Ord. No. 995-2025

August 8, 2025

Blaine Griffin
President, Cleveland City Council
601 Lakeside Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114

Subject: Legislation to be Passed Under Suspension on August 13, 2025

Dear Council President Griffin,

We are requesting the following ordinance be passed under suspension at the first reading on August 13, 2025, to authorize the contracting authority to enter into these agreements:

> Authorizing the Directors of Building and Housing and/or Innovation and Technology and/or other directors, as appropriate, to implement a one-year pilot program to assess the feasibility of using automated technology to create a current property survey; to apply for and accept a grant from the Rocket Community Fund; and to enter into one or more contracts with City Detect Inc. for the purchase of Software as a Service, hardware, installation, set-up, training, implementation, technical support, and maintenance, including a monthly service fee, needed to implement the pilot program.

Passage of this legislation on August 13th is critical to begin this process as soon as possible in order to being implementation of the one-year pilot program to assess the feasibility of using automated technology to create a current property survey for the City of Cleveland.

If you should have any additional questions or concerns, you may contact me at 216-664-2137.

Sincerely,

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cc: All Members of Council
Patricia Britt, Clerk of Council