

Your Committee, to which this proposal was referred, has amended the proposal to read as follows and recommends its adoption as amended.

CITY COUNTY COUNCIL

PROPOSAL NO. 141, 2013

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS-MARION COUNTY, INDIANA

INTRODUCED: 05/13/2013

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

SPONSOR: Councillor Brown

DIGEST: amends the Code to allow monies from the RebuildIndy Fund to be appropriated to the Department of Public Safety for the purpose of reimbursing the department for the expenses relating to the recruitment, hiring and training of sworn police officers and to create a new non-reverting police recruiting fund

SOURCE:

Initiated by: Councillor Brown

Drafted by: Fred Biesecker, General Counsel

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ADOPTION:

Subject to approval or veto by Mayor

PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE:

Adoption and approvals

GENERAL COUNSEL APPROVAL: _____

Date: May 9, 2013

CITY-COUNTY GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. , 2013

PROPOSAL FOR A GENERAL ORDINANCE to amend Section 135-761(d) of the Revised Code of the Consolidated City and County to allow monies from the RebuildIndy Fund to be appropriated to the Department of Public Safety for the purpose of reimbursing the department for expenses relating to the recruitment, hiring and training of sworn police officers and to create a new non-reverting police recruiting fund.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY-COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS AND OF MARION COUNTY, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. Section 135-761(d) of the "Revised Code of the Consolidated City and County" is hereby amended by adding the language that is underlined, as follows:

Sec. 135-761. RebuildIndy Fund created

(d) The purpose of this fund is to provide revenue for expenses relating to capital improvement projects and the demolition or deconstruction of vacant or abandoned properties, together with costs and expenses incidental thereto, including certain costs and expenses related to the transactions contemplated by the agreements referred to and approved by Special Ordinance No. 7, 2010, and to fund liabilities excluded from the escrow fund provided for by the agreement transferring the wastewater system referred to and approved by Special Ordinance No. 7, 2010. In addition, monies from this fund may be appropriated to the department of public safety for the purpose of reimbursing the department for expenses relating to the recruitment, hiring and training of sworn police officers.

SECTION 2. Chapter 135, Article VII of the "Revised Code of the Consolidated City and County" is hereby amended by adding a NEW Section 135-781, to read as follows:

Sec. 135-781. Police Recruiting Fund Created.

(a) There is hereby created a special fund, to be designated as the "police recruiting fund," in the department of public safety. The fund shall be a subfund of the consolidated county fund. Upon inception, the Controller shall transfer or cause to be transferred six million dollars (\$6,000,000) from the RebuildIndy Fund to the Police Recruiting Fund.

(b) This fund shall be a continuing, nonreverting fund, with all balances remaining therein at the end of the year and such balances shall not revert to the city or county general funds.

(c) The purpose of this fund is to provide revenue to reimburse the department of public safety for expenses relating to the recruitment, hiring, and training of sworn police officers, whether through new classes of recruits or lateral hires, in order to address the current deficit in the ranks of police officers due to retirements and attrition.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon adoption and compliance with IC 36-3-4-14.

The foregoing was passed by the City-County Council this ____ day of _____, 2013, at ____ p.m.

ATTEST:

Maggie A. Lewis
President, City-County Council

NaTrina DeBow
Clerk, City-County Council

Presented by me to the Mayor this ____ day of _____, 2013, at 10:00 a.m.

NaTrina DeBow
Clerk, City-County Council

Approved and signed by me this ____ day of _____, 2013.

Gregory A. Ballard, Mayor