

**Ordinance No. 148-2021**

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

**An emergency ordinance authorizing the Executive Director of the Community Relations Board to apply for and accept a grant from the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas, Juvenile Division, to conduct the 2021 Cleveland Community Diversion Program.**

**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 Executive Director of the Community Relations Board is authorized to apply for and accept a grant in the approximate amount of \$36,400 from the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas, Juvenile Division, and any other funds that may become available during the grant term to conduct the 2021 Cleveland Community Diversion Program; that the Executive Director is authorized to file all papers and execute all documents necessary to receive the funds under the grant; and that the funds are appropriated for the purposes set forth in the summary contained in the file described below.

**Section 2.** That the summary, File No. 148-2021-A, made a part of this ordinance as if fully rewritten, is approved in all respects and shall not be changed without additional legislative authority.

**Section 3.** That, unless expressly prohibited by the grant agreement, under division (b) of Section 108 of the Charter, purchases made under the grant agreement may be made through cooperative arrangements with other governmental agencies. The Executive Director may sign all documents and do all things that are necessary to make the purchases, and may enter into one or more contracts with the vendors selected through that cooperative process. The contract or contracts will be paid from the fund or funds to which are credited any grant or other funds accepted under this ordinance.

**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 Community Relations Board; Finance; and Law; Committees on Safety; and Finance.**