# GENERAL Ordinance Fact Sheet

220632

#### **Ordinance Number**

Brief Title: Approval Deadline:

Accept Brownfields Community-wide 7/21/22 Assessment Grant

Reason:

Accept Brownfields Assessment Grant

**Details Positions / Recommendations** Reason for Legislation Accepting a United States Sponsor(s) Environmental Protection Agency Brownfields Community-wide Assessment Grant in the amount of \$500,000.00, estimating revenue in the amount of Programs, Departments, or Groups Affected \$500,000.00 in the Brownfields Fund, appropriating funds to certain accounts within the Brownfields Fund and designating requisitioning authority. **Applicants/Proponents Applicant City Department** Planning & Development Other **Discussion** (including relationship to other Council actions) **Opponents Groups or Individuals** Ordinance authorizes the Director of the Department **Basis of Opposition** of City Planning and Development on behalf of the City to accept from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency a \$500,000.00 Brownfields Community-wide Assessment Grant for assessment of the Parade Park Staff Recommendation For Homes South Site and other eligible sites located in **Against** Kansas City, Missouri. **Reasons Against:** This grant application was authorized by Resolution 211012, adopted November 10, 2021. **Board or Commission** For \_\_\_ Against Recommendation No Action Taken For, with revisions or conditions **Council Committee Action** Do Pass Do Pass (as amended) **Committee Substitute** No Recommendation Hold **Do Not Pass** 

**Details** Policy / Program Impact The City, through the Department of City Planning & **Policy or Program** No. Yes Development, will be the sole federal recipient and Change administrator of the EPA grant. The grant award of \$500,000 is intended for hazardous waste and petroleum site assessment of the Priority Site: Parade Park Homes South Site in Kansas City, Missouri, **Operational Impact** Assessment which consists of Tracts C, D, E & H of Parade Plaza Resurvey. Grant funds can also be used to address other non-priority sites located in Kansas City, Missouri. The Targeted Community includes certain Opportunity Zone designated census tracts of Kansas **Finances** City, Missouri. **Cost and Revenue Cost of Legislation** No matching funds are required for this grant. **Projections** \$500,000.00 Increase/Decrease in Revenue EPA has requested submission of the new grant **Expected Annually** application by 7/30/2022. One-time increase \$500,000.00 Is it good for the children? Yes. The proposed ordinance will facilitate the cleanup and beneficial reuse of a prominent and blighted brownfield property within the City that is known to contain contaminants that could potentially **Fund Sources** 23-2550-645020-G64CWA How will this contribute to a sustainable Kansas City? Brownfield redevelopment promotes the beneficial reuse of underutilized and contaminated properties. It makes use of previously depreciated capital investment and infrastructure, promotes environmental cleanup, and improves neighborhoods in which the property is located. The ordinance

## **Applicable Dates:**

July 28, 2022

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directly furthers these goals.

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**Reference Numbers:** Res. No. 211012.