

ORDINANCE NO. 1245-2019

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT EXECUTIVE SUMMARY FOR PLACEMENT OF A FELLOW

- Purpose:** To authorize Director of the Community Development Department to apply for and accept a grant from the Cleveland Foundation to place a fellow in the Department of Community Development for the Lead Safe initiative, as well as the Community Engagement Healthy Homes Initiative. The primary objective of this grant funded program is the development of a viable urban community including decent housing, suitable living environment, and expanded economic opportunities principally for persons of low and moderate income.
- Project Description:** The Fellow will be involved in developing and implementing the strategy to create a resource pool for landlords as well as in efforts to enlist the support of the State of Ohio from a policy and funding perspective. An important component of the effort will be to outreach to landlords to develop a landlord advisory group and to represent the City in the funding and resource committee meetings and act as the committee project manager.
- Additionally, the Fellow will work with the Program Manager of the Community Engagement Healthy Homes Initiative to help support the work of Community Engagement Specialists working at community development corporations across the city. This will include developing tools and resources of the Community Engagement Specialists, such as the creation and maintenance of an internal resource database for specialists to reference.
- Amount:** \$50,000