

Ordinance No. 672-2023

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

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of Finance to enter into one or more contracts with various entities and individuals to implement a citywide program for designed to grow local workforce pipelines in key industries – specifically with respect to training historically underrepresented and marginalized workers; accepting gifts or grants for this purpose; and repeal Ordinance No. 86-2023, passed January 30, 2023, relating to agreements with Ohio Means Jobs Cleveland – Cuyahoga County.

WHEREAS, under Ordinance No. 86-2023, passed January 30, 2023, this Council authorized one or more subgrant agreements with Ohio Means Jobs Cleveland – Cuyahoga County (“OMJ|CC”) to implement a citywide program for designed to grow local workforce pipelines in key industries – specifically with respect to training historically underrepresented and marginalized workers; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to administer the contracts needed to implement this ordinance; 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 That Ordinance No. 86-2023, passed January 30, 2023, is repealed.

Section 2. That the Director of Finance is authorized to enter into one or more contracts with ACE Mentor Program of Cleveland, Cleveland Builds, Inc., Neighborhood Progress, Inc. dba Cleveland Neighborhood Progress, Contractor Assistance Association, Cuyahoga Community College, Greater Cleveland Partnership, Hard Hatted Women, Ohio Means Jobs Cleveland – Cuyahoga County, Rid-All Foundation, Inc., Spanish American Committee for a Better Community, Towards Employment, Incorporated, United Labor Agency, Inc., Urban League of Greater Cleveland, Inc., Youth Opportunities Unlimited and other various entities and individuals to implement a citywide program designed to grow local workforce pipelines in key industries – specifically with respect to training historically underrepresented and marginalized workers.

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Section 3. That the Director of Finance is authorized to apply for and accept any gifts or grants to implement this ordinance from any public or private entity; and that the Director is authorized to file all papers and execute all documents necessary to receive such funds; and that the funds are appropriated for the purposes described in this ordinance.

Section 4. That the agreements shall be prepared by the Director of Law.

Section 5. That the Director of Finance shall provide all members of Council a quarterly report concerning the effectiveness of this program.

Section 6. That the cost of this ordinance shall not exceed \$10,000,000 and shall be paid from Fund No. 10 SF 400, and from the fund or funds to which are credited any gifts or grants accepted under this ordinance, and from other funds approved by the Director of Finance.

Section 7. 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.

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5-22-2023
FOR: Director Abonamah

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