

Ordinance No.907-2026

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, FY26 Byrne Discretionary Community Projects Fund, for the Cleveland Public Safety Radio 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 a grant in the approximate amount of \$1,031,000, and any other funds that may become available during the grant term from the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, FY26 Byrne Discretionary Community Projects Fund, for the Cleveland Public Safety Radio Program; 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 budget for the grant contained in the file described below.

Section 2. That the budget for the grant, presented to the Finance Committee of this Council at a public hearing on this legislation and set forth in File No. 907-2026-A, is made a part of this ordinance as if fully rewritten, is approved in all

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

Section 4. That, unless expressly prohibited by the grant agreement, under Section 108(B) of the Charter, purchases made under the grant agreement may be made through cooperative arrangements with other governmental agencies. The Director of Public Safety may sign all documents and do all things that are necessary to make the purchases, and may enter into one or more contracts with the vendors selected through that cooperative process. The contracts will be paid from the fund or funds to which are credited any grant funds accepted under 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.

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8-19-26

FOR: Director Drummond

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READ FIRST TIME on AUGUST 19, 2026

REPORTS

and referred to DIRECTORS of Public Safety, Finance and Law;
Committees on Safety and Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

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READ SECOND TIME

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READ THIRD TIME

PRESIDENT

CITY CLERK

APPROVED

MAYOR

REPORT
after second Reading

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