

Resolution No. 611-2025

By Council Member Conwell

AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION
Recommending that the Bibb administration provide a diaper changing station in every men’s, women’s and family restroom located in City-owned facilities.

WHEREAS, parents, especially those with infants or young children, often need a clean, private space to change diapers while out in public; and

WHEREAS, having diaper changing stations in City-owned public restrooms allows for greater convenience and ensures parents don’t have to leave the premises to take care of their child’s needs; and

WHEREAS, having a designated space for changing babies in City-owned public restrooms is essential for both the child’s health and the safety of others; changing diapers on sinks or restroom floors is unsanitary, increasing the risk of skin irritations, infections, and the spread of germs; and

WHEREAS, providing changing tables in both men’s and women’s restrooms in City-owned facilities plays a crucial role in supporting all caregivers; and

WHEREAS, this resolution constitutes an emergency measure for the immediate preservation of public peace, property, health or safety, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That this Council recommends that the Bibb administration provide a diaper changing station in every men’s, women’s and family restroom located in City-owned facilities.

Section 2. That this resolution is hereby 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 adoption and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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READ FIRST TIME on MAY 12, 2025

and referred to DIRECTOR of Law;

COMMITTEE on Finance Diversity Equity and Inclusion

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MAYOR

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