

Ordinance No. 369-2024 AS AMENDED

By Council Members Hairston and Griffin
(by departmental request)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

To amend Section 3 of Ordinance No. 531-2021 passed August 18, 2021, ; and to supplement the ordinance by adding new Sections 3a and 3b relating to accepting funding from the United States Treasury Department for purposes of implementing the Emergency Rental Assistance Program established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 and authorizing contracts to implement.

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 Section 3 of Ordinance No. 531-2021, passed August 18, 2021, is amended to read as follows:

Section 3. That the Director of Community Development is authorized to expend funds and to enter into one or more contracts with the Cuyahoga Metropolitan Housing Authority, various entities, and various community development corporations to implement the Emergency Rental Assistance Program. (RQS 8006, RL 2024-43)

Section 2. That existing Section 3 of Ordinance No. 531-2021, passed August 18, 2021, is repealed.

Section 3. That Ordinance No. 531-2021, passed August 18, 2021 is supplemented by adding new Sections 3a and 3b to read as follows:

"Section 3a. That the Director of Community Development shall provide all members of Council a quarterly report detailing how the funds were spent.

Section 3b. That any notice sent to residents who are receiving assistance under this ordinance shall include a provision that the assistance is provided through a partnership with the City of Cleveland, Cleveland City Council, and the Biden-Harris Administration."

Section 3 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.

GEP:nl

4-1-2024

FOR: Director Hernandez

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MAYOR

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