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**Office of the Council**

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# Committee Calendar

Cleveland City Hall, Mercedes Cotner Committee Room, 217  
601 Lakeside Avenue, N. E., Cleveland, OH 44114  
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The following meeting will be held at Cleveland City Hall, 601 Lakeside Avenue, in the Mercedes Cotner Council Committee Room 217.

It will be conducted as an in-person meeting as well as broadcast live in accordance with Ohio's Open Meetings Laws and Section 101.021 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976.

This meeting will be broadcast live on:

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- TV 20 Livestream online: <http://www.tv20cleveland.com/watch-now/>

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## Monday, November 20, 2023 | 2:00 p.m. Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee

**Chair:** Blaine A. Griffin **Vice Chair:** Kerry McCormack

**Members:** Kevin L. Bishop; Kevin Conwell; Anthony T. Hairston; Brian Kazy;  
Michael D. Polensek; Jasmin Santana; Jenny Spenser

### Ord. No. 1022-2023

By Council Members Hairston and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to amend Section 138.07 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 1266-02, passed January 27, 2003, relating to enhancing the City's ability to address nuisance properties.

Remarks by Director of Building and Housing Department: See Legislation.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.

PREVIOUSLY HELD BY THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION.

### Ord. No. 1088-2023

By Council Members McCormack, Bishop, Hairston and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance giving consent of the City of Cleveland to the Director of Transportation of the State of Ohio to demolish and remove the Eagle Avenue lift bridge over the Cuyahoga River in the City of Cleveland; authorizing agreements; and causing payment to the State for the City's share of the improvement.

Remarks by Director of Mayor's Office of Capital Projects: See Legislation.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED BY COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL SERVICES AND PROPERTIES.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.

### Ord. No. 1158-2023

By Council Member Gray

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a grant agreement with Serenity Health and Wellness Corporation to provide economic development assistance to partially finance renovation of its youth home and behavioral health facility.

Estimated Cost: \$100,000

Remarks by Director of Economic Development Department: See Legislation.

Remarks by Director of Law Department: There is no legal objection to the passage of this legislation if amended.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.



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Ord. No. 1187-2023

By Council Members McCormack, Bishop, Hairston and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to apply for and accept a grant from the United States Department of Transportation for the Reconnecting Cleveland I-90 Program; and authorizing the Director to employ one or more professional consultants to implement the grant.

Remarks by Director of Mayor's Office of Capital Projects: See Legislation.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED BY COMMITTEE OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES AND PROPERTIES.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.

Ord. No. 1189-2023

By Council Member Gray

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a grant agreement with Building and Construction Initiative or designee to provide economic development assistance to partially finance completion of renovation of commercial space for training in the construction trades.

Estimated Cost: \$161,500

Remarks by Director of Economic Development Department: See Legislation.

Remarks by Director of Law Department: There is no legal objection to the passage of this legislation if amended.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.

Ord. No. 1195-2023

By Council Members Spencer, Bishop, Hairston and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to sell City-owned air-rights interest no longer needed for the City's public use located on Detroit Avenue adjacent to the West Boulevard-Cudell Rapid Transit Station to Flaherty & Collins Development, LLC for future residential development.

Remarks by Director of Public Works Department: See Legislation.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED BY COMMITTEE OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES AND PROPERTIES.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.

Ord. No. 1234-2023

By Council Member Gray

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a grant agreement with Urban Bridges dba Envision Cleveland, or its designee, to provide economic development assistance to partially finance construction of a vocational training center.

Estimated Cost: \$287,500

Remarks by Director of Economic Development Department: See Legislation.

Remarks by Director of Law Department: There is no legal objection to the passage of this legislation if amended.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.

Ord. No. 1270-2023

By Council Members Conwell, Hairston and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance to supplement Ordinance No. 1074-2021, passed December 6, 2021, to add a new eleventh whereas clause, relating to one or more grant agreements with Hitchcock Center for Women, Inc. to support the construction of a new residential treatment facility at 1227 Ansel Road.

Remarks by Director of Community Development Department: See Legislation.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.



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## Ord. No. 1271-2023

By Council Members Hairston and Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Community Development to apply for and accept one or more grants from the Cities for Financial Empowerment Fund, the Cleveland Citywide Development Corporation, and other public or private entities, for the Bank on Fellowship Program.

Remarks by Director of Community Development Department: See Legislation.

RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY.

## Ord. No. 1287-2023

By Council Member Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Finance, on behalf of the Cleveland Municipal Court, to enter into one or more contracts with the Cuyahoga County Public Defender Commission for legal services necessary to defend indigent defendants charged with violation of ordinances of the City of Cleveland that may result in incarceration, for the Cleveland Municipal Court for a period of one year, with one option to renew for an additional consecutive year, exercisable by the Director of Finance.

Remarks by Director of Finance Department: See Legislation.

## Ord. No. 1295-2023

By Council Member Griffin (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Finance, on behalf of the Cleveland Municipal Court, to enter into one or more contracts with Oriana House, Inc. for professional services necessary to provide appropriate placement for defendants to be assigned into supervised pretrial release without the sanction of incarceration and to provide related services, for the Cleveland Municipal Court, for a period of one year, with a one-year option to renew exercisable by the Director of Finance.

Remarks by Director of Finance Department: See Legislation.

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