



City of Cleveland
Justin M. Bibb, Mayor

March 11, 2026

Mr. Blaine A. Griffin, Council President
Cleveland City Council
601 Lakeside Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114

RE: **Request for Legislation** – Ratification of a Collective Bargaining Agreement (“CBA”) between the City of Cleveland and the Ohio Patrolmen’s Benevolent Association (“OPBA”), Chief Dispatcher’s Bargaining Unit and Pay Band Legislation – Meeting scheduled for March 23, 2026

Dear Council President Griffin:

I am requesting legislation be passed **under suspension** at the March 23, 2026, meeting:

- Ratification of the successor CBA for the term April 1, 2025, through May 31, 2028, between the City of Cleveland and the OPBA Chief Dispatcher’s bargaining unit. The CBA covers approximately 12 employees in the Department of Public Safety, Division of Police, in the Chief Dispatcher job classification.
- Amend Pay Band – Section 15 in Ordinance 194-2021. The maximum rates are increased by one-half percent (1/2 %) to account for any rounding issues at time of implementation.

I am requesting this legislation be addressed under suspension, as it became effective April 1, 2025, for the implementation of terms and conditions of the collective bargaining agreement, including compensation.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (216) 664-4284. Thank you for your consideration of this Request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Egdilio Morales".

Egdilio Morales
Acting Director of Human Resources

cc: Ryan Puente, Chief of Staff
Jessica Trivisonno, Deputy Chief of Staff/Chief Strategy Officer
Mike Culp, Chief Government Affairs