

# Ordinance No. 1294-2022

By Council Member Griffin  
(by departmental request)

## AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

To establish the Strategic Priority Subfund; and to transfer and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Fifteen Million Dollars from the General Fund to the newly established Strategic Priority Subfund.

**FOR PASSAGE**  
**December 5, 2022**

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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 there is established the Strategic Priority Subfund, Fund No. 10 SF 400, subject to any approvals required by law.

Section 2. That amounts held in the Strategic Priority Subfund shall be devoted to the following purposes: Inclusive Economic Recovery, Housing for All, Violence Prevention and Public Safety, Closing the Digital Divide, Education for Everyone, Arts and Neighborhood Amenities, Recreation and Civic Participation.

Section 3. That the Director of Finance is authorized to transfer the sum of Two Hundred Fifteen Million Dollars (\$215,000,000) from the American Rescue Plan Act lost revenue calculation that was applied to eligible General Fund expenditures to the Strategic Priority Subfund.

Section 4. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of the Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including all lawful ordinances and any applicable provisions of Section 121.22 of the Revised Code.

Section 5. That the Director of Finance shall provide a monthly report to all members of Council relating to disbursements and expenditures of funds from the Strategic Priority Subfund.

Section 6. 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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12-5-2022  
FOR: Director Abonamah

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**REPORT  
after second Reading**

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**READ FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME**

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**REPORTS**

referred to

**CITY CLERK**

**READ SECOND TIME**

**CITY CLERK**

**READ THIRD TIME on DECEMBER 5, 2022**

**PRESIDENT**

**CITY CLERK**

**APPROVED**

**MAYOR**

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