

Ordinance No. 210-2022

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

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to enter into an amendment to Agreement No. 66826 with Case Western Reserve University to expand the territorial jurisdiction of Case Western Reserve University Police Officers within the City of Cleveland and outside the property of the University.

WHEREAS, under Ohio Revised Code 1713.50(C) and Cleveland Ordinance No. 1878-06, passed December 11, 2006, this Council authorized the Director of Public Safety to enter into Agreement No. 66826, entered into on March 1, 2007, with Case Western Reserve University (“Case”), to authorize Case Police Officers to exercise their police powers in certain City of Cleveland geographical areas outside the property owned, leased, or operated by Case, and to establish protocols between Case’s Police Department and the Cleveland Division of Police (the “Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, on November 7, 2012, the Agreement was amended to extend the term of Agreement 66826, and update protocols and identification of Case properties in the City of Cleveland; and

WHEREAS, on November 19, 2018, the Agreement was amended a second time to extend the term of Agreement 66826, update protocols and identification of Case properties in the City of Cleveland, and, to further the goals of constitutional and effective policing, address training of Case Officers and Dispatchers, certain Case Police Department policies, and complaint handling; and

WHEREAS, the City and Case would like to further amend the Agreement to expand the geographical jurisdiction of Case Police Officers in certain areas surrounding Case in order to increase public safety presence in the vicinity; and

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 Director of Public Safety is authorized to enter into an amendment to the Agreement to expand the jurisdiction of Case Police Officers into Little Italy in the Third District and a portion of the Fifth District that is adjacent to the north part of Case’s Campus, specifically, from East 105th Street to East 120th Street

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between Wade Park Avenue and Ashbury Avenue. The map placed in **File No. 210-2022-A** outlines the current boundaries of Case's Police Officer jurisdiction and areas of approved expansion under this ordinance and is expressly incorporated herein. All other terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain the same.

Section 2. That the Agreement shall be prepared by the Director of Law

Section 3. 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.

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2-28-2022
FOR: Director Howard

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**READ FIRST TIME on MARCH 28, 2022
and referred to DIRECTORS of Public Safety, Finance, Law;
COMMITTEES on Safety, Finance Diversity Equity and Inclusion**

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MAYOR

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