



# CITY OF CLEVELAND

Mayor Justin M. Bibb

## PUBLIC SAFETY

Ord. No. 631-2024

June 3, 2024

The Honorable Blaine A. Griffin  
President, Cleveland City Council  
601 Lakeside Avenue, Room 216  
Cleveland, OH 44114

Subject: Legislation to be Passed Under Suspension on June 3, 2024

Dear Council President Griffin:

We are requesting passage under suspension at the June 3, 2024, City Council Meeting of legislation authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept the 2024 Safety Intervention Grant from the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation for the purchase of safety lights and signals for worker safety at accident sites for the Department of Public Safety. The amount of the grant is \$40,000.00 and requires a cash match of \$16,878.35.

Passage of this legislation at the June 3 City Council Meeting is necessary for the City to initiate the purchases of the safety lights and signals upon the approval of the grant application to enable the City to place this equipment into operation as quickly as possible. This equipment will be deployed at accident sites to increase visibility and enhance worker safety at these sites. We believe this equipment will substantially reduce the risk of injury at accident sites by increasing drivers' awareness of the accident sites.

If you should have any additional questions or concerns, you may contact me at (216) 664-2227.

Sincerely,

Dornat A. Drummond, Interim Director  
Department of Public Safety

Approved:

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Blaine A. Griffin, President  
Cleveland City Council

cc: Patricia Britt, Clerk of Council  
All Members of Council  
Bradford J. Davy, Chief of Staff  
Ryan Puente, Deputy Chief of Staff & Chief Government Affairs Officer

