



City of Cleveland Memorandum

Frank G. Jackson, Mayor

To: Kevin J. Kelley, Chair
Finance Committee

From: Michael McGrath, Director
Department of Public Safety

Date: January 28, 2019

Subject: Ordinance No. 68-2019 Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to enter into an amendment to Contract No. CT 6007 PS 2017-251 with Cuyahoga County for the County Sheriff's Department to house and provide services for City prisoners in order to add an additional limited category to the definition of City prisoners for which the City will pay the County's prisoner per diem amount

Ordinance No. 68-2019, if passed by Council, would authorize an amendment to the contract between the City and Cuyahoga County with regard to the prisoners of certain agencies operating in the City of Cleveland that have police authorizing agreements or mutual aid agreements with the City of Cleveland. This amendment would authorize the City to pay the County's prisoner per diem amount for these law enforcement agencies where such agencies' officers take their prisoners to the Cuyahoga County jails for detentions for violations of Cleveland's Codified Ordinances. The City will not pay for any prisoner costs for agencies' prisoners arrested under State or Federal law; nor for prisoners arrested on the sole charge of fourth degree misdemeanor under the City's Codified Ordinances.