

**Ordinance No. 950-2020**

**By Council Members:** Brancatelli and Kelley (by departmental request)

**An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a grant agreement with JumpStart Inc., or its designee, to assist with operating expenses associated with providing technical and financial assistance to Cleveland businesses.**

**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 Economic Development is authorized to enter into a grant agreement with JumpStart Inc., or its designee, to provide economic development assistance to assist with operating expenses associated with providing technical and financial assistance to Cleveland businesses.

**Section 2.** That the agreement and other appropriate documents needed to complete the transaction authorized by this legislation shall be prepared by the Director of Law.

**Section 3.** That the costs of the grant shall not exceed an amount of \$578,000 and shall be paid from Fund No. 17 SF 652, RQS 9501, RL 2020-112.

**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 Economic Development; Finance; and Law; Committees on Development, Planning and Sustainability; and Finance.**