident, Tree Activist). Received.

File No. 822-2026

From Mr. Donald Kolograf, Mayor, Village of Walton Hills, Ohio. Re: Notice of Relocation due to Proposed Community Reinvestment Area Exemption Agreement Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3735.673. DROF WH #3, LLC with the Village of Walton Hills, Ohio is proposing to construct a build-to-suit facility in the Village for the Cleveland Clinic Foundation. Received.

File No. 823-2026

From Mr. Chad Feeney, Mars Electric Company. Preliminary notice of performing certain labor/work or furnishing certain materials (Electrical & Lighting) to CLE Electric LLC in connection with the improvement to CLE BLK SA-17-26-PO 3686, 1571 N. Marginal Road, Cleveland, Ohio (Ward 7). Received.

File No. 885-2026

From Director Martin Keane, Director of Public Utilities. City of Cleveland. In accordance with C.O. Section 129.295. Notice of the acceptance of a loan in the amount \$ 26,311,637.00 from the Ohio Water Development Authority, which includes \$4,000,000 in principal forgiveness. Funding will support Lee Road Phase II Sewer Tunneling Project for WPC. Received.

Plats**File No. 806-2026**

Dedication Plat for Stanford Avenue Townhomes Subdivision Project, located on the northside of Stanford Avenue (between West 37th Street & Pearl Road) (Ward 11), Approved by Committees on Municipal Services and Properties, and Development, Planning and Sustainability. Without objection. Plat approved.

File No. 807-2026

Dedication Plat for ABOB LLC., Subdivision Project, located on the Northwest corner of Capital Avenue and East 89th Street (Ward 6), Approved by Committees on Municipal Services and Properties, and Development, Planning and Sustainability. Without objection. Plat approved.

File No. 808-2026

Dedication Plat for Woodhill Homes Development Project (Phase 4 & 5) Subdivision Project, located on the Northwest corner of East 110th Street and Woodland Avenue. (Ward 6). Approved by Committees on Municipal Services and Properties, and Development, Planning and Sustainability. Without objection. Plat approved.

From Ohio Division of Liquor Control**File No. 809-2026**

#10016078-1. Transfer of Ownership Application, D5. LGN Investments LLC., 11917-19 Miles Avenue (Ward 2). Received.

File No. 810-2026

#10013303-1. Transfer of Ownership Application, C2X, C2. Fleet Gas Station Inc., 7025 Fleet Avenue (Ward 3). Received.

File No. 811-2026

#10015144-1. Transfer of Ownership Application. C2, C2X. Dolloff Convenience LLC., 5346 Dolloff Road (Ward 3). Received.

File No. 812-2026

#10017210-1. Transfer of License Application. D5. Vecino Cleveland, 1111 Fairfield Avenue (Ward 7). Received.

File No. 813-2026

#08785129-3. Transfer of Location Application. D1. Talia and Brothers LLC., 1936 West 25th Street (Ward 7). Received.

File No. 814-2026

#10016525-1. Transfer of Ownership Application. C2 C1. 3074 Inc., 3074 West 14th Street (Ward 7). Received.

File No. 815-2026

#09115188-1. Stock-LLC Application. Harbor Inn, 1219 Main Avenue (Ward 7). Received.

File No. 816-2026

#10016638-1. Transfer of Ownership Application, C1 C2. LGN Investments LLC., 11921 Miles Avenue (Ward 2). Received.

File No. 817-2026

#10012684-1. Transfer of Ownership Application, D5J. Agave Social Kitchen 1156 West 11th Street (Ward 7). Received.

File No. 818-2026

#10017190-1. Transfer of Ownership Application, C2X C2. A&S Capital Enterprises LLC., 15315 Bartlett Avenue (Ward 1). Received.

File No. 819-2026

#07311091-2. New License Application, D5. Emir Properties, LLC. 10323-10327 Lorain Avenue (Ward 12). Received.

File No. 820-2026

#10017715-1. Transfer of License Application, C1 C2. Family Express & Fuel, Inc., 9300 Miles Avenue (Ward 2). Received.

Ordinances and Resolutions

Ceremonial Resolutions

Ceremonial resolutions are used by Council to recognize dignitaries and community members, and their accomplishments.

Resolutions of Condolence

The Rules were suspended, and the following Resolutions were adopted by a rising vote:

Conwell	Res. No. 824-2026	Sheryl Lynn Watson
Jones	Res. No. 825-2026	Patricia Ann Simpson
Starr	Res. No. 826-2026	Michael P. Carney
Jones	Res. No. 827-2026	Ella Pearl Williams
Jones	Res. No. 828-2026	Leola B. Hale
Polensek	Res. No. 829-2026	Robert “Bob” Wein
Starr	Res. No. 830-2026	Paul D. Bradley III
Polensek	Res. No. 831-2026	Thomas J. McNulty
Griffin	Res. No. 832-2026	Douglas Garlington Durrah
Starr	Res. No. 833-2026	John Carvel Hairston Jr.
Conwell	Res. No. 834-2026	Reverend Henry L. Perryman Jr,
Howse-Jones	Res. No. 835-2026	Judith Love
Howse-Jones	Res. No. 836-2026	John C. “Pops” Turek
Gray	Res. No. 837-2026	Eloise Bell
Griffin	Res. No. 838-2026	Sylvia Valerie Thompson Jones
Jones	Res. No. 839-2026	Ozie Smith Jr.

Santana	Res. No. 840-2026	Kenneth “Kenny” Frasher Wiley Jr.
Polensek	Res. No. 841-2026	Elaine Corello
Starr	Res. No. 842-2026	Deidra Renee Edwards
Conwell	Res. No. 843-2026	Cheryl Yvonne “Loye” Coleman
Santana	Res. No. 844-2026	Lydia G. Caraballo
Shah	Res. No. 845-2026	Steven “Mac” McLendon
Kazy	Res. No. 846-2026	Thomas George Klein

Condolences on the Floor

All Members	Res. No. 886-2026	Aurthur Beasley Jr.
Santana	Res. No. 887-2026	Rev. Eliezer Negron
Davis	Res. No. 888-2026	Father Robert “Bob” Kropac

Resolutions of Congratulations

The rules were suspended, and the following Resolutions were adopted by a rising vote:

Slife	Res. No. 847-2026	Purtis Nursery Ribbon Cutting
Starr	Res. No. 848-2026	Cleveland Cavaliers 10-Year Anniversary NBA Championship
Gray	Res. No. 849-2026	Cleveland Public Library Groundbreaking Ceremony Fleet Branch
Polensek	Res. No. 850-2026	Viktor Stankus Birthday
Howse-Jones	Res. No. 851-2026	Jordan Stream Missionary Baptist Church
Bishop	Res. No. 852-2026	Pastor Albert Maiden

Howse-Jones	Res. No. 853-2026	Gordon Crossing Grand Opening
Polensek	Res. No. 854-2026	Sweet Bean Grand Opening
Jones	Res. No. 855-2026	Anna Leggon 100th Birthday
Starr	Res. No. 856-2026	The Centers of Glick Recovery Campus, Ribbon Cutting & Grand Opening
Conwell	Res. No. 857-2026	Glenville High School OSHAA 2026 Boys Track & Field Champion
Conwell	Res. No. 858-2026	Ginn Academy High School OSHAA 2026 Boys Track & Field Championship
Griffin	Res. No. 859-2026	Bonnie Teeuwen Retirement

Resolutions of Recognition

The rules were suspended, and the following Resolutions were adopted by a rising vote:

Conwell	Res. No. 860-2026	Black Child Development Institution
Griffin	Res. No. 861-2026	Helen W. Williams, Ph.D. Retirement
Griffin	Res. No. 862-2026	April Locker Retirement
Griffin	Res. No. 863-2026	Ms. Phyllis Cistrunk Posthumous recog.
Griffin	Res. No. 864-2026	National Pan-Hellenic Council Greater Cleveland
Gray	Res. No. 865-2026	Damascus Missionary Baptist Church
Starr	Res. No. 866-2026	Downtown Cleveland Clean & Safe Program 20th Anniversary

Santana	Res. No. 867-2026	Zukayka Ruiz-Barral
Conwell	Res. No. 868-2026	Antwone Fisher
Gray	Res. No. 869-2026	Ted Shuttlesworth Miracles for Cleveland
Griffin	Res. No. 870-2026	Constance D. Harper
Kazy	Res. No. 871-2026	Sophie Jean Stehlik
Griffin	Res. No. 872-2026	Central State University National Alumni Association 2026 Conference
Jones	Res. No. 873-2026	Barbara Lawrence
Griffin	Res. No. 874-2026	Juacquis K. Simmons People's Choice Award Honoree
Howse-Jones	Res. No. 875-2026	Louis McCoy
Slife, Griffin, Gray, Harsh, Kazy	Res. No. 876-2026	Tania Menesse
Santana	Res. No. 877-2026	Dr. Emily Lee

Ordinances and Resolutions

First Reading Emergency Ordinances Referred

An ordinance is a City law written and enacted by City Council. Ordinances govern the actions, responsibilities and tax dollars of residents, businesses, organizations, city departments and visitors in Cleveland. Ordinances can be written and passed to address issues about housing, safety, public services, employment, the City budget and economic development. Many ordinances authorize the City to spend money on contracts and projects that support the mission of the City of Cleveland.

Ordinances are effective 30 days after passage. Emergency ordinances take effect immediately upon the Mayor's signature or 10 days after passage.

Under the Charter, legislation cannot be passed until it has been read on three separate days, unless this requirement is dispensed with by a two-thirds vote of the Council. This is known as passing legislation "under suspension." Ordinances may be passed under suspension after either the first or second reading.

If not passed under suspension after the first reading, the legislation is then sent to the appropriate City departments for review.

These ordinances were read for the first time on Wednesday, July 15, 2026, and referred to the appropriate City departments and Council Committees for review.

Click on an ordinance below to read it:

Ord. No. 744-2026	Ord. No. 759-2026
Ord. No. 745-2026	Ord. No. 760-2026
Ord. No. 746-2026	Ord. No. 761-2026
Ord. No. 747-2026	Ord. No. 762-2026
Ord. No. 748-2026	Ord. No. 763-2026
Ord. No. 749-2026	Ord. No. 764-2026
Ord. No. 750-2026	Ord. No. 766-2026
Ord. No. 751-2026	Ord. No. 767-2026
Ord. No. 752-2026	Ord. No. 768-2026
Ord. No. 758-2026	Ord. No. 769-2026

Ord. No. 770-2026

Ord. No. 878-2026

Ordinance No. 744-2026

By Council Members: Slife and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Port Control to enter into one or more requirement contracts with Siemens Industry, Inc. for software, labor, and materials necessary to maintain, repair, upgrade, and expand the existing Apogee Building Automation system, for the Division of Airports, Department of Port Control, for a period of one year, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Port Control.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That this Council determines that the within commodities and services are non-competitive and cannot be secured from any source other than Siemens Industry, Inc. Therefore, the Director of Port Control is authorized to make one or more written requirement contracts with Siemens Industry, Inc., on the basis of their proposal, dated June 5, 2026, for the requirements for a period of one year, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Port Control, for necessary items of software, labor, and materials necessary to maintain, repair, upgrade, and expand the existing Apogee Building Automation system, which includes but is not limited to, interior and exterior lighting controls, HVAC, boilers, chillers, cooling towers, pumps, and air handlers, for the Division of Airports, Department of Port Control.

Section 2. That the costs of the contract or contracts shall be charged against the proper appropriation accounts and the Director of Finance shall certify the amount of any purchase under the contract, each of which purchases shall be made on order of the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies by a delivery order issued against the contract or contracts and certified by the Director of Finance. (RQN 3001, RL 2010-13)

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Port Control; Finance; and Law; Committees on Transportation and Mobility; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 745-2026

By Council Members: Polensek, Starr and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Section 135.47 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 879-2019, passed August 21, 2019, relating to emergency medical service clinical agreements.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That Section 135.47 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 879-2019, passed August 21, 2019, is amended to read as follows:

Section 135.47 *Emergency Medical Service Clinical Agreements*

The Director of Public Safety is hereby authorized to enter into clinical agreements with ~~Cuyahoga Community College~~, other governmental agencies, educational institutions, nonprofit organizations, career or vocational centers and the various area hospitals to establish and maintain emergency medical technology, EMT and paramedic continuing education, observation, and paramedic and EMT training programs.

Section 2. That existing Section 135.47 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 879-2019, passed August 21, 2019, is repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Public Safety; Finance; and Law; Committees on Safety; Workforce, Education, Training and Youth Development; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 746-2026

By Council Members: Conwell and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Health to apply for and accept a grant from the United States Department of Homeland Security for the BioWatch Program; and authorizing the Director to enter into various written standard purchase and requirement contracts for courier services needed to transport BioWatch samples to the Ohio Department of Health for testing.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Health is authorized to apply for and accept a grant in the approximate amount of \$466,300.00 and any other funds that become available during the grant term, from the United States Department of Homeland Security to conduct the BioWatch Program in accordance with the purposes set forth in the executive summary; that the Director of Public Health is authorized to file all papers and execute all documents necessary to receive the funds under the grant; and that the funds are appropriated for the purposes in the executive summary for the grant.

Section 2. That the executive summary for the grant, **File No. 746-2026-A**, made a part of this ordinance as if fully rewritten, is approved in all respects and shall not be changed without additional legislative authority.

Section 3. That the Director of Public Health shall have the authority to extend the term of the grant during the grant term.

Section 4. That the Director of Public Health shall deposit the grant accepted under this ordinance into a fund or funds designated by the Director of Finance to implement the program as described in the file and appropriated for that purpose.

Section 5. That the Director of Public Health is authorized to make one or more written standard purchase contracts and written requirement contracts under the Charter and the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, the period of requirements to be determined by the director, for the necessary items of courier services needed to transport BioWatch samples to the Ohio Department of Health for testing, to be purchased by the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies on a unit basis for the Division of Air Quality, Department of Public Health. Bids shall be taken in a manner that permits an award to be made for all items as a single contract, or by separate contract for each or any combination of the items as the Board of Control determines.

Section 6. That under Section 108(b) of the Charter, the purchases authorized by this ordinance may be made through cooperative arrangements with other governmental agencies. The Director of Public Health may sign all documents that are necessary to make the purchases, and may enter into one or more contracts with the vendors selected through that cooperative process.

Section 7. That the costs of the standard and requirement contract or contracts shall be charged against the proper appropriation accounts and the Director of Finance shall certify the amount of any purchase under the contracts, each of which purchases shall be made on order of the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies by a delivery order issued against the contract or contracts and certified by the Director of Finance. (RQS 5007, RLA 2026-76)

Section 8. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Public Health; Finance; and Law; Committees on Health, Human Services and the Arts; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 747-2026

By Council Members: Davis, Bishop, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to change the name of a portion of Scranton Road to Eagle Avenue.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That, notwithstanding and as an exception to the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, the name of a portion of Scranton Road shall be changed to Eagle Avenue, limits further described as follows:

Being all that portion of Scranton Road, extending easterly from the easterly line of West 3rd Street to the westerly line of Ontario Street.

Section 2. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 748-2026

By Council Members: Bishop, Starr and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation to enter into one or more contracts with Ohio City Incorporated to provide a variety of family and youth programming activities.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Parks and Recreation is authorized to enter into one or more contracts with Ohio City Incorporated for the public purpose of providing Cleveland west side residents a variety of family and youth programming activities including but not limited to, sports clinics, arts programming, pickleball programs and a summer camp program such as described in the Ohio City Incorporated's Near West Recreation Program Scope of Work, placed in **File No. 748-2026-A**.

Section 2. That the cost of the contract or contracts shall not exceed \$100,000 and shall be paid from Fund No. 01-4503-6380. (RQS 4503, RL 2026-39)

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Parks and Recreation; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Workforce, Education, Training and Youth Development; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 749-2026

By Council Member: Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Finance to pay as Moral Claims the sum opposite the name of the claimant.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Finance is authorized to pay as Moral Claims the sum opposite the name of the following claimant and charged against the fund number opposite the name of the claimant:

**MORAL CLAIMS COMMISSION
MORAL CLAIMS MEETING ON JUNE 8, 2026**

APPROVED PAYMENTS

<u>Claimant</u>	<u>Claim No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Division</u>	<u>Fund</u>
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS				
Simmons, Myra	2026-CLA-0249	\$500.00	Urban Forestry	01-701204-672000

Section 2. That the authority of the Director of Finance to pay the amount in this ordinance is conditioned on a City-approved written acceptance by the claimant of the City's offer to pay this claim within six months from the effective date of this ordinance.

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Finance; and Law; Committee on Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 750-2026

By Council Members: Starr and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Human Resources to employ one or more professional consultants to design, develop and implement a comprehensive training and professional development program for departmental staff, for a term of one year with three one-year options to renew exercisable by the Director of Human Resources.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Human Resources is authorized to employ by contract or contracts one or more consultants or one or more firms of consultants for the purpose of supplementing the regularly employed staff of the several departments of the City of Cleveland in order to provide professional services necessary to design, develop and implement a comprehensive training and professional development program for departmental staff including, but not limited to, soft skill development, career pathing, leadership coaching, mentorship programs, management training, self-guided learning, skill assessments and access to online tools to obtain skill advancement certifications, for a term of one year with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Human Resources.

The selection of the consultant or consultants for the services shall be made by the Board of Control on the nomination of the Director of Human Resources from a list of qualified consultants as may be determined after a full and complete canvass by the Director of Human Resources for the purpose of compiling a list. The compensation to be paid for the services shall be fixed by the Board of Control. The contract or contracts authorized shall be prepared by the Director of Law, approved by the Director of Human Resources, and certified by the Director of Finance.

Section 2. That under Section 108(b) of the Charter, the purchases and/or services authorized by this ordinance may be made through cooperative arrangements with other governmental agencies. The Director of Human Resources may sign all documents that are necessary to make the purchases and/or obtain such services, and may enter into one or more contracts with the vendors and/or consultants selected through that cooperative process.

Section 3. That the cost of the contract or contracts authorized shall be paid from Fund No. 01-0402-6320. (RQS 0402, RL 2026-47)

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it

shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

**Referred to the Directors of Human Resources; Finance; and Law;
Committees on Workforce, Education, Training and Youth Development;
and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.**

Ordinance No. 751-2026

By Council Members: Starr and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Human Resources to employ one or more professional services to administer the City's employee assistance program and to provide necessary training to various City departments, on an as-needed basis for a one-year period, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Human Resources.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Human Resources is authorized to employ by contract or contracts one or more consultants or one or more firms of consultants for the purpose of supplementing the regularly employed staff of the several departments of the City of Cleveland in order to provide professional services necessary to administer the City's employee assistance program and to provide necessary training to various City departments, on an as-needed basis, for a one-year period, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Human Resources.

The selection of the consultants for the services shall be made by the Board of Control on the nomination of the Director of Human Resources from a list of qualified consultants as may be determined after a full and complete canvass by the Director of Human Resources for the purpose of compiling a list. The compensation to be paid for the services shall be fixed by the Board of Control. The contract or contracts authorized shall be prepared by the Director of Law, approved by the Director of Human Resources, and certified by the Director of Finance.

Section 2. That the cost of the contracts shall be paid from Fund No. 01-0402-6320, RQS 0402, RL 2026-50.

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Human Resources; Finance; and Law; Committees on Workforce, Education, Training and Youth Development; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 752-2026

By Council Members: Starr and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Human Resources to employ one or more professional consultants for the administration of Family and Medical Leave Act benefits for City employees, for a period of one year, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Human Resources.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Human Resources is authorized to employ by contract or contracts one or more consultants or one or more firms of consultants for the purpose of supplementing the regularly employed staff of the several departments of the City of Cleveland in order to provide professional services necessary for the administration of Family and Medical Leave Act benefits for City employees, for a period of one year, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Human Resources.

The selection of the consultants or firms of consultants for the services shall be made by the Board of Control on the nomination of the Director of Human Resources from a list of qualified consultants or firms of consultants as may be determined after a full and complete canvass by the Director of Human Resources for the purpose of compiling a list. The compensation to be paid for the services shall be fixed by the Board of Control. The contract or contracts authorized shall be prepared by the Director of Law, approved by the Director of Human Resources and certified by the Director of Finance.

Section 2. That the cost of contract or contracts authorized shall be paid from Fund No. 01-0402-6320. (RQS 0402, RL 2026-48)

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Human Resources; Finance; and Law; Committees on Workforce, Education, Training and Youth Development; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 758-2026

By Council Members: Kazy, Bishop and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance determining the method of making the public improvement of renewing, repairing, and replacing various water mains in 2027 and 2028; and authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more public improvement contracts for the making of the improvement.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That, under Section 167 of the Charter of the City of Cleveland, it is determined to make the public improvement of renewing, repairing, and replacing various water mains in 2027 and 2028, including but not limited to, cleaning, lining, and structural lining, for the Division of Water, Department of Public Utilities, by one or more contracts duly let to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders after competitive bidding upon a unit basis for the improvement.

Section 2. That the Director of Public Utilities is authorized to enter into one or more contracts for the making of the public improvement with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders after competitive bidding upon a unit basis for the improvement, provided, however, that each separate trade and each distinct component part of the improvement may be treated as a separate improvement, and each, or any combination, of the trades or components may be the subject of a separate contract upon a unit basis.

Section 3. That the Director of Public Utilities is authorized to apply and pay for permits, licenses, or other authorizations required by any regulatory agency or public authority to permit performance of the work authorized by this ordinance.

Section 4. That the cost of the improvement and other expenditures authorized shall be paid from Fund No. 52 SF 001 and from the fund or funds to which are credited the sale from the proceeds of future bonds, if issued for this purpose. RQS 2002, RLA 2026-43.

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Public Utilities; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 759-2026

By Council Members: Santana, Bishop and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to vacate a portion of an unnamed alley south of Train Avenue, between West 56th Street and Cantor Avenue.

WHEREAS, under Resolution No. 615-2023, adopted June 5, 2023, this Council declared its intention to vacate a portion of an unnamed alley south of Train Avenue, between West 56th Street and Cantor Avenue; and

WHEREAS, notice of the adoption of the above vacation was served on the abutting property owners affected by the resolution which stated a time and place when objections would be heard before the Board of Revision of Assessments; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2026, the Board of Revision of Assessments approved the above vacation under the provisions of Section 176 of the Charter of the City of Cleveland; and

WHEREAS, this Council is satisfied that there is good cause for vacating all of the above and that it will not be detrimental to the general interest and that it should be made; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That this Council declares that the following described real property is vacated:

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, and known as being part of the J.M. Hoyt's Subdivision of S.W. Corner of Original Lot No. 48 as recorded in Plat Volume 3, Page 15 of the Cuyahoga County Records and being further bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a drill hole in stone in a monument box found at the intersection of the southerly right-of-way line of Train Avenue SW (width varies) and the centerline of Cantor Avenue (width varies) as recorded in Plat Volume 127, Page 39 of the Cuyahoga County Records; thence South 61°19'21" West, along the southerly right-of-way line of said Train Avenue, passing over a 5/8" iron pin (capped "Lewis Land Professionals") set at 20.00 feet, a distance of 220.17 feet to the northwesterly corner of Sublot 49 of said J.M. Hoyt's Subdivision, said point being the TRUE PLACE OF BEGINNING for the parcel of land herein described;

Thence South 28°29'14" East, along the westerly line of said Sublot 49, a distance of

82.11 feet to a point;

Thence South 01°22'02" East, continuing along the westerly line of said Sublot 49, a distance of 26.74 feet to a point;

Thence North 74°41'40" East, along the southerly line of said Sublot 49 and along the southerly line of Sublots 48 and 47 of said J.M. Hoyt's Subdivision, a distance of 136.09 feet to a 5/8" iron pin (capped "Lewis Land Professionals") set;

Thence South 28°37'39" East a distance of 14.39 feet to a 5/8" iron pin (capped "Lewis Land Professionals") set;

Thence South 74°41'40" West, along the northerly line Sublots 50 through 54 of said J.M. Hoyt's Subdivision, and along the northerly line of a vacated 12' Alley as vacated by Ordinance No. 557-72 in Plat Volume 210, P. 49 of the Cuyahoga County Records, a distance of 155.25 feet to a point;

Thence North 01°22'02" West, along the easterly line of said Sublots 57 and 58 of said J.M. Hoyt's Subdivision, a distance of 41.25 feet to a point;

Thence North 28°29'14" West, continuing along the easterly line of said Sublot 58, and along the easterly line of Sublot 59 of said J.M. Hoyt's Subdivision, a distance of 79.18 feet to a point;

Thence North 61°19'21" East, along the southerly right-of-way line of said Train Ave., a distance of 12.00 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING and containing 0.0784 acres of land, more or less, as surveyed by Louis J. Giffels, Registered Surveyor No. 7790 in April 2023, for and on behalf of Lewis Land Professionals, Inc.

The Basis of Bearing for this description is Grid North of the Ohio State Plane Coordinate System, NAD83 (2011), North Zone as established by GPS Observation.

Legal Description approved by Eric B. Westfall, P.S., Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section.

Section 2. That there is reserved to the City of Cleveland a permanent easement of full width over, under, and through the real property as described in Section 1 above for The East Ohio Gas Company dba Enbridge Gas Ohio and The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company.

That no structures shall be erected on the premises described in this easement except those constructed under the approval of, and in compliance with, plans approved by the City of Cleveland, The East Ohio Gas Company dba Enbridge Gas Ohio and The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company.

Section 3. That provided all required approvals have been obtained, the Manager of Engineering and Construction is directed to record the vacation plat in the office of the Recorder of Cuyahoga County.

Section 4. That the Clerk of Council is directed to transmit a copy of this ordinance to the Fiscal Officer of Cuyahoga County.

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 760-2026

By Council Members: Davis, Bishop, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to vacate all of the unnamed alley, south of Abbey Avenue.

WHEREAS, under Resolution No. 955-2025, adopted September 29, 2025, this Council declared its intention to vacate all of the unnamed alley, south of Abbey Avenue; and

WHEREAS, a notice of the adoption of the above vacation was served on the abutting property owners affected by the resolution, which stated a time and place when objections would be heard before the Board of Revision of Assessments; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2026, the Board of Revision of Assessments approved the above vacation under the provisions of Section 176 of the Charter of the City of Cleveland; and

WHEREAS, this Council is satisfied that there is good cause for vacating all of the above and that it will not be detrimental to the general interest, and that it should be made; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That this Council declares that the following described real property is vacated:

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, and known as being all of the 8.5-foot Alley dedicated in the Willey & Carey Allotment of Original Brooklyn Township Lot No. 69, as shown by the recorded plat in Volume 2, Page 11 of Cuyahoga County Map Records.

Legal Description approved by Eric B. Westfall, P.S., Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section.

Section 2. That provided all required approvals have been obtained, the Manager of Engineering and Construction is directed to record the vacation plat in the office of the Recorder of Cuyahoga County.

Section 3. That the Clerk of Council is directed to transmit a copy of this ordinance to the Fiscal Officer of Cuyahoga County.

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 761-2026

By Council Members: Griffin, Bishop and Santana (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to vacate a portion of East 81st Street.

WHEREAS, under Resolution No. 1096-2025, adopted November 10, 2025, this Council declared its intention to vacate a portion of East 81st as described; and

WHEREAS, notice of the adoption of the above vacation was served on the abutting property owners affected by the resolution which stated a time and place when objections would be heard before the Board of Revision of Assessments; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2026, the Board of Revision of Assessments approved the above vacation under the provisions of Section 176 of the Charter of the City of Cleveland; and

WHEREAS, this Council is satisfied that there is good cause for vacating all of the above and that it will not be detrimental to the general interest, and that it should be made; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That this Council declares that the following described real property is vacated:

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio, and known as being part of Original 100 Acre Lot No. 431;

Beginning at a 5/8-inch capped (#7343) iron pin found in the west line of East 81st Street, 50.00 feet wide, at the northeast corner of Sublot 21 in C.C. Baldwin's Re-Allotment of AC. Armstrong's Subdivision as recorded in Volume 14, Page 20 of Cuyahoga County Map Records (CCMR);

Course 1: Thence North 89°25'59" East, 50.00 feet to a point in the east line of said East 81st Street;

Course 2: Thence South 00°34'01" East along said east line of East 81st Street, 78.24 feet to the northeast corner of vacated East 81st Street as recorded in Volume 198, Page 4 of CCMR;

Course 3: Thence South 89°25'59" West along the north line of said vacated East 81st Street, 50.00 feet as witnessed by a 5/8-inch capped (#7343) iron pin found

to be west 0.29 feet;

Course 4: Thence North 00°34'01" West along said west line of East 81st Street, 78.24 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing 0.0898 acres (3,912 square feet) of land.

Legal Description approved by Eric B. Westfall, P.S., Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section.

Section 2. That there is reserved to the City of Cleveland an easement of full width as described above for Enbridge Gas Ohio (a permanent easement in the vacant street(s) for the purposes of maintaining, operating, renewing, reconstructing, and removing Enbridge Gas Ohio's facilities and for purposes of access to said facilities pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 723.041), The Illuminating Company, and the City of Cleveland Division of Water.

A full-width utility easement, as described above, is hereby reserved for the benefit of the City of Cleveland Division of Water as a condition precedent to the vacation of the street. The easement shall remain unrestricted, and no fence or other structure may be installed within the easement area until the existing hydrant has been relocated and the water main has been properly abandoned within the remaining right-of-way. All plans for such work must be submitted to and approved by the Division of Water, and all work shall be performed under its supervision.

That no structures shall be erected on the premises described in this easement except those constructed under the approval of, and in compliance with, plans approved by the City of Cleveland, Enbridge Gas Ohio, The Illuminating Company, and the City of Cleveland Division of Water.

Section 3. That provided all required approvals have been obtained, the Manager of Engineering and Construction is directed to record the vacation plat in the office of the Recorder of Cuyahoga County.

Section 4. That the Clerk of Council is directed to transmit a copy of this ordinance to the Fiscal Officer of Cuyahoga County.

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 762-2026

By Council Members: Griffin, Bishop and Santana (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to vacate a portion of Mount Carmel Road.

WHEREAS, under Resolution No. 1407-2025, adopted December 1, 2025, this Council declared its intention to vacate a portion of Mount Carmel Road; and

WHEREAS, a notice of the adoption of the above vacation was served on the abutting property owners affected by the resolution, which stated a time and place when objections would be heard before the Board of Revision of Assessments; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2026, the Board of Revision of Assessments approved the above vacation under the provisions of Section 176 of the Charter of the City of Cleveland; and

WHEREAS, this Council is satisfied that there is good cause for vacating all of the above and that it will not be detrimental to the general interest, and that it should be made; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That this Council declares that the following described real property is vacated:

Situated in City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio, and known as being part of the Mt. Carmel - East 110th Street Widening, being part of Original One Hundred Acre Lot No. 418, as shown in recorded plat Volume 134, Page 35 of Cuyahoga County Records and is further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone with drill hole monument found at the intersection of the centerline of Woodhill Road (80 Feet Wide) and the centerline of Mount Carmel Road (50 Feet Wide);

Thence South 58°01'59" East, along the centerline of said Mount Carmel Road, a distance of 41.78 feet;

Thence South 31°58'01" West, a distance of 25.00 feet to a 5/8-inch iron pin set at the intersection of the Easterly right-of-way for said Woodhill Road and the Southerly right-of-way for said Mount Carmel Road;

Thence South 58°01'59" East, along the Southerly right-of-way for said Mount

Carmel Road, a distance of 52.91 feet to a 5/8-inch iron pin set and being the principal place of beginning of the parcel hereon described;

Course 1: Thence South 58°01'59" East, a distance of 195.37 feet to a 5/8-inch iron pin set on the Southerly right-of-way for said Mount Carmel Road;

Course 2: Thence South 61°58'00" West, along the Westerly right-of-way for said Mount Carmel Road, a distance of 19.63 feet;

Course 3: Thence North 58°01'59" West, along the Southerly right-of-way for said Mount Carmel Road, a distance of 175.74 feet;

Course 4: Thence North 01°57'59" East, along the Westerly right-of-way for said Mount Carmel Road, a distance of 19.63 feet to the principal place of beginning and containing 0.0724 Acres (3,154 Square Feet) of land.

Legal Description approved by Eric B. Westfall, P.S., Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section.

Section 2. That provided all required approvals have been obtained, the Manager of Engineering and Construction is directed to record the vacation plat in the office of the Recorder of Cuyahoga County.

Section 3. That the Clerk of Council is directed to transmit a copy of this ordinance to the Fiscal Officer of Cuyahoga County.

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 763-2026

By Council Members: Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend the title and Sections 1, 2, and 4 of Ordinance No. 671-2023, passed June 5, 2023, as amended, relating to various contracts to provide financial assistance to projects providing housing in the City of Cleveland to add the Department of Development.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the title and Sections 1, 2 and 4 of Ordinance No. 671-2023, passed June 5, 2023, as amended by Ordinance No. 1254-2023, passed December 4, 2023, and Ordinance No. 580-2024, passed July 10, 2024, are amended to read as follows:

An Emergency Ordinance authorizing the Directors of Community Development and Development to provide financial assistance to projects providing housing in the City of Cleveland.

Section 1. That the Directors of the Departments of Community Development and/or Development, as appropriate, is are authorized to enter into one or more contracts with various entities for the Projects, not to exceed \$5,000,000 per Project, described in File No. ~~671-2023-A~~ 671-2023-F following the appropriate state, local, and/or federal requirements governing the use of Strategic Priority Subfund, General Fund, Residential Neighborhoods Improvement Bond Funds, and/or HOME-ARPA funds. Additional legislative authority is required to authorize the Directors to enter into one or more contracts with an entity included in the yellow-coded Projects in the file.

Section 2. That the Directors of Community Development and/or Development, as appropriate, is are authorized to accept monies in repayment of loans authorized in this ordinance and to deposit those monies in Fund Nos. 10, 01, 20, and 15, as appropriate.

Section 4. That the Directors of Community Development and/or Development, as appropriate, is are authorized to enter into forbearance agreements with any recipient of a validly existing loan administered by the City, and to charge and accept fees to cover costs incurred in the preparation of loan documents, closing, and servicing costs. Such fees shall be deposited into Fund Nos. 10, 01, 20, and 15, as appropriate.

Section 2. That the existing title and Sections 1, 2, and 4 of Ordinance No. 671-2023, passed June 5, 2023, as amended by Ordinance No. 1254-2023, passed December 4, 2023, and Ordinance No. 580-2024, passed July 10, 2024, are repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Development; Community Development; Finance; and Law; Committees on Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 764-2026

By Council Members: Santana, Bishop and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to sell certain City-owned property no longer needed for the City's public use located at the southeast corner of Train Avenue and West 44th Street to the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 8, for purposes of property consolidation and greenspace maintenance.

WHEREAS, the Director of Capital Projects has requested the sale of certain City-owned property to the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 8 (the "Buyers") no longer needed for the City's public use and located at the southeast corner of Train Avenue and West 44th Street for purposes of property consolidation and greenspace maintenance; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That notwithstanding and as an exception to the provisions of Chapter 181 and 183 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, it is found and determined that the following described property is no longer needed for the City's public use:

**PPN 007-16-003
Legal Description**

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio and known as being all of Sublot Number 635 in Hiram Stone's Addition of part of original Brooklyn Township Lots Numbers 53 and 68, as shown by recorded plat in Volume 1 of Maps, Page 41 of Cuyahoga County Records.

Subject to the dedication made by the Grantor herein, and others, to the City of Cleveland, of a portion of the above described real estate for the relocation of Train Avenue and Walworth Avenue, S.W. as per dedication Plat recorded in Volume 120 of Maps, Page 14 of Cuyahoga County Records.

PPN: 007-16-003
Address: Vacant lot

Section 2. That by and at the direction of the Board of Control, the Mayor and the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies are authorized to sell the above-described property to the Buyers at a price not less than the appraised value of \$2,100.00, which is determined to be fair market value.

Section 3. That the conveyance shall be made by official deed prepared by the Director of Law and executed by the Mayor and the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies on behalf of the City of Cleveland. The deed shall contain necessary provisions, including easement and access restrictions and restrictive reversionary interests as may be specified by the Board of Control or Director of Law, which shall protect the City's interests and shall specifically contain a provision against the erection of any advertising signs or billboards except permitted identification signs.

Section 4. That the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to execute any documents as may be necessary to effectuate the purposes of this ordinance.

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 766-2026

By Council Members: Howse-Jones, Griffin, Bishop and Santana (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to issue a permit to UC City Center LLC to encroach into the public rights-of-way of Chester Avenue, Martin Luther King Jr. Drive and Stokes Boulevard.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to issue a permit, revocable at the will of Council, to UC City Center LLC, 1999 Circle Drive, Suite B, Cleveland, Ohio 44106 ("Permittee"), to encroach into the public rights-of-way of Chester Avenue, Martin Luther King Jr. Drive and Stokes Boulevard by constructing, using and maintaining building overhangs and balconies at the following locations:

Aerial Encroachment Chester Avenue

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio and known as being part of Original One Hundred Acre Lot No. 402, and also being known as that area from approximate elevation 692.00 feet and extending upward to elevation 927.00 feet, NAVD 88, and the Finish Floor Elevation of the building being 672.79 feet and being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at stone w/drill hole monument found at the intersection of the extended Westerly right-of-way of Stokes Boulevard. (Width Varies) formerly known as Fairmount Street and East 107th Street, and as shown on the Dedication and Consolidation Plat for Circle Square recorded in A.F.N. 202103120630 of Cuyahoga County Records and the centerline of Chester Avenue (Width Varies), as shown on the Dedication Plat in Volume 127, Page 13 of Cuyahoga County Records;

Thence North 89°50'48" East, along the centerline of said Chester Avenue, a distance of 30.10 feet to the intersection with the centerline of said Stokes Boulevard;

Thence South 00°30'38" East, along the centerline of said Stokes Boulevard, a distance of 67.28 feet;

Thence North 89°29'22" East, a distance of 43.81 feet to the principal place of beginning of the parcel herein described;

Course 1: Thence North 19°02'05" East, a distance of 10.41 feet;

Course 2: Thence South 70°57'55" East, a distance of 28.39 feet to a point on the Southerly right of way for said Chester Avenue;

Course 3: Thence South 88°55'00" West, along the Southerly right of way for said Chester Avenue, a distance of 30.24 feet to the place of principal beginning and containing 0.0034 Acres (148 Square Feet) of lands.

Aerial Encroachment Stokes Boulevard

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio and known as being part of Original One Hundred Acre Lot No. 402, and also being known as that area from approximate elevation 692.00 feet and extending upward to elevation 927.00 feet, NAVD 88, and the Finish Floor Elevation of the building being 672.79 feet and being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at stone w/drill hole monument found at the intersection of the extended Westerly right-of-way of Stokes Boulevard. (Width Varies) formerly known as Fairmount Street and East 107th Street, and as shown on the Dedication and Consolidation Plat for Circle Square recorded in A.F.N. 202103120630 of Cuyahoga County Records and the centerline of Chester Avenue (Width Varies), as shown on the Dedication Plat in Volume 127, Page 13 of Cuyahoga County Records;

Thence North 89°50'48" East, along the centerline of said Chester Avenue, a distance of 30.10 feet to the intersection with the centerline of said Stokes Boulevard;

Thence South 00°30'38" East, along the centerline of said Stokes Boulevard, a distance of 67.30 feet;

Thence North 89°29'22" East, a distance of 42.20 feet to the intersection of the Easterly right of way for said Stokes Boulevard and the Southerly right of way for said Chester Avenue;

Thence South 00°30'38" East, along the Easterly right of way for said Stokes Boulevard, a distance of 3.51 feet to the principal place of beginning of the parcel herein described;

Course 1: Thence South 00°30'38" East, continuing along the Easterly right of way for Said Stokes Boulevard, a distance of 78.78 feet;

Course 2: Thence North 70°56'33" West, a distance of 11.28 feet;

Course 3: Thence North 03°03'27" East, a distance of 54.79 feet;

Course 4: Thence North 19°03'27" East, a distance of 21.56 feet to the place of Principal beginning and containing 0.0134 Acres (582 Square Feet) of lands.

Aerial Encroachment Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio and known as being part of Original One Hundred Acre Lot No. 402, and also being known as that area from approximate elevation 692.00 feet and extending upward to elevation 927.00 feet, NAVD 88, and the Finish Floor Elevation of the building being 672.79 feet and being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at stone w/drill hole monument found at the intersection of the extended Westerly right-of-way of Stokes Boulevard. (Width Varies) formerly known as Fairmount Street and East 107th Street, and as shown on the Dedication and Consolidation Plat for Circle Square recorded in A.F.N. 202103120630 of Cuyahoga County Records and the centerline of Chester Avenue (Width Varies), as shown on the Dedication Plat in Volume 127, Page 13 of Cuyahoga County Records;

Thence North $89^{\circ}50'48''$ East, along the centerline of said Chester Avenue, a distance of 30.10 feet to the intersection with the centerline of said Stokes Boulevard;

Thence South $00^{\circ}30'38''$ East, along the centerline of said Stokes Boulevard, a distance of 67.30 feet;

Thence North $89^{\circ}29'22''$ East, a distance of 42.20 feet to the intersection of the Easterly right of way for said Stokes Boulevard and the Southerly right of way for said Chester Avenue;

Thence North $88^{\circ}55'22''$ East, along the Southerly right of way for said Chester Avenue, a distance of 43.72 feet;

Thence South $71^{\circ}19'33''$ East, continuing along the Southerly right of way for said Chester Avenue, a distance of 125.38 feet to the intersection of the said Southerly right of way for Chester Avenue and the Westerly right of way for Martin Luther King Jr. Drive (Width Varies);

Thence South $00^{\circ}29'06''$ East, along the Westerly right of way for said Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, a distance of 11.87 feet to the principal place of beginning of the parcel herein described;

Course 1: Thence South $70^{\circ}57'55''$ East, a distance of 7.00 feet;

Course 2: Thence South $03^{\circ}02'05''$ West, a distance of 76.26 feet;

Course 3: Thence South $19^{\circ}02'05''$ West, a distance of 10.61 feet;

Course 4: Thence North $70^{\circ}57'55''$ West, a distance of 7.91 feet to a point on a non-tangent curve on the Westerly right of way for said Martin Luther King Jr. Drive;

Course 5: Thence along the Westerly right of way for Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, by the arc of a curve deflecting to the right, a distance of 81.61 feet to a non-tangent point. Said arc having a radius of 547.98 feet, a central angle of $08^{\circ}31'57''$ and a chord which bears North $05^{\circ}54'28''$ East, a distance of 81.53 feet;

Course 6: Thence North $00^{\circ}29'06''$ West, continuing along the Westerly right of way for said Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, a distance of 4.79 feet to the place of principal beginning and containing 0.0183 Acres (798 Square Feet) of lands

as surveyed by Terrence E. Worsch Registered Surveyor No. 8138-Ohio of Neff & Associates, Dated March 24, 2026. Distances shown hereon are given in feet and decimal parts thereof. The basis of bearings for this survey is NAD83 (2011) Ohio State Plane Coordinate System, North Zone (3401) and is used to denote angles only. Be the same more or less, but subject to all legal highways and easements

Legal Descriptions approved by Eric B. Westfall, Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section.

Section 2. That the Director of Law shall prepare the permit authorized by this ordinance and shall incorporate such additional provisions as the Director of Law determines necessary to protect and benefit the public interest. That the permit shall be issued only when, in the opinion of the Director of Law, the prospective Permittee has properly indemnified the City against any loss that may result from the encroachments permitted.

Section 3. That Permittee may assign the permit only with the prior written consent of the Director of Capital Projects. That the encroaching structures permitted by this ordinance shall conform to plans and specifications first approved by the Manager of the City's Division of Engineering and Construction. That Permittee shall obtain all other required permits, including but not limited to Building Permits, before installing the encroachments. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Permittee may assign the permit to a designee related entity or to a lender or subsequent owners or successors in interest.

Section 4. That the permit shall reserve to the City reasonable right of entry to the encroachment locations.

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; and Development, Planning and Sustainability.

Ordinance No. 767-2026

By Council Members: Davis, Bishop and Santana (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to issue a permit to The Cleveland Public Theatre, to encroach into the public right-of-way of Detroit Avenue by installing and maintaining a new blade sign.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to issue a permit, revocable at the will of Council, to The Cleveland Public Theatre, located at 6415 Detroit Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44102 ("Permittee") to encroach into the public right-of-way of Detroit Avenue by installing, using and maintaining a blade sign, mounted on the northeast corner of the Gordon Square Theatre building, approximately 12'-0" to 14'-0" feet above grade at the following location:

Encroachment Description

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, being part of Original Brooklyn Township Lot 32, and being part of Detroit Avenue (66 feet), and being more completely described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Sublot 194 of the Gordon Avenue Allotment, as recorded in Plat Volume 21, Page 2, of the Cuyahoga County Plat Records, which is also the right-of-way intersection of the easterly line of W 65th Street (80 feet) and the southerly line of said Detroit Avenue, thence North 70° 15' 23" East, along the southerly line of said Detroit Avenue, 227.98 feet, to a point and being the PLACE OF BEGINNING for the encroachment area herein described;

The following 4 courses are within the right-of-way of said Detroit Avenue, and are restricted to elevations above 685.29 feet, the intent is to be 12.00 feet above the existing sidewalk;

Course No. 1. thence North 19° 20' 09" West, 6.00 feet, to a point;

Course No. 2. thence North 70° 15' 23" East, 3.00 feet, to a point;

Course No. 3. thence South 19° 20' 09" East, 6.00 feet, to a point on the southerly line of said Detroit Avenue;

Course No. 4. thence South 70° 15' 23" West, along the southerly line of said Detroit

Avenue, 3.00 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING, containing 0.0004 acres, 12 square feet, more or less, but subject to all highways, covenants, and easements of legal record.

Legal Description approved by Eric B. Westfall, P.S., Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section.

Section 2. That the Director of Law shall prepare the permit authorized by this ordinance and shall incorporate such additional provisions as the Director of Law determines necessary to protect and benefit the public interest. The permit shall be issued only when, in the opinion of the Director of Law, the Permittee has properly indemnified the City against any loss that may result from the encroachment permitted.

Section 3. That Permittee may assign the permit only with the prior written consent of the Director of Capital Projects. That the encroaching structure permitted by this ordinance shall conform to plans and specifications first approved by the Manager of the City's Division of Engineering and Construction. That Permittee shall obtain all other required permits, including but not limited to building permits, before installing the encroachment.

Section 4. That the permit shall reserve to the City reasonable right of entry to the encroachment location.

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; and Development, Planning and Sustainability.

Ordinance No. 768-2026

By Council Members: Slife, Bishop and Santana (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to enter into a maintenance, inspection and repair agreement with and to issue a permit to the Cleveland Clinic Foundation to encroach onto, over and within the public right-of-way of Lorain Avenue by constructing, installing, using, and maintaining an overhead pedestrian bridge.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to enter into a bridge maintenance, inspection, and repair agreement with, and to issue an encroachment permit, revocable at the will of Council, to the Cleveland Clinic Foundation, c/o Peter Volas, Senior Director of Real Estate, 9500 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44195 ("Permittee"), to construct, install, use, and maintain an overhead pedestrian bridge encroaching into the public right-of-way above Lorain Avenue at the following described location:

OVERHEAD BRIDGE ENCROACHMENT

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, being part of Range 14, Township 7 of the Connecticut Western Reserve Survey, part of Original Rockport Township Section 13, part of Lorain Avenue, State Route 10 (Variable Width), and part of a parcel of land now or formerly owned by the City of Cleveland as recorded in Deed Volume 5630, Page 120 of Cuyahoga County Deed Records being an aerial easement for bridge purposes and being more completely described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the centerline of said Lorain Avenue, with the centerline of Riveredge Road, (60 feet wide), and the centerline of Vacated Groveland Avenue (60 feet wide), as vacated in City Ordinance No. 1906-99, dated 12/15/1999, witnessed by a 5/8-inch rebar in a monument box found 0.38 feet north; thence along the centerline of said Lorain Avenue North 63° 42' 30" West, 733.27 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING for the encroachment herein described:

Course No. 1: thence South 26° 16' 51" West, 30.00 feet to the southerly right-of-way of said Lorain Avenue;

Course No. 2: thence North 63° 42' 30" West, along the southerly right-of-way of said Lorain Avenue, 20.00 feet;

Course No. 3: thence North 26° 16' 51" East, 70.00 feet to the northerly right-of-way of said Lorain Avenue;

Course No. 4: thence South 63° 42' 30" East, along the northerly right-of-way of said Lorain Avenue, 20.00 feet;

Course No 5: thence South 26° 16' 51" West, 40.00 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING, and containing 0.0321 acres (1400.00 square feet), more or less, but subject to all highways, easements and covenants of legal record as written by Kyle R. Danals, Registered Professional Surveyor No. 8704.

Bearings are based on the centerline of said Lorain Avenue, observed as North 63° 42' 30" East between monuments found, per the Ohio State Plane Coordinate System, North Zone (3401), NAD83 (2011), 2010.0 Epoch, as derived from GNSS Observations per the O.D.O.T. Real-Time Network.

The bottom plane of the vertical space contained within said encroachment shall be 758.00 feet. The top plane of the vertical space contained within said encroachment shall be 776.00 feet. Elevations are referenced to the North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD88), derived via GEOID18 from GNSS Observations per the O.D.O.T. Real-Time Network.

Legal Description approved by Eric B. Westfall, Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section.

Section 2. That the Director of Law shall prepare the permit authorized by this ordinance and shall incorporate such additional provisions as the Director of Law determines necessary to protect and benefit the public interest. That the permit shall be issued only when, in the opinion of the Director of Law, the prospective Permittee has properly indemnified the City against any loss that may result from the encroachment permitted.

Section 3. That Permittee may assign the permit only with the prior written consent of the Director of Capital Projects. That the encroaching structure permitted by this ordinance shall conform to plans and specifications first approved by the Manager of the City's Division of Engineering and Construction. That Permittee shall obtain all other required permits, including but not limited to Building Permits, before installing the encroachment.

Section 4. That the permit shall reserve to the City reasonable right of entry to the encroachment location.

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the

Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; and Development, Planning and Sustainability.

Ordinance No. 769-2026

By Council Members: Davis, Bishop, Santana, Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Capital Projects or other appropriate Director to co-sponsor a Green Infrastructure Grant from the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District for improvements to the Capital Theatre/Gordon Square parking lot located at Alger Court north of Detroit Avenue between West 65th and 67th Streets; to enter into one or more agreements with Gordon Square Arts District-Cleveland Improvement Corporation, the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District and/or Northwest Neighborhoods CDC or their assigns, relating to the design, construction and maintenance of the improvements; and to cause payment to Gordon Square Arts District-Cleveland Improvement Corporation.

WHEREAS, the City of Cleveland (“City”) owns the Capital Theatre/Gordon Square parking lot, PPN 002-09-073 (the “parking lot”), located at Alger Court north of Detroit Avenue between West 65th and 67th Streets within the Gordon Square Arts District (“GSAD”); and

WHEREAS, under Ordinance No. 2280-85, passed March 17, 1986, as amended by Ordinance No. 2498-87, passed February 1, 1988, and Ordinance No. 195-07, passed February 26, 2007, the City entered into a long-term Lease and Maintenance Contract and extended it under a Lease Extension Agreement (collectively the “Lease”) with Detroit Shoreway Community Development Organization, now known as Northwest Neighborhoods CDC (“Northwest Neighborhoods”), to operate and maintain the parking lot. Over the course of the Lease, Northwest Neighborhoods has assigned or novated its obligations under the Lease and, currently, Gordon Square Homes LP (“GSH”), a partner with Northwest Neighborhoods, has assumed the obligations and liabilities to the Lease; and

WHEREAS, the Gordon Square Arts District-Cleveland Improvement Corporation (“Gordon Square”), a non-profit corporation that manages and maintains the GSAD, applied for and was awarded a Green Infrastructure Grant (the “Grant”) from the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District (“NEORSD”) to design and construction improvements to the parking lot, including, but not limited to, installing bioretention cells, plants and pervious pavement (collectively the “Improvement”); and

WHEREAS, to satisfy the requirement of the Grant offered by NEORSD, the City needs to co-sponsor the Grant, which will allow Gordon Square to receive the necessary grant funds needed to complete the Improvement; and

WHEREAS, the Improvement will benefit the City and its residents; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to enter into one or more agreements with Gordon Square and/or Northwest Neighborhoods or their successors or assigns to implement the Improvement, including providing additional funding in the amount of \$522,000 to be used by Gordon Square to design, construct, and maintain the Improvement; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That notwithstanding and as any exception to the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, the Director of Capital Projects or other appropriate Director is authorized to co-sponsor the Grant and enter into one or more agreements with Gordon Square, NEORSD, and/or Northwest Neighborhoods to implement the Improvement under the Grant agreement (the “Agreement”) the terms of which include having Gordon Square responsible for the design and construction of the Improvement and the City responsible for maintaining the property; that Gordon Square as the main Grant recipient, will retain primary responsibility for grant compliance and reporting, and will ensure that the City complies with all grant terms and conditions during project implementation; and the Agreement shall contain other provisions needed to implement the Improvement. Under the agreement, the City, as co-sponsor, will accept the Improvement from Gordon Square.

Section 2. That the Director of Capital Projects or other appropriate Director is authorized to apply for and accept any gifts or grants from any public or private entity for the purposes of this ordinance; that the Director is authorized to file all papers and execute all documents necessary to receive the funds; and that the funds are appropriated for the purposes described herein.

Section 3. That the Agreement or agreements shall be prepared by the Director of Law and shall contain any terms and conditions to protect and benefit the City’s interest.

Section 4. That this Council causes payment to Gordon Square, under the Agreement to which the City is a co-sponsor, in an amount up to \$522,000 from Fund Nos. 01-001-9997, 01-001-9998, 20 SF 566, 20 SF 585, 20 SF 587, 20 SF 588, 20 SF 591, 20 SF 596, 20 SF 701, 20 SF 705, 20 SF 711, 20 SF 715, 20 SF 721, 20 SF 728, 2026 future debt, and future public facility bonds, if issued for this purpose. (RQS 0103, RLA 2026-72)

Section 5. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties;

Development, Planning and Sustainability; Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 770-2026

By Council Members: Starr, Howse-Jones, Bishop, Santana, and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance giving consent to the Norfolk Southern Corporation to proceed with the improvement of replacing the Superior Avenue Railroad Bridge and railroad track and replacing and repositioning support columns under the bridge on Superior Avenue located north of Central Avenue S.E. to East 26th Street at no cost to the City; and authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to enter into any agreements relative to the improvement.

WHEREAS, under Ordinance No. 20457, passed February 20, 1911, this Council, among other things, provided for the elimination of grade crossings along the line of the Cleveland & Pittsburg Railroad, operated by The Pennsylvania Company, assignee of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in the City of Cleveland from north of Central Avenue S.E. to East 26th Street and to grant to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and its lessees, successors, and assigns, the right to maintain masonry abutments at the lines of and steel columns or supports in various streets and highways; and

WHEREAS, Norfolk Southern Corporation (“Norfolk Southern”) is the current operator and successor to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company; and

WHEREAS, Norfolk Southern wishes to replace the Superior Avenue Railroad Bridge and track, and replace and reposition the support columns under the bridge on Superior Avenue located north of Central Avenue S.E. to East 26th Street at no cost to the City; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That it is declared to be in the public interest that the consent of the City of Cleveland is given to Norfolk Southern to construct the following improvement at no cost to the City under plans, specifications, and estimates approved by Norfolk Southern: replace the Superior Avenue Railroad Bridge and the railroad track, and replace and reposition the support columns under the bridge (“the Improvement”). Norfolk Southern shall be responsible for all maintenance costs associated with maintaining the Improvement.

Section 2. That the City gives its consent to the Improvement and its administration by Norfolk Southern providing that this ordinance shall not impose any financial obligation on the City for the Improvement.

Section 3. That the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to enter into one or more agreements with Norfolk Southern necessary to complete the planning and construction of the Improvement, which agreements shall contain terms and conditions that the Director of Law determines shall best protect the public interest.

Section 4. That on completion of the Improvement, the City will:

- (a) Keep the affected highway open to traffic at all times; and
- (b) Maintain the right-of-way and keep it free of obstructions and hold the right-of-way inviolate for public highway purposes and permit no signs, posters, billboards, roadside stands, or other private installations within the limits of the right-of-way.

Section 5. At all relevant times, the following shall be observed:

- (a) That all existing streets and public right-of-way within the City that are necessary for the Improvement shall be made available;
- (b) That, in the event any additional right-of-way is required for the Improvement, Norfolk Southern shall arrange for its acquisition;
- (c) That arrangements have been or will be made with and agreements obtained from all utility companies whose lines or structures will be affected by the Improvement. That the companies have agreed to make any and all necessary rearrangements in such manner as to be clear of any construction called for by the plans for the Improvement. That the companies have agreed to make necessary rearrangements immediately after notification by the City to Norfolk Southern;
- (d) That, if applicable, Norfolk Southern, at its own expense, shall make all rearrangements of water mains, service lines fire hydrants, valve boxes, sanitary sewers, or other City-owned utilities and appurtenances which do not comply with the preparation of ODOT Directive No. 28-A, whether inside or outside the corporate limits of the City, as may be necessary to conform to the Improvement;
- (e) That the construction, reconstruction, and rearrangement of all utilities shall be done in a manner as not to interfere unduly with the operations of the contractor or contractors constructing the Improvement and all backfilling of trenches made necessary by utility rearrangement shall be performed under the provisions of the current ODOT Construction and Material Specifications and shall be subject to approval by Norfolk Southern;
- (f) That the installation of all utility ductlines on the right-of-way shall conform with the requirements of Title 23 CFR and the ODOT Utilities Manual.

Section 6. That, when appropriate, the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to enter into one or more contracts with Norfolk Southern and other entities to obtain

services or to acquire property rights, such as easements and licenses, necessary to construct the Improvement.

Section 7. That the Director of Capital Projects, when necessary, is authorized to pay any railroad, the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority, and other entities for payment of any services which were necessary to construct the Improvement.

Section 8. That the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to accept a cash contribution from public or private entities for infrastructure restoration costs associated with relocating, rehabilitating or reconstructing utility infrastructure for the Improvement.

Section 9. That the Director of Capital Projects, when necessary, is authorized to enter into one or more agreements with private utility companies to pay charges for the installation of underground lines in connection with the Improvement.

Section 10. That the Director of Capital Projects is authorized to enter into any agreements necessary to implement the Improvement.

Section 11. That this Council requests Norfolk Southern to proceed with the Improvement.

Section 12. That the Clerk of Council is directed to transmit three certified copies immediately upon its taking effect, and shall become the basis for Norfolk Southern for proceeding with the Improvement.

Section 13. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinance No. 878-2026

By Council Member: Griffin

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Clerk of Council to enter into an agreement with American Legal Publishing for the professional services necessary to provide on-line access and webhosting services for the Charter and the Codified Ordinances, to edit and post all new amendatory ordinances on-line, update the Code online regularly, edit and print replacement pages with updates to the Code, and other services as may be necessary for Code supplementation, and to authorize any amendments to the contract that may be necessary for additional printings of the Codified Ordinances during the term.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Clerk of Council (“Clerk”) is authorized to enter into an agreement with American Legal Publishing (“Consultant”) for the professional services necessary to provide on-line access and webhosting services for the Charter and the Codified Ordinances (together, the “Code”), to edit and post all new amendatory ordinances on-line, to update the Code on-line regularly, to edit and print replacement pages with updates to the Code, and to provide other services as may be necessary to supplement the Code, and to authorize any amendments to the contract that may be necessary during the term to provide for additional printings of the Code and additional binders, inserts and labels.

The contract shall begin as of August 24, 2026 and shall continue for one year; the Clerk may exercise four (4) separate options to renew any or all portions of the agreement for additional one-year periods, cancelable upon 30 days’ written notice by the Clerk. Payment for services completed under the agreement, and any amendments to the agreement during the original term or the term of any exercised renewal shall be from Fund No. 01 SF 001.

Section 2. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Referred to the Directors of Finance; and Law; Committee on Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Ordinances and Resolutions

First Reading Emergency Ordinances Read in Full and Passed

An ordinance is a City law written and enacted by City Council. Ordinances govern the actions, responsibilities and tax dollars of residents, businesses, organizations, city departments and visitors in Cleveland. Ordinances can be written and passed to address issues about housing, safety, public services, employment, the City budget and economic development. Many ordinances authorize the City to spend money on contracts and projects that support the mission of the City of Cleveland.

Ordinances are effective 30 days after passage. Emergency ordinances take effect immediately upon the Mayor's signature or 10 days after passage.

Under the Charter, legislation cannot be passed until it has been read on three separate days, unless this requirement is dispensed with by a two-thirds vote of the Council. This is known as passing legislation "under suspension." Ordinances may be passed under suspension after either the first or second reading.

These ordinances were read for the first time on Wednesday, July 15, 2026, the rules were suspended, and the legislation was passed by an affirmative two-thirds vote of all members elected to Council.

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[Ord. No. 765-2026](#)

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[Ord. No. 757-2026](#)

[Ord. No. 884-2026](#)

Ordinance No. 741-2026**By Council Member:** Griffin

An emergency ordinance to amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 618-2026, passed June 1, 2026, relating to a contract with Cleveland Muni Football League to conduct a city-wide youth football program.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Ordinance No. 618-2026, passed June 1, 2026, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. That the Director of Parks and Recreation is authorized to enter into a contract with the Northeast Ohio Muni Football League aka Cleveland Municipal Football Association dba Cleveland Muni Football League to conduct a city-wide youth football program and to pay various fees in an amount not to exceed ~~\$160,000~~ \$258,000, payable from Fund Nos. 01-4503-6380, 10-166 and 10-188. (RQS 4503, RL 2026-32)

Section 2. That existing Section 1 of Ordinance No. 618-2026, passed June 1, 2026, is hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 742-2026

By Council Member: Howse-Jones

An emergency ordinance consenting and approving the issuance of a permit for the Walk for Unity 5K event, on October 11, 2026, managed by Hermes Sports & Events.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That pursuant to Section 411.06 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio 1976, this Council consents to and approves the Walk for Unity 5K event, on October 11, 2026, managed by Hermes Sports & Events; **START:** In front of the Transplant House on 2029 East 115th Street – turn left on Mayfield Road – continue on Ford Drive – turn right on East Boulevard – turn right on Martin Luther Kind Jr. Drive – turnaround – turn left on East Boulevard – turn left on Ford Drive – continue on Mayfield Road – turn right on East 115th Street – **FINISH:** in front of the Transplant House on 2029 East 115th Street; provided that the applicant sponsor shall meet all the requirements of Section 411.05 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976. Streets may be closed as determined by the Chief of Police and safety forces as may be necessary in order to protect the participants in the event. Said permit shall further provide that the City of Cleveland shall be fully indemnified from any and all liability resulting from the issuance of the same, to the extent and in form satisfactory to the Director of Law.

Section 2. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 743-2026**By Council Member:** Jones

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Aging to enter into agreement with Famicos Foundation for Senior Lawn Care Program providing grass cutting and maintenance through the use of Ward 1 Neighborhood Equity Funds.

WHEREAS, providing assisting senior citizens on fixed incomes with lawn maintenance services, such as grass cutting and leaf removal, while maintaining the aesthetic appeal of their properties and ensuing compliance with city regulations regarding lawn care is a valid public purpose for municipal expenditures providing for the education, health, wellness, and general welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of the Department of Aging is hereby authorized to enter into agreement Famicos Foundation providing Senior Lawn Care Program for the public purpose of providing grass cutting and lawn maintenance to seniors through the use of Ward 1 Neighborhood Equity Funds.

Section 2. That the cost of said contract shall be in an amount not to exceed \$99,200.00 and shall be paid from Fund No. 10 SF 166.

Section 3. Project shall begin as of May 1, 2026.

Section 4. That the Director of Law shall prepare and approve said contract and that the contract shall contain such terms and provisions as he deems necessary to protect the City's interest.

Section 5. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 753-2026

By Council Members: Davis, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 242-2025, passed March 24, 2025, relating to the addition of certain property at 2164-2214 West 25th Street to the Northeast Ohio Advanced Energy District.

WHEREAS, under Ordinance No. 242-2025, March 24, 2025, this Council authorized the addition of certain property at 2164-2214 West 25th Street to the Northeast Ohio Advanced Energy District; and

WHEREAS, at the time the above-referenced ordinance passed, the final assessments were not available; and

WHEREAS, the City has the final Amended Schedule of Special Assessments now and wishes to include them into Ordinance No. 242-2025; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Ordinance No. 242-2025, passed March 24, 2025, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1. That the Project Petition and the Project Plan placed in **File No. 242-2025-A** are approved, and this Council consents to the addition of the Property to the District. In addition to the documents contained in **File No. 242-2025-A**, which include an estimated Schedule of Special Assessments, a list of the final Amended Schedule of Special Assessments is now available and is placed in **File No. 242-2025-B**.

Section 2. That existing Section 1 of Ordinance No. 242-2025, passed March 24, 2025, is repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 754-2026

By Council Members: Conwell and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Sections 2 and 4 of Ordinance No. 119-2026, passed February 9, 2026, to change the name of Elements of Internal Movement Eternal Pull Inc. to Elements of Internal Movement Eternal Pull and to replace the File.

WHEREAS, under the authority of Ordinance No. 119-2026, passed February 9, 2026, the Director of Public Health was authorized to apply and accept a grant from Share Our Strength to conduct the Food Access Navigators program under Cultivating Cleveland's Next Generation projects and authorizing one or more contracts with East 66th Street Services Inc. and Elements of Internal Movement Eternal Pull Inc. to implement the grant; and

WHEREAS, the vendor identified in Ordinance No. 119-2026 as "Elements of Internal Movements Eternal Pull, Inc." was incorrectly cited, and the correct legal name of the vendor is "Elements of Internal Movements Eternal Pull," without the designation "Inc."; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That Sections 2 and 4 of Ordinance No. 119-2026, passed February 9, 2026, are amended to read as follows:

Section 2. That the summary for the grant, File No. ~~119-2026-A~~ 119-2026-B, made a part of this ordinance as if fully rewritten, is approved in all respects and shall not be changed without additional legislative authority.

Section 4. That the Director of Public Health is authorized to enter into one or more contracts with East 66th Street Services Inc. and ~~Elements of Internal Movement Eternal Pull Inc.~~ Elements of Internal Movement Eternal Pull, or its legal successor corporation, to provide a total of four (4) youth navigators for project coordination and community education and for outreach materials, food, transportation and other services necessary to implement the grant as described in the file.

Section 2. That existing Sections 2 and 4 of Ordinance No. 119-2026, passed February 9, 2026, are repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the

Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 755-2026

By Council Member: Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Sections 33, 35, 37 and 38 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by various ordinances, relating to compensation for various classifications.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the following:

Section 33 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 94-2022, passed March 21, 2022, Ordinance No. 1281-2022, passed December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 744-2025, passed June 2, 2025, and Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025; and

Section 35 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 1073-2021, passed November 29, 2021, Ordinance No. 1281-2022, passed December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 523-2023, passed April 24, 2023, Ordinance No. 776-2023, passed July 12, 2023, Ordinance No. 901-2023, passed August 16, 2023, Ordinance No. 235-2024, passed March 4, 2024, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 339-2025, passed March 18, 2025, Ordinance No. 744-2025, passed June 2, 2025, Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025, and Ordinance No. 452-2026, passed April 6, 2026; and

Section 37 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 287-2021, passed December 6, 2021, Ordinance No. 94-2022, passed March 21, 2022, Ordinance No. 1281-2022, passed December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 523-2023, passed April 24, 2023, Ordinance No. 235-2024, passed March 4, 2024, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, and Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 1217-2024, passed November 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 1087-2025, passed September 15, 2025, Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025, Ordinance No. 452-2026, passed April 6, 2026 and Ordinance No. 652-2026, passed May 18, 2026; and

Section 38 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 94-2022, passed March 21, 2022, Ordinance No. 1281-2022, passed

December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 776-2023, passed July 12, 2023, Ordinance No. 901-2023, passed August 16, 2023, Ordinance No. 1239-2023, passed November 13, 2023, Ordinance No. 235-2024, passed March 4, 2024, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 1217-2024, passed November 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 959-2025, passed August 13, 2025, Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025, and Ordinance No. 452-2026, passed April 6, 2026,

are amended to read as follows:

Section 33. That the salaries in the following classifications shall be fixed by the appointing authority in accordance with the schedule appearing after each classification:

	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
1	Accountant IV	33,820.80	76,964.21
2	Airport Operations Agent III	33,820.80	73,432.17
~~3~~	~~Assistant Personnel Administrator~~	~~33,820.80~~	~~72,261.13~~
4 3	Assistant Water Plant Manager	33,820.80	93,734.60
5 4	Assistant Water Plant Manager – Parma	33,820.80	93,734.60
6 5	Budget and Management Analyst	33,820.80	75,923.64
7 6	Manager of Animal Control Services	33,820.80	112,038.58
8 7	Demolition Compliance Officer	33,820.80	122,677.72
9 8	Labor Relations Assistant	33,820.80	69,815.77
~~10~~ 9	Machinist Unit Leader	16.26	34.03
~~11~~ 10	Superintendent of Sewer Maintenance	33,820.80	97,635.22
~~12~~ 11	Supervisor of Vital Statistics	33,820.80	72,261.13
~~13~~ 12	Systems Analyst	33,820.80	70,000.00
~~14~~ 13	Water System Construction Inspector Supervisor	33,820.80	85,477.45

Section 35. That the salaries in the following classifications shall be fixed by the appointing authority in accordance with the schedule appearing after each classification:

	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
1	Aging Services Administrator	33,820.80	113,549.78
2	Air Pollution Control, Engineer IV	33,820.80	81,777.01

3	Airport Operations Superintendent	53,682.00	134,884.44
4	Airport Safety Shift Commander	33,820.80	92,935.62
5	Animal Control Supervisor I	40,000.00	72,500.07
6	Animal Control Supervisor II	45,000.00	82,113.57
7	Assistant Administrator	33,820.80	65,000.00
~~8~~	~~Assistant Administrator II~~	~~65,000.00~~	~~85,000.00~~
~~8~~ 9	Assistant Aging Services Administrator	33,820.80	80,634.06
~~9~~ 10	Assistant Chief Building Inspector	33,820.80	70,720.00
~~10~~ 11	Assistant Manager of Marketing	33,820.80	77,097.83
~~11~~ 12	Assistant Security Manager	33,820.80	79,973.84
~~12~~ 13	Central Payroll Supervisor	33,820.80	108,245.07
~~13~~ 14	Chief Building Inspector	33,820.80	104,500.00
~~14~~ 15	Chief Electrical Inspector	33,820.80	104,500.00
~~15~~ 16	Chief Elevator Inspector	33,820.80	104,500.00
~~16~~ 17	Chief Heating Inspector	33,820.80	104,500.00
~~17~~ 18	Chief Plumbing Inspector	33,820.80	104,500.00
~~18~~ 19	Chore Services Coordinator	33,820.80	67,354.05
~~19~~ 20	Commercial Plans Examiner	75,000.00	119,875.00
~~20~~ 21	Deputy Central Payroll Supervisor	33,820.80	81,724.48
~~21~~ 22	Manager of Public Utilities - Building Maintenance	33,820.80	101,028.75
~~22~~ 23	Payroll Specialist	33,820.80	76,248.32
~~23~~ 24	Performance Assessment Specialist	40,000.00	93,844.08
~~24~~ 25	Performance Auditor	40,000.00	105,574.59
~~25~~ 26	Project Specialist	33,820.80	66,000.00
~~26~~ 27	Quality Control Inspector	33,820.80	76,248.32
~~27~~ 28	System Administrator	60,000.00	100,000.00
~~28~~ 29	Senior Systems Administrator	80,000.00	130,000.00
~~29~~	Shelter Operations Manager	40,000.00	93,844.08

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~~30~~ ~~31~~	Shift Supervisor Operations	33,820.80	75,624.44
~~31~~ ~~32~~	Staff Accountant	38,500.00	85,925.98
~~32~~ ~~33~~	Staff Auditor	~~33,820.80~~ 60,000.00	~~66,000.00~~ 75,000.00
~~33~~ ~~34~~	Superintendent of Distribution	33,820.80	93,812.40
~~34~~ ~~35~~	Supervising Tax Auditor	33,820.80	78,594.42
~~35~~ ~~36~~	Supervisor of Civil Service Records	33,820.80	93,500.00
~~36~~ ~~37~~	Telecommunications Specialist	33,820.80	87,838.06

Section 37. That the salaries in the following classifications shall be fixed by the appointing authority in accordance with the schedule appearing after each classification:

	Classification	Minimum	Maximum
1	Accountant Supervisor	33,820.80	93,957.66
2	Assistant Chief of Water Distribution	33,820.80	112,258.94
3	Assistant Commissioner	33,820.80	125,000.00
4	Building Manager	33,820.80	101,134.97
5	Business Process Analyst	55,000.00	126,742.18
6	Chief Architect	85,000.00	132,000.00
7	Chief Auditor – Utilities	33,820.80	109,565.29
8	Chief City Planner	33,820.80	107,223.85
9	Chief, Computer Operations	33,820.80	109,565.29
10	Chief Engineer – Civil	70,000.00	120,000.00
11	Chief Engineer – Mechanical	70,000.00	120,000.00
12	Chief Epidemiologist	58,236.00	108,995.21
13	Chief Legal Investigator - Civil Branch	33,820.80	86,806.32
14	Chief of Laboratories	33,820.80	104,079.81
15	Chief of Pumping	33,820.80	126,382.64
16	Chief of Purification	33,820.80	112,288.95
17	Development Finance Analyst I	34,000.00	77,995.97
18	Development Finance Analyst II	51,043.20	110,097.96
19	Financial Systems Coordinator	33,820.80	86,806.32
20	Fiscal Grants Administrator	40,000.00	111,514.10
21	Fiscal Manager	33,820.80	115,120.39

~~22~~	Health Promotion Coordinator	33,820.80	100,075.43
~~23~~	Investment Manager	33,820.80	109,565.29
~~24~~	Manager of Enterprise Unit	33,820.80	101,134.97
~~25~~	Manager of Events	33,820.80	101,134.97
~~26~~	Manager of Special Events and Marketing	33,820.80	101,134.97
~~27~~	Manager of General Maintenance	33,820.80	101,134.97
~~28~~	Manager of Markets	33,820.80	101,134.97
~~29~~	Manager of Parking	33,820.80	101,134.97
~~30~~	~~Manager of Recreation~~	~~40,000.00~~	~~101,134.97~~
~~31~~ 30	Master Plan Examiner	33,820.80	131,862.56
~~32~~ 31	Neighborhood Investment Manager	33,280.00	80,080.00
~~32~~	<u>Recreation Program Manager</u>	<u>40,000.00</u>	<u>101,134.97</u>
~~33~~	<u>Regional Manager</u>	<u>50,000.00</u>	<u>110,000.00</u>
~~33~~ 34	Secretary to the Board of Building Standards and Appeals	33,820.80	107,223.85
~~34~~ 35	Secretary to the Board of Zoning Appeals	33,820.80	107,223.85
~~35~~ 36	Security Manager	33,820.80	117,461.52
~~36~~ 37	Senior Internal Auditor	58,240.00	100,926.10
~~37~~ 38	Senior Programmer Analyst	33,820.80	89,846.43
~~38~~ 39	Supervisor - Information Control	33,820.80	86,806.32
~~39~~ 40	Water Plant Manager	33,820.80	126,382.64

Section 38. That the salaries in the following classifications shall be fixed by the appointing authority in accordance with the schedule appearing after each classification:

	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
1	Airport Chief of Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting (ARFF)	33,820.80	198,000.00
2	Airport Maintenance Manager	33,820.80	121,624.23
3	Airport Operations Manager	33,820.80	115,755.23
4	Airport Safety Chief	33,820.80	118,874.40
5	Assistant Commissioner of Airports	33,820.80	134,538.68
6	Assistant Income Tax Administrator	33,820.80	146,631.38

7	Assistant Superintendent of Electric Trans & Distribution	33,820.80	110,097.96
8	Building and Housing Executive Assistant	33,820.80	115,755.23
9	Business Process Specialist	40,000.00	93,844.08
10	Chief of Air Pollution Enforcement	33,820.80	103,987.43
11	Chief of Air Pollution Engineering	33,820.80	103,987.43
12	Chief of Air Pollution Monitoring	33,820.80	103,987.43
13	Chief Civil Service Examiner	33,820.80	99,000.00
14	City Hall Custodian	33,820.80	91,714.38
15	Commercial Development Officer	52,000.00	112,112.00
16	Community Development Executive Assistant	33,820.80	118,105.64
17	Contract Compliance Officer	33,820.80	91,714.38
18	Deputy Budget Administrator	33,820.80	106,851.45
19	Reserved		
20	Director of Public Health Nurses	33,820.80	106,851.45
21	Fair Housing Administrator	33,820.80	114,072.06
22	General Manager of Administrative Services	33,820.80	121,623.99
23	Human Resources Administrator	~~33,820.80~~ 55,000.00	~~106,851.45~~ 75,000.00
24	Human Resources Generalist	75,000.00	100,000.00
25	Human Resources Business Partner	100,000.00	130,000.00
~~24~~ 26	OPS Administrator	33,820.80	120,000.00
~~25~~ 26	Personnel Administrator	~~33,820.80~~	~~106,851.45~~
~~26~~ 27	Senior Budget and Management Analyst	33,820.80	103,402.09
~~27~~ 28	Superintendent of Motorized Equipment	33,820.80	91,714.38
~~28~~ 29	Utilities Comptroller	33,820.80	123,038.33

Section 2. That the following existing Sections:

Section 33 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 94-2022, passed March 21, 2022, Ordinance No. 1281-2022, passed December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 744-2025, passed June 2, 2025, and Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025; and

Section 35 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 1073-2021, passed November 29, 2021, Ordinance No. 1281-2022,

passed December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 523-2023, passed April 24, 2023, Ordinance No. 776-2023, passed July 12, 2023, Ordinance No. 901-2023, passed August 16, 2023, Ordinance No. 235-2024, passed March 4, 2024, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 339-2025, passed March 18, 2025 Ordinance No. 744-2025, passed June 2, 2025, Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025, and Ordinance No. 452-2026, passed April 6, 2026; and

Section 37 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 287-2021, passed December 6, 2021, Ordinance No. 94-2022, passed March 21, 2022, Ordinance No. 1281-2022, passed December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 523-2023, passed April 24, 2023, Ordinance No. 235-2024, passed March 4, 2024, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, and Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 1217-2024, passed November 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 1087-2025, passed September 15, 2025, Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025, Ordinance No. 452-2026, passed April 6, 2026 and Ordinance No. 652-2026, passed May 18, 2026; and

Section 38 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 94-2022, passed March 21, 2022, Ordinance No. 1281-2022, passed December 5, 2022, Ordinance No. 776-2023, passed July 12, 2023, Ordinance No. 901-2023, passed August 16, 2023, Ordinance No. 1239-2023, passed November 13, 2023, Ordinance No. 235-2024, passed March 4, 2024, Ordinance No. 338-2024, passed March 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 850-2024, passed August 7, 2024, Ordinance No. 1217-2024, passed November 25, 2024, Ordinance No. 47-2025, passed January 6, 2025, Ordinance No. 959-2025, passed August 13, 2025, Ordinance No. 1169-2025, passed September 22, 2025, and Ordinance No. 452-2026, passed April 6, 2026,

are repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 756-2026

By Council Members: Polensek and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant from the Ohio Department of Public Safety for the FY 2027 Impaired Driving Enforcement Program and Selective Traffic Enforcement Program.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Safety is authorized to apply for and accept the FY 2027 Impaired Driving Enforcement Program and Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (“IDEP/STEP”) grant in the approximate amount of \$30,271.98, and any other funds that may become available during the grant term from the Ohio Department of Public Safety for funding speed-related and DUI-related traffic enforcement and reimbursement of officer overtime; that the Director is authorized to file all papers and execute all documents necessary to receive the funds under the grant; and that the funds are appropriated for the purposes described in the IDEP/STEP Proposal 2027 for the grant contained in the file described below.

Section 2. That IDEP/STEP Proposal 2027 for the grant, **File No. 756-2026-A**, made a part of this ordinance as if fully rewritten, is approved in all respects and shall not be changed without additional legislative authority. (RQS 6002, RLA 2026-84)

Section 3. That the Director of Public Safety is authorized to extend the term of the grant.

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 757-2026**By Council Member:** Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance approving the collective bargaining agreement with the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees (IATSE Local 27) and to amend Section 47 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended, relating to salaries for various classifications.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That under division (B) of Section 4117.10 of the Revised Code, this Council approves the collective bargaining agreement with the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees (IATSE Local 27), under the terms contained in **File No. 757-2026-A**, for the period from April 1, 2025, through March 31, 2028, and which provides, among other things, for an increase in the salaries and wages for members of the bargaining unit under the following schedule:

<u>Increase</u>	<u>Approximate Date of Increase</u>
3%	April 1, 2025
3%	April 1, 2026
3%	April 1, 2027

Section 2. That Section 47 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 33-2024, passed January 8, 2024, is amended to read as follows:

Section 47. Stage Employees Local 27 of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees. That salaries in the following classifications shall be fixed by the appointing authority in accordance with the schedule appearing after each classification

	Classification	Minimum	<u>Maximum</u>
1	~~Stage Hand~~ <u>Stagehand</u>	~~34.99~~ 39.56	~~38.61~~ <u>42.18</u>
2	~~Stage Hand~~ <u>Stagehand</u> - Casual	~~33.57~~ <u>37.97</u>	~~37.05~~ <u>40.48</u>
3	~~Stage Hand~~ <u>Stagehand</u> - Show Rate (Per Show)	~~113.64~~ <u>124.24</u>	~~123.00~~ <u>136.44</u>

Section 3. That Section 47 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 33-2024, passed January 8, 2024, is repealed.

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 14. Nays 1.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Kazy.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 765-2026

By Council Members: Polensek and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Safety to enter into one or more contracts with Convergent Technologies LLC for the equipment, installation, maintenance, and annual software subscriptions for the Evolv Express and Evolv eXpedite weapons screening systems at the new Police Headquarters, for the Division of Police, Department of Public Safety, for a period of four years.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Safety is authorized to enter into one or more contracts with Convergent Technologies LLC for the equipment, installation, maintenance, and annual software subscriptions for the Evolv Express and Evolv eXpedite weapons screening systems at the new Police Headquarters, for the Division of Police, Department of Public Safety, for a period of four years.

Section 2. That under Section 108(b) of the Charter, the purchases and/or services authorized by this ordinance may be made through cooperative arrangements with other governmental agencies. The Director of Public Safety may sign all documents that are necessary to make the purchases and/or obtain such services, and may enter into one or more contracts with the vendors and/or consultants selected through that cooperative process.

Section 3. That the cost of the contract or contracts for year one of the four-year contract shall not exceed \$142,813.92, and the cost of the contracts for years two through four shall not exceed \$104,521.36 per year, and subject to annual appropriation, for a total contract amount of \$456,378.00. The contract or contracts shall be payable from Fund No. 01-6002-6612. (RQS 6002, RLA 2026-81)

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 776-2026**By Council Member:** Polensek

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Community Development to enter into agreement with incYOU Resource Foundation Inc. for the incYOU Classroom Cruiser mobile education project through the use of Ward 10 Casino Revenue Funds.

WHEREAS, providing support for a mobile educational resource and enrichment center through incYOU Resource Foundation, which addresses educational disparities by bringing essential academic services, tools and opportunities into Cleveland neighborhoods is a valid public purpose for municipal expenditures providing for the education, health, wellness, and general welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of the Department of Community Development is hereby authorized to enter into agreement with incYOU Resource Foundation providing funding support for the mobile education program for the public purpose of providing youth education programming through the use of Ward 10 Casino Revenue Funds.

Section 2. That the cost of said contract shall be in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00 and shall be paid from Fund No. 10 SF 166.

Section 3. Project shall begin as of September 1, 2026.

Section 4. That the Director of Law shall prepare and approve said contract and that the contract shall contain such terms and provisions as he deems necessary to protect the City's interest.

Section 5. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 777-2026**By Council Member:** Kazy

An emergency ordinance the Director of the Department of Community Development to enter into agreement with Bellaire-Puritas Development Corporation (dba Jefferson Puritas West Park Community Development Corporation) for the Events and Engagement Program through the use of Ward 13 Neighborhood Equity Funds.

WHEREAS, providing events and community engagement activities to residents and community stakeholders building social capital through Bellaire-Puritas Development Corporation, which increases service and engagement visibility, program assessability, and community involvement is a valid public purpose for municipal expenditures providing for the education, health, wellness, and general welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of the Department of Community Development is hereby authorized to enter into agreement with Bellaire-Puritas Development Corporation (dba Jefferson Puritas West Park Community Development Corporation) providing funding support for and events and engagement program for the public purpose of providing program coordination and service provision through the use of Ward 13 Neighborhood Equity Funds.

Section 2. That the cost of said contract shall be in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 and shall be paid from Fund No. 10 SF 188.

Section 3. Project shall begin as of October 15, 2026.

Section 4. That the Director of Law shall prepare and approve said contract and that the contract shall contain such terms and provisions as he deems necessary to protect the City's interest.

Section 5. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council

Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 778-2026**By Council Member:** Jones

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Community Development to enter into agreement with The New Sardis Primitive Baptist Church for the Youth Workforce Development Program through the use of Ward 1 Casino Revenue Funds.

WHEREAS, providing support for a youth workforce development program through The New Sardis Primitive Baptist Church, which addresses summer youth employment and community cleanup opportunities into Cleveland neighborhoods is a valid public purpose for municipal expenditures providing for the education, health, wellness, and general welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of the Department of Community Development is hereby authorized to enter into agreement The New Sardis Primitive Baptist Church providing funding support for the Youth Workforce Development Program for the public purpose of providing a summer youth workforce program through the use of Ward 1 Casino Revenue Funds.

Section 2. That the cost of said contract shall be in an amount not to exceed \$21,000.00 and shall be paid from Fund No. 10 SF 166.

Section 3. Project shall begin as of July 6, 2026.

Section 4. That the Director of Law shall prepare and approve said contract and that the contract shall contain such terms and provisions as he deems necessary to protect the City's interest.

Section 5. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 779-2026

By Council Member: Polensek

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Development to enter into agreement with Silver Connections LLC for senior center signage through the use of Ward 10 Neighborhood Equity Funds.

WHEREAS, providing organization assistance to purchase property or equipment signage for Silver Connections Adult Day Senior Center, which increases visibility and accessibility to seniors assisting with adult day services and programming is a valid public purpose for municipal expenditures providing for the education, health, wellness, and general welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of the Department of Development is hereby authorized to enter into agreement with Silver Connections LLC providing funding support for property and equipment purchase for the public purpose of providing senior programming through the use of Ward 10 Neighborhood Equity Funds.

Section 2. That the cost of said contract shall be in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00 and shall be paid from Fund No. 10 SF 188.

Section 3. Project shall begin as of June 1, 2026.

Section 4. That the Director of Law shall prepare and approve said contract and that the contract shall contain such terms and provisions as he deems necessary to protect the City's interest.

Section 5. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 879-2026**By Council Member:** Jones**An emergency ordinance to add the name Dazz Band Way as a secondary and honorary name to Lotus Drive between Lee Road and East 160th Street.**

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That, notwithstanding and as an exception to the Codified Ordinances of the City of Cleveland, 1976, the name Dazz Band Way shall be added as a secondary and honorary name to Lotus Drive between Lee Road and East 160th Street.

Section 2. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 882-2026

By Council Members: Griffin and Gray

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Aging to enter into agreement with Community Housing Solutions for the Slavic Village Home Repair Project providing essential home repair activities increasing independence and safe housing through the use of Closed Ward 12 Casino Revenue Funds.

WHEREAS, providing programming which assists low-income homeowners to stay independent and safe in their homes, as well as essential repairs they might not otherwise be able to afford through home repair assistance to residents of the City of Cleveland is a valid public purpose for municipal expenditures providing for the health, wellness, and general welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of the Department of Aging is authorized to enter into agreement with Community Housing Solutions for the Slavic Village Home Repair Project (SVHRP) for the public purpose of providing home repair assistance activities addressing safety and health issues for low income homeowners through the use of Casino Revenue Funds.

Section 2. That the cost of said contract shall be in an amount not to exceed \$105,000.00 and shall be paid from Fund No. 10 SF 188.

Section 3. Project was reviewed by the City of Cleveland Housing Advisory Board on July 8, 2026. Project shall begin as of August 1, 2026.

Section 4. That the Director of Law shall prepare and approve said contract and that the contract shall contain such terms and provisions as he deems necessary to protect the City's interest.

Section 5. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council

Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 884-2026**By Council Member:** Griffin

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Clerk of Council to enter into a First Amendment to the Agreement with Granicus, LLC for the purchase of additional software subscriptions and services for a constituent management system for Cleveland City Council.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Clerk of Council is authorized to enter into a First Amendment to the Agreement with Granicus, LLC, City Contract No. PS 2026-0126, for the purchase of additional software subscriptions and services for a constituent management system for Cleveland City Council. This First Amendment shall be entered into as of August 1, 2026, and the term and any renewal terms shall run consecutively with that of the Agreement. The cost of the first year of this First Amendment shall not exceed \$23,313.99 and shall be paid for from fund 11-006 and/or fund numbers 632000-01-010100.

Section 2. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinances and Resolutions

First Reading Emergency Resolutions Read in Full and Adopted

A resolution is an informal enactment stating a decision or expressing the opinion of Council regarding a particular item of business, an event, issue or person.

Resolutions are effective 30 days after adoption. Emergency resolutions take effect immediately upon the Mayor's signature or 10 days after adoption.

Under the Charter, legislation cannot be passed until it has been read on three separate days, unless this requirement is dispensed with by a two-thirds vote of the Council. This is known as passing legislation "under suspension." Ordinances may be passed under suspension after either the first or second reading.

These resolutions were read for the first time on Wednesday, July 15, 2026, the rules were suspended, and the legislation was adopted by an affirmative two-thirds vote of all members elected to Council.

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[Res. No. 771-2026](#)

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[Res. No. 883-2026](#)

Resolution No. 771-2026**By Council Member:** Conwell**An emergency resolution objecting to the transfer of location of a D5 Liquor Permit to 1024 East 152nd Street.**

WHEREAS, Council has been notified by the Division of Liquor Control of an application for the transfer of location of a D5 Liquor Permit from Blue Train Inc., DBA: Play Bar & Grill, 1051 West 10th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44113, Permit No. 00826892-1 to Black Orchid Restaurant Lounge, LLC, DBA: Black Orchid Restaurant & Lounge, 1024 East 152nd Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44110, Permit No. 10016025-1; and

WHEREAS, the granting of this application for a liquor permit to this high crime area, which is already saturated with other liquor outlets, is contrary to the best interests of the entire community; and

WHEREAS, the applicant does not qualify to be a permit holder and/or has demonstrated that he has operated his liquor business in disregard of the laws, regulations or local ordinances of this state or any other state; and

WHEREAS, the place for which the permit is sought has not conformed to the building, safety or health requirements of the governing body of this County or City; and

WHEREAS, the place for which the permit is sought is so arranged or constructed that law enforcement officers or agents of the Division of Liquor Control are prevented reasonable access to the establishment; and

WHEREAS, the place for which the permit is sought is so located with respect to the neighborhood that it substantially interferes with public decency, sobriety, peace or good order; and

WHEREAS, this objection is based on other legal grounds as set forth in Revised Code Section 4303.292; and

WHEREAS, this resolution constitutes an emergency measure providing for the immediate preservation of the public peace, prosperity, safety and welfare pursuant to Section 4303.26 of the Ohio Revised Code. Council's objection to said permit must be received by the Superintendent of Liquor Control within 30 days of notification; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That Council does hereby record its objection to the transfer of location of a D5 Liquor Permit from Blue Train Inc., DBA: Play Bar & Grill, 1051 West 10th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44113, Permit No. 00826892-1 to Black Orchid Restaurant Lounge,

LLC, DBA: Black Orchid Restaurant & Lounge, 1024 East 152nd Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44110, Permit No. 10016025-1 and requests the Superintendent of Liquor Control to set a hearing for said application in accordance with provisions of Section 4303.26 of the Revised Code of Ohio.

Section 2. That the Clerk of Council be and she is hereby directed to transmit two certified copies of this resolution, together with two copies of a letter of objection and two copies of a letter requesting that the hearing be held in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County.

Section 3. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 772-2026**By Council Member:** Harsh

An emergency resolution withdrawing objection to the renewal of a D5 and D6 Liquor Permit at 2218 Broadview Road, and repealing Resolution No. 943-2025 objecting to said renewal.

WHEREAS, this Council objected to the renewal of a D5 and D6 Liquor Permit to IBEX Transportation, LLC., DBA: Lucy's Ethiopian Restaurant & Bar, 2218 Broadview Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44109, Permit No. 04118908, by Resolution No. 943-2025, adopted by the Council on August 13, 2025; and

WHEREAS, this Council wishes to withdraw its objection to the above permit and consents to said permit; and

WHEREAS, this resolution constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That objection to the renewal of a D5 and D6 Liquor Permit to IBEX Transportation, LLC., DBA: Lucy's Ethiopian Restaurant & Bar, 2218 Broadview Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44109, Permit No. 04118908, be and the same is hereby withdrawn and Resolution No. 943-2025, containing such objection, be and the same is hereby repealed and that this Council consents to the immediate permit thereof.

Section 2. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 773-2026**By Council Member:** Kazy

An emergency resolution withdrawing objection to the transfer of ownership of a C1 and C2, Liquor Permit at 4200 West 130th Street and repealing Resolution No. 374-2026 objecting to said permit.

WHEREAS, this Council objected to a transfer of ownership of a C1 and C2, Liquor Permit to Vamra LLC, DBA: Giant Mart, 4200 West 130th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44135, Permit No. 10010690-1 by Resolution No. 374-2026 adopted by the Council on March 23, 2026; and

WHEREAS, this Council wishes to withdraw its objection to the above permit and consents to said permit; and

WHEREAS, this resolution constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That objection to the transfer of ownership of a C1 and C2, Liquor Permit to Vamra LLC., DBA: Giant Mart, 4200 West 130th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44135, Permit No. 10010690-1, be and the same is hereby withdrawn and Resolution No. 374-2026, containing such objection, be and the same is hereby repealed and that this Council consents to the immediate permit thereof.

Section 2. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 774-2026

By Council Member: Howse-Jones

An emergency resolution withdrawing objection to the transfer of ownership of a C1 and C2, Liquor Permit at 5915 Saint Clair Avenue and repealing Resolution No. 1227-2025 objecting to said permit.

WHEREAS, this Council objected to a transfer of ownership of a C1 and C2, Liquor Permit to H & S 5915, Inc., 5915 Saint Clair Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44103, Permit No. 10004576-1 by Resolution No. 1227-2025 adopted by the Council on September 29, 2025; and

WHEREAS, this Council wishes to withdraw its objection to the above permit and consents to said permit; and

WHEREAS, this resolution constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That objection to the transfer of ownership of a C1 and C2, Liquor Permit to H & S 5915 Inc., 5915 Saint Clair Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44103, Permit No. 10004576-1, be and the same is hereby withdrawn and Resolution No. 1227-2025, containing such objection, be and the same is hereby repealed and that this Council consents to the immediate permit thereof.

Section 2. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 775-2026**By Council Member:** Davis**An emergency resolution objecting to the renewal of a D1, D2, D3, D3A and D6 Liquor Permit at 1909 & 1917 West 25th Street.**

WHEREAS, the uniform date for renewal of liquor permits in the State of Ohio is October 1st; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 4303.271 of the Revised Code, the legislative authority of a municipal corporation may object to the renewal of a permit based upon legal grounds as set forth in division (A) of Revised Code Section 4303.292; and

WHEREAS, the applicant is unfit to continue to engage in the liquor permit business in that he has operated his liquor permit business in a manner that demonstrates a disregard for the laws, regulations or local ordinances of the state, and that this objection is based on other legal grounds as set forth in Revised Code Section 4303.292; and

WHEREAS, this resolution constitutes an emergency measure providing for the immediate preservation of the public peace, prosperity, safety and welfare pursuant to Section 4303.271 of the Ohio Revised Code, objections to renewal of liquor permits shall be made no later than thirty days prior to the expiration date of the permit; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That Council does hereby record its objection to the renewal of a D1, D2, D3, D3A and D6 Liquor Permit, Permit No. 64304330005, owned by 1909 W25, LLC., 1909 & 1917 West 25th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44113, and requests the Director of Liquor Control to set a hearing for said application in accordance with provisions of Section 4303.271 of the Revised Code of Ohio.

Section 2. That the Clerk of Council be and she is hereby directed to transmit two certified copies of this resolution, together with two copies of a letter of objection and two copies of a letter requesting that the hearing be held in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, and a statement by the Director of Law that, in the Director's opinion, that the objection is based upon substantial legal grounds within the meaning and intent of division (A) of Section 4303.292 of the Revised Code to the Director of Liquor Control.

Section 3. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 883-2026**By Council Member:** Starr

An emergency resolution opposing enacted Ohio House Bill 492 based on concerns regarding its potential impact on civil liberties, community trust, racial equity, and the relationship between Cleveland residents and law enforcement; and urging the Ohio General Assembly to review the implementation of House Bill 492 and consider amendments that provide additional protections against unnecessary escalation, discriminatory enforcement, and violations of constitutional rights.

WHEREAS, Cleveland City Council recognizes that protecting public safety and supporting law enforcement are essential responsibilities of government; and

WHEREAS, this Council also recognizes that effective public safety depends upon trust between law enforcement officers and the communities they serve; and

WHEREAS, Governor Mike DeWine signed Ohio House Bill 492 (HB 492) into law on July 7, 2026, which requires drivers—and in specified circumstances, passengers—to provide their name, address, and date of birth to a peace officer upon request during certain lawful traffic-related encounters, and expands penalties related to interfering with certain motor vehicle-related arrests; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cleveland has experienced decades of strained relationships between portions of the community and law enforcement arising from historical inequities, racial disparities in traffic enforcement, and concerns regarding constitutional rights; and

WHEREAS, this Council believes that any expansion of law enforcement authority should be accompanied by strong safeguards protecting constitutional rights, transparency, accountability, and meaningful public oversight; and

WHEREAS, this Council is concerned that implementation of HB 492 may increase the number of interactions between law enforcement and residents during routine traffic stops, creating additional opportunities for misunderstanding, escalation, and unnecessary criminal charges, particularly in communities that already experience disproportionate police contact; and

WHEREAS, residents of Cleveland, particularly in Black and Brown communities, have historically experienced disproportionate traffic stops and enforcement activity, making it essential that any statewide policy be carefully evaluated for unintended disparate impacts; and

WHEREAS, this Council believes that requiring additional identifying information during traffic stops may create confusion among motorists and passengers regarding

their legal rights and responsibilities unless accompanied by robust public education and clear statewide guidance; and

WHEREAS, this Council supports law enforcement officers having effective investigative tools while also supporting policies that reduce unnecessary criminalization of Ohio residents for nonviolent conduct arising during routine traffic stops; and

WHEREAS, this Council urges the State of Ohio to require comprehensive statewide training for all law enforcement agencies regarding constitutional policing, de-escalation, implicit bias, and consistent enforcement of HB 492; and

WHEREAS, this Council encourages Ohio law enforcement agencies to collect and publicly report demographic and geographic data regarding enforcement actions taken pursuant to House Bill 492 to identify potential disparities and promote transparency; and

WHEREAS, this Council calls upon the Ohio Attorney General to issue public guidance clearly explaining the rights and responsibilities of motorists and passengers under House Bill 492 so that residents understand the law and unnecessary conflicts may be avoided; and

WHEREAS, this Council requests that the Ohio General Assembly evaluate the law after one year and issue a public report examining: the number of citations and arrests made pursuant to House Bill 492; demographic information regarding enforcement; geographic distribution of enforcement; any documented racial disparities; complaints arising from enforcement; whether the law measurably improved officer safety; and recommendations for legislative revisions; and

WHEREAS, this resolution constitutes an emergency measure for the immediate preservation of public peace, property, health or safety; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That this Council opposes enacted Ohio House Bill 492 based upon concerns regarding its potential impact on civil liberties, community trust, racial equity, and the relationship between residents and law enforcement; and urges the Ohio General Assembly to review the implementation of House Bill 492 and consider amendments that provide additional protections against unnecessary escalation, discriminatory enforcement, and violations of constitutional rights.

Section 2. That this Council directs the Clerk of Council to transmit copies of this Resolution to Governor Mike DeWine, President of the Ohio Senate, Speaker of the Ohio House of Representatives, Members of the Cleveland Legislative Delegation, members of the Ohio General Assembly, Attorney General Dave Yost, Cuyahoga County Executive Chris Ronayne, City of Cleveland Mayor Justin Bibb, and Director of Public Safety Dornat Drummond.

Section 3. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinances and Resolutions

Second Reading Emergency Ordinances Passed

An ordinance is a City law written and enacted by City Council. Ordinances govern the actions, responsibilities and tax dollars of residents, businesses, organizations, city departments and visitors in Cleveland. Ordinances can be written and passed to address issues about housing, safety, public services, employment, the City budget and economic development. Many ordinances authorize the City to spend money on contracts and projects that support the mission of the City of Cleveland.

Ordinances are effective 30 days after passage. Emergency ordinances take effect immediately upon the Mayor's signature or 10 days after passage.

Under the Charter, legislation cannot be passed until it has been read on three separate days, unless this requirement is dispensed with by a two-thirds vote of the Council. This is known as passing legislation "under suspension." Ordinances may be passed under suspension after either the first or second reading. If not passed under suspension after the first reading, the legislation is then sent to the appropriate City departments for review.

After departmental review, the ordinance is returned to Council for consideration in a public hearing before the appropriate Council Committee(s). Council Members and City departments can recommend changes, or amendments, to the legislation during the hearing process. After the review is complete and any amendments have been made, the legislation is read a second time at a Council meeting. A second reading allows Council Members and the public to hear what changes have been made to the law. Amendments cannot be made after the second reading of the legislation.

These ordinances were read for the second time on Wednesday, July 15, 2026, the rules were suspended, and the legislation was passed by an affirmative two-thirds vote of all members elected to Council.

Click on an ordinance below to read it:

Ord. No. 556-2026	Ord. No. 598-2026
Ord. No. 557-2026	Ord. No. 599-2026
Ord. No. 586-2026	Ord. No. 600-2026
Ord. No. 587-2026	Ord. No. 601-2026
Ord. No. 588-2026	Ord. No. 602-2026
Ord. No. 596-2026	Ord. No. 612-2026

Ord. No. 621-2026	Ord. No. 685-2026
Ord. No. 625-2026	Ord. No. 686-2026
Ord. No. 651-2026	Ord. No. 689-2026
Ord. No. 662-2026	Ord. No. 694-2026
Ord. No. 664-2026	Ord. No. 695-2026
Ord. No. 666-2026	Ord. No. 696-2026
Ord. No. 683-2026	Ord. No. 698-2026
Ord. No. 684-2026	Ord. No. 706-2026

Ordinance No. 556-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Slife, Kazy, Santana and Griffin

An emergency ordinance declaring a moratorium on the review and issuance of zoning permits, certificates of occupancy, and other license or permit applications, including licenses or permits issued by the Department of Public Utilities, for data centers in the City of Cleveland.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Insert the following whereas clause after the existing ninth whereas clause to read as follows:

“WHEREAS, data centers that are a principal use in standalone facilities and buildings may negatively impact residential properties and the availability and use of land for other types of development that better serve the needs of the community; and”.

2. In Section 1, line 2, after “issuance of” insert “all use, building and”; and in line 4, after “Department of Public Utilities,” strike “for data centers for a period commencing on the effective date of this ordinance and ending on either the effective date of an ordinance regulating or prohibiting data centers on May 1, 2027, whichever data occurs first.” and insert “for the expansion of an existing standalone data center or establishment of a data center as a principal use in a standalone facility or building for a period commencing on the effective date of this ordinance and ending on the earlier of: (i) the effective date of an ordinance regulating or prohibiting data centers; or (ii) three (3) months after the effective date of this ordinance, unless extended by Council for an additional three (3) months if Council determines that additional time is needed to further review and determine what action is appropriate for the City.”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 14. Nays 1.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife.

Voting Nay: Starr.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 557-2026**By:** Mayor Bibb

An emergency ordinance creating a designated outdoor refreshment area and establishing requirements to ensure public health and safety within such area; and declaring the same to be an emergency.

Approved by the Directors of Public Safety; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Safety; Development, Planning & Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 586-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend the title and Sections 1, 2, and 3 of Ordinance No. 325-2025, passed May 12, 2025; and to supplement the ordinance by adding new Section 1a relating to the Oracle Customer Care and Billing system.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, at amended Section 2, at the end, insert “The Director of Public Utilities shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council and the Utilities Committee Chair whenever any purchase is made under this section, which notice shall include the details of any such cooperative purchases.”.
2. In Section 1, at amended Section 3, line 1, after “contracts” insert “shall not exceed Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) and”; and in line 2, strike “and shall be charged against the proper appropriation accounts”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 587-2026

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Section 523.25 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 1662-09, passed December 7, 2009, relating to Interconnection Service for Distributed Generation.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 588-2026

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Section 523.26 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 1662-09, passed December 7, 2009, relating to net metering service.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 596-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to exercise the first option to renew Contract No. CT 2002 PS 2024-0299 with One Call Concepts Utility Locating Service, Inc., to provide professional services necessary for utility locating and marking underground infrastructures and other related services, for the various Divisions of the Department of Public Utilities.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, line 2, after “year” insert “, not to exceed Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00).”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 598-2026

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to exercise the second option to renew Contract No. CT 2002-PS 2024-277 with Kyndryl, Inc., to provide professional services for hosting and hosting support of the Oracle Customer Care and Billing System.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 599-2026

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more requirement contracts without competitive bidding with Hach Company, to provide laboratory equipment, supplies, and services for operation, calibration, preventive maintenance, appropriate repairs and to certify accuracy of laboratory and in-line process equipment used to test drinking water that is manufactured by the Hach Company, for the Division of Water, Department of Public Utilities, for a term of two years.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 600-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more contracts with ST Engineering Telematics Wireless Ltd, for the hosting and technical support required to manage the Bright City lighting system, including cloud migration, remote control, and monitoring for the Division of Cleveland Public Power, Department of Public Utilities, for a period of three years.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 2, at the end, insert “The Director of Public Utilities shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council whenever any purchase is made through the cooperative process, which notice shall include the details of such cooperative purchases.”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 601-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance determining the method of making the public improvement of constructing a new pump station and ground level tank at the Pleasant Valley Road Station and demolishing and removing the existing station and tank; authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more public improvement contracts to construct the improvement; authorizing the Director to employ one or more professional consultants necessary for the improvement; acquiring, accepting, and recording necessary rights-of-way; and authorizing the Director of Public Utilities and/or Director of Finance to apply for and accept one or more Water Supply Revolving Loan Account loans, grants, and other funding.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, line 4, after “(the “Improvement”),” insert “at an estimated cost not to exceed Twenty-Five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000.00)”.
2. In Section 5, at the end, insert “The Director of Public Utilities shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council and the Utilities Committee Chair whenever any purchase is made under this section, which notice shall include the details of any such cooperative purchases.”.
3. In Section 12, starting in line 6, strike “~~and from other funds approved by the Director of Finance~~”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 602-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance determining the method of making the public improvement of inspecting, repairing, renewing, and/or replacing transmission water mains, valves, and appurtenances, and making corrosion control inspections and improvements as part of the transmission water main renewal and corrosion prevention and control program from 2027 through 2031; authorizing one or more professional consultants for the improvements; and to apply for and accept additional funding.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, line 6, after “(the “Improvement”),” insert “at an estimated cost not to exceed Twenty-Five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000.00)”.
2. In Section 5, at the end, insert “The Director of Public Utilities shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council and the Utilities Committee Chair whenever any purchase is made under this section, which notice shall include the details of any such cooperative purchases.”.
3. In Section 10, starting in line 6, strike “, and from other funds approved by the Director of Finance”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 612-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more requirement contracts without competitive bidding with ST Engineering Telematics Wireless LTD, for proprietary adaptive control photocells needed for LED streetlights and security lighting fixtures, for the Division of Cleveland Public Power, Department of Public Utilities, for a term of two years.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, after “Public Utilities” insert “, at an estimated cost not to exceed One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00)”.
2. In Section 2, line 2, strike “the proper appropriation accounts” and insert “Fund No. 58 SF 001”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 621-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to enact new Section 523.252 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, relating to interconnection into the Division of Cleveland Public Power's electric system by qualifying facilities, eligible large commercial customers, and eligible large industrial customers; and authorizing related agreements.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In new Section 523.252, at division (c)(1) A., in the fourth paragraph, at the end, and at division (c)(1) B., in the second paragraph, at the end, insert "The Director of Public Utilities shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council and the Utilities Committee Chair whenever any purchase is made under this section, which notice shall include the details of any such cooperative purchases." in both places.
2. In new Section 523.252, after division (c)(1) C., insert new division (c)(1) D. to read as follows:

"(D) Prior to entering into any contracts authorized under this section, the Director of Public Utilities shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council, which notice shall include the details of such contract."
3. In new Section 523.252, at division (c)(2), in the last paragraph, line 2, after "accepted" insert "and matching funds appropriated".

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 625-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Kazy and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the purchase by one or more requirement contracts of labor and materials needed to repair, maintain, or replace water mains, fire hydrants, service connections, valves and appurtenances, including tree lawn restoration and other repairs, for the Division of Water; one or more requirement contracts for labor and materials needed for pavement restoration, including installation, for the Divisions of Water, Water Pollution Control, and Cleveland Public Power, Department of Public Utilities, for a period up to two years; and to apply for and accept any loans or grants from any public or private entity.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, line 9, strike “as purchased during the preceding term” and insert “of Thirty Million Dollars (\$30,000,000.00) per year”.
2. In Section 2, at the end, insert “The Director of Public Utilities shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council and the Utilities Committee Chair whenever any purchase is made under this section, which notice shall include the details of any such cooperative purchases.”.
3. In Section 10, line 9, strike “, and from other funds approved by the Director of Finance”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Utilities; Finance; and Law; Committees on Utilities; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 651-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Polensek and Griffin

An emergency ordinance to amend Section 181.102 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 1183-18, passed October 1, 2018, relating to software-related purchases.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In the first whereas clause, line 1, after “181.102” insert “(“Section 181.102”)”; in the second whereas clause, line 2, strike “\$150,000” and insert “\$250,000.00” and also add an additional whereas clause to read as follows:

“WHEREAS, this Council wants thirty (30) days written notice before any resolution may be heard by the Board of Control for acquisition of licenses, software systems, support, or services costing \$250,000.00 or less to be made under Section 181.102; and”.
2. In Section 1, at amended Section 181.102(a), lines 2 and 3, strike “director of the department for which the software was acquired or the ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology” and insert “Director of Port Control or the Director of Public Utilities for software acquired for their respective departments, or the Director of Innovation and Technology for software acquired for all other City departments, offices, and boards or commissions,”; and in line 9, strike “one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00).” and insert “two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00).”.
3. In Section 1, at amended Section 181.102(b), beginning in line 1, strike “, the director of the department for which the software was acquired or the ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology” and insert “the Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes”; in line 8, after “provided that the” insert “estimated”; in line 9, strike “one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00).” and insert “two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00).”; in line 10, strike “developers or vendors” and insert “developer(s) or vendor(s)”; beginning in line 11, strike “director of the department for which the software was acquired or the ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology” and insert “Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes”; and in lines 14, 15, and 16 strike “director of the department for which the software was acquired or the ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology for the purpose of compiling the lists.” and insert “Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes, for the purpose of compiling the lists.”.

4. In Section 1, at amended Section 181.102(c), beginning in line 2, strike “director of the department for which the system was acquired or the ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology” and insert “Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes”; and beginning in line 5, strike “, provided that amount per agreement year on any individual agreement shall not exceed one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00).” and insert “, provided that the estimated amount per contract year on any individual contract shall not exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00).”.
5. In Section 1, at amended Section 181.102(d), beginning in line 3, strike “director of the department for which the software is acquired or the ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology” and insert “Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes”; in line 6, strike “professional services necessary to perform as-needed services” and insert “the professional services necessary”; in line 10, after “provided that the” insert “estimated”; and in line 11, strike “one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00).” and insert “two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00).”.
6. In Section 1, at amended Section 181.102(e), line 2, strike “license” and insert “license(s)”, and beginning in line 4, strike “the director of the department for which the purchase is made or the ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology, and certified by the Director of Finance.” and insert “the Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes, approved by the Director of Law, and certified by the Director of Finance.”.
7. In Section 1, at amended Section 181.102(f), in line 1, strike “new” and insert “licenses.”; and in line 3, strike “~~Director of Innovation and Technology~~” and insert “Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes.”.
8. In Section 1, at amended Section 181.102(g), lines 3 and 4, strike “The ~~Director of Finance~~ Director of Innovation and Technology may sign all documents that are” and insert “The Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as division (a) above prescribes, may execute all documents”; in the same line, strike the comma after “purchases”.
9. In Section 1, after amended Section 181.102(g), add the following new division (h) to read as follows:

“(h) That the Director of Port Control, the Director of Public Utilities, or the Director of Innovation and Technology, as appropriate, shall notify Council, through its Clerk and appropriate Committee Chair, thirty (30) days before any resolution may be heard by the Board of Control for acquisition of licenses, software systems, support, or services costing \$250,000.00 or less to be made

under this section. Such notice shall include the name of the software developer or vendor, a summary description of the acquisition, and its cost.”.

Approved by the Directors of Finance; and Law; Committees on Safety; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion,

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 14. Nays 1.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Kazy.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 662-2026

By Council Members: Davis, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to acquire and re-convey properties presently owned by Starling Stone LLC, and/or its designee, located at 401 Stones Levee for the purpose of entering into the chain-of-title prior to the adoption of tax increment financing legislation authorized under Section 5709.41 of the Revised Code for the Bedrock/Rock Entertainment Amphitheatre Project.

Approved by the Directors of Development; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 664-2026 AS AMENDED

By: Mayor Bibb

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Directors of Law and Port Control to enter into a first amendment to Settlement Agreement between the Cities of Brook Park and Cleveland relating to the International Exposition Center and the Emerald Park Joint Economic Development Zone and establishing a Special Revenue Fund.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In the title, line 7, after “Zone” insert “and to execute all necessary documents related thereto; authorizing the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to convey the real property under the first amendment;”.
2. Insert a new Section 3 to read as follows:

“Section 3. That, notwithstanding any other ordinance or Codified Ordinance to the contrary and by and at the direction of the Board of Control, the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies is authorized to convey by official deed(s) executed by the Mayor the real property described in the First Amendment which is no longer needed for the City’s public use; and that the Mayor, Directors of Port Control and Law, and other appropriate City officials, as appropriate, are authorized to execute any other documents and certificates, and take any other actions which may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate the First Amendment.”
3. Renumber existing Sections 3 and 4 to new “Section 4” and “Section 5”.

Approved by the Directors of City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Transportation and Mobility; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 12. Nays 3.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Hudson, Jones, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Howse-Jones, Kazy, Polensek.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 666-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Bishop, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance determining the method of making the public improvement of designing, constructing, rehabilitating, renovating, replacing or otherwise improving certain areas of Cleveland City Hall and Public Auditorium; authorizing the Director of Capital Projects and/or Public Works, as appropriate, to enter into one or more public improvement contracts for the making of the improvements; enter into one or more professional services and other contracts needed to implement the improvements; to apply for and accept grants and gifts; and authorizing the direct employment of the necessary labor, for the Office of Capital Projects and/or the Department of Public Works.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, line 5, after "\$5,900,000.00" insert "as described in File No. 666-2026-A incorporated into this ordinance.".
2. In Section 2, at the end, insert "The Director of Capital Projects shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council whenever any purchase is made through the cooperative process, which notice shall include the details of such cooperative purchases.".
3. In Section 9, line 6, strike "and shall also be charged against the proper appropriation accounts,".

Approved by the Directors of Parks and Recreation; Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 14. Nays 1.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Harsh.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 683-2026 AS AMENDED

By: Mayor Bibb

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Safety to enter into one or more contracts with Flock Group, Inc. dba Flock Safety for the acquisition and or renewal of the annual license and the professional services of maintenance for the Flock Safety Automated License Plate Reader Solution for the Division of Police, Department of Public Safety, for a period of one year.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In the title, line 9 and in Section 1, line 6, strike “one year” and insert “six (6) months” in both places; and in Section 1, line 6, strike “\$250,000” and insert “\$125,000”.
2. Insert new Section 2 to read as follows:

“Section 2. Flock Safety shall not sell, share, publish or exchange any data obtained through the Flock Safety Automated License Plate Reader Solution contract (“ALPR contract”) authorized by this ordinance for any purpose other than law enforcement purposes.

Flock Safety shall not access, use, preserve or disclose any data obtained through the ALPR contract to any third-party government authority or other third party except pursuant to a valid search warrant issued by a court of competent jurisdiction upon a finding of probable cause and describing with particularity the data to be produced. Flock shall not disclose data obtained through the ALPR contract in response to subpoenas, administrative requests, informal inquiries, preservation letters, national security letters or any other legal process that does not constitute a search warrant unless required by applicable law. Any disclosure is strictly limited to the data identified in the warrant and shall be produced only to the requesting law enforcement authority named in the warrant. Flock shall not voluntarily disclose data based solely on a good faith belief, contractual enforcement interests, investigatory convenience, or generalized public safety concerns. Unless legally prohibited Flock shall provide prompt written notice to the Director of Public Safety prior to disclosure and shall afford the Director a reasonable opportunity to seek protective relief. Flock shall further use commercially reasonable efforts to narrow, resist, quash or otherwise challenge any legal process that exceeds the permissible scope set forth above. Any violation of this provision shall constitute a material breach of the contract authorized by this ordinance.

The contract between the City and Flock Safety shall include a financial penalty of up to 25% of the amount of the contract for violation of privacy and data sharing

provisions.

The Division of Police shall establish and maintain a Transparency Portal, an online webpage by which the public may access information about the Division of Police's use of ALPRs.

The Division of Police shall not share data derived or downloaded from the City's Flock Safety cameras with the Northeast Ohio Regional Fusion Center under the contract authorized by this ordinance."

3. In Section 2, at the end, insert "The Director of Public Safety shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council whenever any purchase is made through the cooperative process, which notice shall include the details of such cooperative purchases. The Safety Director shall submit a written report quarterly to the Clerk and the Safety Committee on the use and monitoring of the ALPR system.".
4. Renumber existing Sections 2, 3 and 4 to new "Section 3.", "Section 4." and "Section 5.".

Approved by the Directors of Public Safety; Finance; and Law; Committees on Safety; Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 9. Nays 6.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Gray, Griffin, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Davis, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Santana, Shah.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 684-2026

By Council Members: Polensek and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant from the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance for the FY 2025 Byrne Justice Assistance Grant: Local Solicitation; and authorizing one or more contracts with Cuyahoga County and the cities of Euclid, Parma, Cleveland Heights, East Cleveland, Maple Heights and Garfield Heights needed to implement the grant.

Approved by the Directors of Public Safety; Finance; and Law; Committees on Safety; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 685-2026

By Council Members: Bishop and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to supplement the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, by enacting new Section 131.87, relating to loaned artwork public displays for exhibition in City Hall administered by the Department of Public Works.

Approved by the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 686-2026

By Council Members: Starr, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to acquire and re-convey properties presently owned by East9th Scarlet, LLC, and/or its designee, located at 2060 East 9th Street for the purpose of entering into the chain-of title prior to the adoption of tax increment financing legislation authorized under Section 5709.41 of the Revised Code for the Project Scarlet.

Approved by the Directors of Development; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 13. Nays 2.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Polensek, Santana, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Kazy, Shah.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 689-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Member: Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Finance to enter into one or more contracts with PFM Financial Advisors LLC for as-needed financial advisory and consulting services, for the Department of Finance, for a period of one year, with two one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Finance.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 2, at the end, insert “The Director of Finance shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council whenever any purchase is made through the cooperative process, which notice shall include the details of such cooperative purchases.”.

Approved by the Directors of Finance; and Law; Committee on Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 694-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Bishop and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation to employ one or more tree brokers to provide wholesale tree supply services, for the Division of Urban Forestry, Department of Parks and Recreation, for a period of two years, with two one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Parks and Recreation.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 2, at the end, insert “The Director of Parks and Recreation shall provide written notice to the Clerk of Council whenever any purchase is made through the cooperative process, which notice shall include the details of such cooperative purchases.”.
2. In Section 3, line 1, after “authorized” insert “shall not exceed \$430,000 and”; and in line 2, strike “; and from any other funds deemed appropriate by the Director of Finance”.

Approved by the Directors of Parks and Recreation; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 695-2026

By Council Members: Howse-Jones, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Development to enter into a Tax Increment Financing Agreement with RJL 2230 SA Holding LLC, and/or its designee, to assist with the financing of the Heller Keller-Kohn Project to be located at 2230 Superior Ave; to provide for payments to the Cleveland Metropolitan School District; and to declare certain improvements to real property to be a public purpose.

Approved by the Directors of Development; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 13. Nays 2.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Polensek, Santana, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Kazy, Shah.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 696-2026

By Council Members: Howse-Jones, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Development to enter into a Tax Increment Financing Agreement with 2202 Superior LLC, and/or its designee, to assist with the financing of the Heller Keller-Kohn Project to be located 2202 Superior Avenue; to provide for payments to the Cleveland Metropolitan School District; and to declare certain improvements to real property to be a public purpose.

Approved by the Directors of Development; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 13. Nays 2.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Polensek, Santana, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: Kazy, Shah.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 698-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Polensek and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Sections 405.01, 405.03, 405.06, 405.08, 405.10 and 405.11 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by various ordinances; to supplement the codified ordinances by enacting new Section 405.14; and to repeal Sections 405.05, 405.09, and 405.12, all relating to vehicle impoundment and towing operations administered by the Department of Public Safety.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In the second WHEREAS clause, line 3, strike “405.13” and insert “405.14”.
2. In Section 1, at amended Section 405.03(c), line 3, before “in their possession” insert “no longer”.
3. In Section 1, at amended Section 405.06(a)(2), line 2, strike “fifty seventy-five” and insert “fifty”; and in line 3, strike “50.0075.00” and insert “50.00”.

Approved by the Directors of Public Safety; Finance; and Law; Committees on Safety; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinance No. 706-2026

By Council Member: Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Human Resources to employ one or more professional consultants, software developers or vendors to develop, implement and/or acquire software solutions or licenses necessary to develop and implement a Lifestyle Spending Account Program, for the Department of Human Resources, for a period of one year, with two one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Human Resources.

Approved by the Directors of Finance; and Law; Committee on Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Passed. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Ordinances and Resolutions

Second Reading Emergency Resolutions Adopted

A resolution is an informal enactment stating a decision or expressing the opinion of Council regarding a particular item of business, an event, issue or person. Resolutions are used by Council to recognize dignitaries and community members and their accomplishments.

Resolutions are effective 30 days after adoption. Emergency resolutions take effect immediately upon the Mayor's signature or 10 days after adoption.

Typically, legislation cannot be adopted until it has been read on three separate days. However, this requirement is dispensed with a two-thirds vote by the Council, placing the legislation "under suspension." Once under suspension, the legislation can be adopted after the second reading.

These resolutions were read for the second time on Wednesday, July 15, 2026, the rules were suspended, and the legislation was adopted by an affirmative two-thirds vote of all members elected to Council.

Click on a resolution below to read it:

[Res. No. 457-2026](#)

[Res. No. 708-2026](#)

[Res. No. 713-2026](#)

[Res. No. 733-2026](#)

Resolution No. 457-2026

By Council Members: Shah, Bishop, Polensek and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency resolution declaring the necessity and intention to appropriate property for the public use of constructing new Fire Station No. 23 for the Division of Fire, located at 10022 Madison Avenue.

Approved by the Directors of Capital Projects; Public Safety; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; Development, Planning and Sustainability; Safety; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 708-2026 AS AMENDED

By Council Members: Howse-Jones, Santana and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency resolution appointing an Assessment Equalization Board to hear objections to estimated assessments with respect to the creation of the Cleveland Superior Arts Improvement District in the City and the initial plan for public services for the District; and declaring an emergency.

THERE IS NO LEGAL OBJECTION TO THIS LEGISLATION IF AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In Section 1, line 1, after “That” insert “Michelle Felder, Cigornai Sapp, and Jeffrey Weston Sleasman,”; and strike “shall be” and insert “, and Karen Gabriel Moss and Elise Yablonsky, two alternate disinterested freeholders of the City, are”

Approved by the Directors of City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 713-2026

By Council Members: Davis, Bishop and Santana (by departmental request)

An emergency resolution declaring the intent to vacate a portion of Carter Road.

Approved by the Directors of Capital Projects; City Planning Commission; Finance; and Law; Committees on Municipal Services and Properties; and Development, Planning and Sustainability.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.

The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Read second time.

Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.

Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.

Voting Nay: None.

Absent: None.

Resolution No. 733-2026**By Council Member:** Davis**An emergency resolution supporting the West Creek Conservancy's Clean Ohio Green Space FY27 Grant application to the Ohio Public Works Commission for the Irishtown Bend Restoration Phase II Project.**

Approved by the Director of Law; Committee on Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Motion by Council Member Gray to suspend the rules, Charter, and statutory provisions and place on final passage. Seconded by Council Member Harsh.**The rules were suspended. Yeas 15. Nays 0.****Read second time.****Read third time in full. Adopted. Yeas 15. Nays 0.****Voting Yea: Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Griffin, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr.****Voting Nay: None.****Absent: None.**

Official Proceedings Adjournment City Council

Cleveland, Ohio
Wednesday, July 15, 2026

MOTION

No absences.

MOTION

The Council Meeting adjourned at 8:36 p.m. to meet at the call of the chair. The next Council meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, August 19, 2026, in the Council Chamber and will start immediately after Committee of the Whole meeting which begins at 9:00 a.m.

*Patricia J. Britt
Clerk of Council*

Council Committee Meetings

Wednesday, July 15, 2026

9:30 a.m.

Committee of the Whole

Present: Griffin, Chair; Bishop, Conwell, Davis, Gray, Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah, Slife, Starr

Schedule of the Board of Zoning Appeals

Monday, July 27, 2026

Under the conditions specified by law, the Board of Zoning Appeals will be conducting a hybrid in-person and virtual hearing using the WebEx Platform. IF YOU WISH TO PARTICIPATE AND OR GIVE TESTIMONY THROUGH WEBEX, contact the Board of Zoning Appeals office and request the link at 216-664-2580 by noon on July 22, 2026. You can also email us at boardofzoningappeals@clevelandohio.gov.

The in-person hearing will be held in Room 514 in City Hall. Bring proper ID to enter the building.

Those individuals not planning to attend are encouraged to view one of the live streams:

<http://www.clevelandohio.gov/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/CityPlanningCommission/ZoningAppeals>

Or <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCB8ql0JrhmpYIR1OLY68bw/>

9:30

**Calendar No. 26-074: 10524 Mountview Avenue
Ward 3 – Deborah Gray**

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1. Section 337.02, which states that a two-family residence is not permitted in a One-Family Residential District, but is first allowed in a Two-Family District per division (a) of Section 337.03.
2. Division (b) of Section 355.05, which states that the maximum gross floor area shall not exceed 50 percent of lot size, or in this case, 2,200 square feet; the appellant is proposing 2,640 square feet.
3. Division (b)(2)(B) of Section 357.09, which states that the minimum required interior side yard permitted is 1/2 height of the main building, or a minimum of 10 feet.
4. Division (b) of Section 341.02, which states that the City Planning Commission approval is required.

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9:30**Calendar No. 26-076: 10605 Mountview Avenue****Ward 3 – Deborah Gray**

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9:30**Calendar No. 26-077: 10609 Mountview Avenue****Ward 3 – Deborah Gray**

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3. Division (b)(2)(B) of Section 357.09, which states that the minimum required interior side yard permitted is ½ height of the main building, or a minimum of 10 feet.
4. Division (b) of Section 341.02, which states that the City Planning Commission approval is required.

9:30**Calendar No. 26-078: 10613 Mountview Avenue****Ward 3 – Deborah Gray**

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4. Division (b) of Section 341.02, which states that the City Planning Commission approval is required.

9:30**Calendar No. 26-079: 5919 Hosmer Avenue****Ward 2 – Kevin Bishop**

Pratt Properties LLC., owner, and Tierra Hayes, tenant, propose to establish use as a Type “B” Daycare in a B1 Two-Family Residential District. The owner appeals for relief from the strict application of the following sections of the Cleveland Codified Ordinances:

1. Division (g)(C) of Section 337.02, which states that in a Two-Family District, by reference, per division (g)(3)(C) of Section 337.02, a daycare use is permitted if located not less than thirty (30) feet from any adjoining premises in a Residence District not used for a similar purpose, and subject to the review and approval of the Board of Zoning Appeals. The proposed daycare abuts a Two-Family District on both sides.

Note: The Board denied a request for a Type “A” Daycare at this location in Calendar Number 26-028; the appellant has changed plans to care for less children.

**Reversed and Remanded Back to the Board
from the Court of Common Pleas**

9:30**Calendar No. 24-089: 4843 Wendell Avenue****Ward 3 – Deborah Gray**

Shelter The People Cleveland, owner, proposes to establish use as a church, nonprofit charitable offices and assembly space in a B1 Two-Family Residential District. The owner appeals for relief from the strict application of the following sections of the Cleveland Codified Ordinances:

1. Division (b) of Section 337.03, which states a Two-Family Residential District allows uses as regulated in a One-Family Residential District.
2. Division (f)(1) of Section 337.02, which states that churches and other places of worship must be at least 15 feet away from other premises in a Residential District. Proposed use is less than 15 feet away from adjoining premises.
3. Division (3)(g) of Section 337.02, which states that charitable institutions, not for correctional purposes, must be at least 30 feet away from other premises in a Residential District. Proposed use is less than 30 feet away from other premises in a Residential District.
4. Division (e) of Section 349.04, which states accessory off-street parking spaces for places of worship and assembly uses require 1 space per 6 seats. No parking is provided on site.

5. Division (a) of Section 359.02, which states that a nonconforming use of a building or premises, which has been discontinued, shall not thereafter be returned to such nonconforming use.

The Court of Common Pleas reversed and remanded the Board's decision in Case Number CV-24-107470 on December 22, 2025. Judge Richard A. Bell concluded that "The Board of Zoning Appeals is to correctly apply sections 337.02(f)(1), 337.02(3)(g) and 337.03(b), in that churches and charitable institutions are permissible uses at the property provided that the structures on the property comply with setback restrictions or an area variance is approved. The Board of Zoning Appeals is instructed to conduct a new hearing and to consider the evidence already presented under the appropriate standard using the criteria outlined in Duncan."

Report of the Board of Zoning Appeals

Monday, July 13, 2026

At the meeting of the Board of Zoning Appeals on Monday, July 13, 2026, the following appeals were scheduled for hearing before the Board and;

The following appeals were **APPROVED**:

Calendar No. 26-058: 1127 Parkwood Drive

Jarain Jenkins, owner, proposes to expand use from a five (5) person Residential Facility to an eight (8) person Residential Facility in a B1 Two-Family Residential District.

Calendar No. 26-067: 4214 Apple Avenue

Derek Maxfield, owner, proposes to install 80 linear feet of 6-foot-high semi-privacy wood fence and gates in the actual side street yard and rear yard and 15 linear feet of 4-foot-high semi-privacy wood fence in the actual side street yard in a B1 Two-Family Residential District.

Calendar No. 26-068: 2661 East 126th Street

Rory Flynn, owner, proposes to change use from two-family to three-family in a B1 Two-Family Residential District.

Calendar No. 26-069: 3368 East 113th Street

South Shore Homes, Inc., owner, proposes to expand from a 9-occupant Residential Care Facility to a 16-occupant Residential Care Facility in a B1 Two-Family Residential District.

The following appeals were **DENIED**: **None.**

The following appeals were **DISMISSED**: **None.**

The following cases were **REMANDED**: **None.**

The following case was **WITHDRAWN**:

Calendar No. 26-050: 11709 Lorain Avenue

May Morscher, owner, and Anew Behavior Health LLC., propose to change use from office to mental health center in a Local Retail Business Zoning District.

The following cases were **POSTPONED**:

Calendar No. 25-239: 1051 West 10th Street/Blue Train Inc.

Appealing the Decision of the Department of Public Safety
Postponed to October 19, 2026.

The following cases were heard by the Board of Zoning Appeals on Monday, July 6, 2026, and the decisions were adopted and approved on Monday, July 13, 2026:

The following appeals were Approved:

Calendar No. 26-063: 1431 West 57th Street

Smyrna Church of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, owner, proposes to erect a new 5,856-square-foot place of worship and attached parking lot.

Calendar No. 26-064: 1508 East 118th Street

Justin Crasi, owner, proposes to change use from two-family dwelling to three-family dwelling in a B1 Two-Family Residential District.

Calendar No. 26-065: 2622 West 11th Street

Mangione and Son LLC, owner, proposes to erect a new 1,765-square-foot single-family home and new 410-square-foot garage in rear in a B1 Two-Family Residential District.

The following appeals were Denied: None.

Public Notice

The City Planning Commission will hear the following conditional use at its meeting:

**Friday, July 24, 2026
9:15 a.m.**

Wireless Telecommunications Facility

Project Address: 3175 East 81st Street

Ward 5: Council Member Richard Starr

Statistical Planning Area (SPA): Kinsman

Approvals Needed Per Section 354.04 (a) (1-2)

Nonconforming Billboard

Project Address: 10131 Elk Avenue

Ward 8: Council Member Stephanie Howse-Jones

Statistical Planning Area (SPA): Glenville

Approvals Needed Per Section 350.10 (k) & (l) (1-5)

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Nikki Hudson	11
Tanmay Shah	12
Brian Kazy	13
Jasmin Santana	14
Charles Slife	15

Permanent Schedule – Standing Committees of the Council 2026-2029

MONDAY – Alternating

9:30 a.m. – **Health, Human Services and the Arts Committee:** Conwell (CHAIR), Davis (VICE-CHAIR), Harsh, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Shah.

9:30 a.m. – **Municipal Services and Properties Committee:** Bishop (CHAIR), Harsh (VICE-CHAIR), Gray, Hudson, Kazy, Shah, Starr.

MONDAY

2:00 p.m. – **Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee:** Griffin (CHAIR), Santana (VICE-CHAIR), Bishop, Conwell, Harsh, Kazy, Polensek, Slife, Starr.

TUESDAY

9:30 a.m. – **Development, Planning and Sustainability Committee:** Santana (CHAIR), Harsh (VICE-CHAIR), Bishop, Davis, Gray, Slife, Starr.

1:30 p.m. – **Workforce, Education, Training and Youth Development Committee:** Starr (CHAIR), Howse-Jones (VICE-CHAIR), Gray, Harsh, Hudson, Jones, Shah.

WEDNESDAY – Alternating

10:00 a.m. – **Safety Committee:** Polensek (CHAIR), Starr (VICE-CHAIR), Conwell, Howse-Jones, Hudson, Jones, Slife.

10:00 a.m. – **Transportation and Mobility Committee:** Slife (CHAIR), Jones (VICE-CHAIR), Bishop, Davis, Gray, Kazy, Starr.

THURSDAY

10:00 a.m. – **Utilities Committee:** Kazy (CHAIR), Gray (VICE-CHAIR), Davis, Conwell, Hudson, Polensek, Shah.

The following Committees meet at the Call of the Chair:

Mayor's Appointments Committee: Howse-Jones (CHAIR), Kazy, Polensek, Santana, Shah.

Operations Committee: Harsh (CHAIR), Conwell, Griffin, Howse-Jones, Polensek.

Rules Committee: Griffin (CHAIR), Hudson, Polensek, Santana, Slife.

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Sherry Ulery, Interim Chief of Youth and Family Success

Martin J. Keane, Interim Chief Operating Officer

Elizabeth Crowe, Chief Innovation and Technology Officer

AGING – Mary McNamara, Director

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Carmella Davis, Secretary

BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS –

Elizabeth Kukla, Secretary

BUILDING AND HOUSING –

Sally Martin O'Toole, Director

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Navid Hussain, Commissioner, Construction Permitting

_____, Assistant Commissioner, Construction Permitting

Taiseer Hamdaliah, Commissioner, Code Enforcement

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION – Calley Mersmann, Director

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION – Rachon Long, Executive Director**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT** – Arin Miller-Tait, Director**Bureaus:**

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Community Programming – VACANCY

Residential Improvement - Dannettee Davis, Chief

Enterprise Operations - Jeff Kucharski, Chief

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Assessments and Licenses – Dedrick Stephens, Commissioner

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Internal Audit – Natasha Brandt, Manager

Printing and Reproduction – Michael Hewett, Commissioner

Purchases and Supplies – Tiffany White Johnson, Commissioner

Sinking Fund Commission – Betsy Hruby, Manager

Taxation – Kevin Preslan, Commissioner and Income Tax Administrator

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HUMAN RESOURCES – Matthew J. Cole, Director

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Kimberly Roy Wilson, Director

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Stephanie K. Melnyk, Chief Corporate Counsel

Elena Boop, Chief Trial Counsel

Aqueelah Jordan, Chief Prosecutor

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Mayor’s Office – TV20 – Janelle Bass Hawthorne

MAYOR’S OFFICE OF URBAN ANALYTICS AND INNOVATION – Renee Raffalli, Director

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Neighborhood Resource and Recreation Centers – Samuel Gissentaner,
Commissioner

Park Maintenance and Properties – Toi Porch, Interim Commissioner

Parking Facilities – Kim Johnson, Commissioner

Property Management – Erik Turk, Interim Commissioner

Streets – Randell Scott, Commissioner

Traffic Engineering – Robert Mavec, Commissioner

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Judge Marilyn B. Cassidy	13-A
Judge Mark R. Majer	12-B
Judge Lauren C. Moore	15-A
Judge Andrea Nelson Moore	12-A
Judge Michael L. Nelson, Sr.	15-C
Judge Ann Clare Oakar	14-A
Judge Charles L. Patton, Jr.	14-B
Housing Court Judge W. Moná Scott	13-B
Judge Suzan M. Sweeney	12-C
Judge Jazmin Torres-Lugo	13-C
Judge Shiela Turner McCall	13-D
Judge Joseph J. Zone	14-D

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Dean Jenkins – Chief Probation Officer

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<http://planning.city.cleveland.oh.us/bza/bbs.html>

Board of Zoning Appeals

<http://planning.city.cleveland.oh.us/bza/cpc.html>

City Bids

Invitations to Bid

<http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/Finance/BID>

Requests for Proposals/Requests for Qualifications

<http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/Finance/RFP>

Cleveland Water

<http://www.clevelandwater.com/work-with-us/invitations-to-bid>

Water Pollution Control

http://wpc.clevelandwater.com/?page_id=3342

Cleveland Airports

<https://www.clevelandairport.com/about-us/business-cle/bids-rfps>

City Jobs

<http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/HumanResources>

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/cleveland>

City of Cleveland

<http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/>

City of Cleveland Charter and Codified Ordinances

<https://codelibrary.amlegal.com/codes/cleveland/latest/overview>

Civil Service Commission

<http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/CivilServiceCommission>

Cleveland City Council

<http://www.clevelandcitycouncil.org/>

Cleveland Courts

Cleveland Municipal Court

<http://clevelandmunicipalcourt.org/home.html>

Clerk of Courts – Cleveland Municipal Court

<https://clevelandmunicipalcourt.org/clerk-of-courts>

Cleveland Housing Court

<http://clevelandhousingcourt.org/>