



# City of Columbus

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## Legislation Text

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This ordinance makes appropriations and authorizes transfers for the 12 months ending December 31, 2008, in various divisions and departments for selected funds other than the General Fund or Operating Funds.

To make appropriations for the 12 months ending December 31, 2008, for selected other funds for various divisions, to authorize the City Auditor to make transfers as may be necessary, and to declare an emergency.

**WHEREAS**, the matter herein provided for constitutes an emergency in that it is immediately necessary to appropriate funds for the various city departments for the 12 months beginning January 1, 2008, and ending December 31, 2008, and

**WHEREAS**, the matter herein constitutes an emergency in that it is immediately necessary to appropriate and authorize the transfer of these funds for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace, property, safety and welfare; Now Therefore:

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO:**

**SECTION 1.** That from the monies in the fund known as the Recreation and Parks Debt Service Fund, Fund No. 411, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated for the Object Level Ones for which the corporation has to provide the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008:

**Division No. 22-01 - City Auditor**

OCA - 900894  
Object - 10  
OL3 - 5501  
Purpose - Debt Transfer  
Amount - \$ 804,554

**Total - \$ 804,554**

**SECTION 2.** That from the monies in the fund known as the Hotel-Motel Tax Fund, Fund No. 231, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated for the Object Level 1's for which the corporation has to provide the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008:

**Division No. 20-01 - City Council**

OCA - 200204  
Object - 03  
Purpose - Services for Operation and Maintenance  
Amount - \$ 4,790,000

OCA - 200214  
Object - 03  
Purpose - Services for Operation and Maintenance  
Amount - \$ 4,790,000

**Total - \$ 9,580,000**

**SECTION 3.** That from the unappropriated monies in the fund known as the Capitol South Fund, Fund No. 481, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources and unappropriated for any other purpose during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008:

**Division No. 45-01 - Department of Finance and Management**

OCA - 901133  
Object - 10  
OL3- 5501  
Purpose - Principal  
Amount- \$1,007,852

OCA - 901158  
Object - 10  
OL3- 5501  
Purpose - Interest  
Amount- \$327,812

**Total - \$1,335,664**

**SECTION 4.** That from the unappropriated monies in the Airport Operating Fund, Fund No. 944, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated for the Object Level Ones for which the corporation has to provide the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008:

**Division No. 60-10 - Airports**

OCA - 601245  
Object - 04  
OL3- 4410  
Purpose - Bond Principal Payment  
Amount- \$160,000

OCA - 601245  
Object - 07  
OL3- 7411  
Purpose - Bond Interest Payment  
Amount- \$3,960

**Total - \$163,960**

**SECTION 5.** That from the monies in the funds known as the Sewer System Revenue Bond Reserve Fund and Water System Revenue Bond Reserve Fund, and from all monies estimated to come into said funds from any and all sources during 2007, there be and hereby are appropriated the following sums:

**Sewer Division 60-05 - Fund 656 Sewer System Revenue Bond Fund**

OCA - 605824  
Object - 04  
OL3- 4407  
Purpose - Bond Principal Payment  
Amount- \$5,475,000

OCA - 605824

Object - 07  
OL3- 7408  
Purpose - Bond Interest Payment  
Amount- \$22,290,900

**Total - \$27,765,900**

**Water Division 60-09 - Fund 601 Water System Revenue Bond Fund**

OCA - 602987  
Object - 04  
OL3- 4407  
Purpose - Bond Principal Payment  
Amount- \$6,797,500

OCA - 602987  
Object - 07  
OL3- 7408  
Purpose - Bond Interest Payment  
Amount- \$1,089,250

**Total - \$7,886,750**

**SECTION 6.** That from the unappropriated monies in the fund known as the Special Income Tax Fund, Fund No. 430, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources and unappropriated for any other purpose during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008, for the payment of principal and interest on outstanding notes and bonds, bond and note issuance costs, bond counsel costs, and tipping fees:

**Division No. 22-01 - City Auditor**

OCA - 220749  
Object - 04  
OL3- 4425  
Purpose - OPWC  
Amount- \$606,000

OCA - 901975  
Object - 10  
OL3- 5501  
Purpose - Bond Principal Payment  
Amount- \$86,667,838

OCA - 901983  
Object - 10  
OL3- 5501  
Purpose - Bond Interest Payment  
Amount- \$40,672,247

**Total - \$127,946,085**

**Division No. 59-02 - Refuse Collection**

OCA - 593715  
Object - 03  
OL3- 3389  
Purpose - Tipping Fee- Refuse Disposal

Amount- \$4,750,000

OCA - 593954

Object - 03

OL3- 3389

Purpose - Tipping Fee- Refuse Disposal

Amount- \$4,750,000

OCA - 594341

Object - 03

OL3- 3389

Purpose - Tipping Fee- Refuse Disposal

Amount- \$4,750,000

**Total - \$14,250,000**

**Division No. 24-01 - City Attorney**

OCA - 240259

Object - 03

OL3- 3324

Purpose - Bond Counsel Expense

Amount- \$175,000

**Total - \$175,000**

**Division No. 45-01 - Finance and Management Department**

OCA - 450148

Object - 03

OL3- 3336

Purpose - Professional Services

Amount- \$135,000

OCA - 450148

Object - 03

OL3- 3352

Purpose - Printing Costs

Amount- \$25,000

OCA - 450148

Object - 03

OL3- 3353

Purpose - Advertising

Amount- \$10,000

OCA - 450148

Object - 03

OL3- 3348

Purpose - Banking/Financial/Bond Services \*

Amount- \$52,000

OCA - 450148

Object - 03

OL3- 3332

Purpose - Subscriptions

Amount- \$5,000

Total - \$227,000

\* Variable rate storm debt and 1996 variable rate debt

**SECTION 7.** That from the unappropriated monies in the fund known as the Easton TIF Debt Service Fund, Fund No. 401, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources and unappropriated for any other purpose during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008:

**Division No. 44-01 - Development**

OCA - 401001  
Object - 05  
OL3- 5548  
Purpose - Debt Transfer  
Amount- \$2,228,808

Total - \$2,228,808

**SECTION 8.** That from the unappropriated monies in the fund known as the Polaris TIF Debt Service Fund, Fund No. 402, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources and unappropriated for any other purpose during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008:

**Division No. 44-01 - Development**

OCA - 402405  
Object - 05  
OL3- 5548  
Purpose - Debt Transfer  
Amount- \$1,293,568

Total - \$1,293,568

**SECTION 9.** That from the unappropriated monies in the fund known as the Waggoner Road TIF Debt Service Fund, Fund No. 410, and from all monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources and unappropriated for any other purpose during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008, there be and hereby are appropriated the following sums for use during the 12 months ending December 31, 2008:

**Division No. 44-01 - Development**

OCA - 410300  
Object - 10  
OL3- 5501  
Purpose - Debt Transfer  
Amount- \$60,000

Total - \$60,000

**SECTION 10.** That the monies in the foregoing Sections 1 through 11 shall be paid upon the order of the respective departments for which the appropriations are made except that small claims may be paid as authorized by Chapter 335 of the Columbus City Code, 1985, as amended; and except that payments or transfers between departments, divisions or funds of the City may be made by the City Auditor; that payments for premiums for official bonds, depository commissions, employees' hospitalization, life insurance, pensions, dental insurance, and prepaid legal services, shall be made on the order and approval of the Director of the Department of Finance and Management or City Auditor; that the monies appropriated in the foregoing Section 1 shall be paid upon

the order of the City Auditor; that the monies appropriated in the foregoing Section 2 shall be paid upon the order of the President of Council or City Clerk; that the monies appropriated in the foregoing Section 3 shall be paid upon the order of the Director of the Department of Finance and Management; that the monies appropriated in the foregoing Section 4 shall be paid upon the order of the Public Utilities Director; that the monies appropriated in the foregoing Section 5 shall be paid by upon the order of the Director of the Department of Public Utilities, that the monies appropriated in the foregoing Section 6 shall be paid by upon the order of the City Auditor or the City Attorney or the Director of the Department of Finance and Management or the Director of the Department of Public Safety or the Director of the Department of Public Service; that the monies appropriated in the foregoing Sections 7, 8 and 9 shall be paid by upon the order of the Director of Development, and that no order shall be drawn or money paid except upon voucher, the form of which shall be approved by the City Auditor.

**SECTION 11.** Except in the matter of payrolls providing for the payment of salaries of officers and employees regularly employed by the City and extraordinary emergencies, no warrant shall be issued in liquidation of vouchers, unless the department contracting the expense shall have first obtained an order duly certified that there are sufficient funds appropriated to the credit of the proper fund from which the expenditure is to be made, which certificate must be obtained prior to the incurrence of the obligation, and the head of any department or division authorized to contract expenditures will be held personally responsible for any obligation incurred contrary to the provisions of this section. Such certificate shall not be issued for obligations pertaining to "Capital Outlay" in programs or activities funded by federal or state categorical grants without the prior approval of the Director of the Department of Finance and Management.

**SECTION 12.** That with the exception of the provisos (reasons) established in previous sections, as stated in the reason paragraphs following each subdepartment's appropriation, it is understood that this Council is not making specific appropriations for each item of every classification hereinbefore contained but only for the total for each department and subdepartment, as shown in the final column. The itemized classification shall, however, constitute limitations on the powers of the several department heads as granted in Sections 7, 8 and 9 and no such officer shall make any expenditure for any other purpose in any amount beyond that of the particular classification; provided, however, that transfers may be made from one Object Level 1 to another, within any one department or division. Transfers of sums exceeding \$25,000.00 shall be authorized only by resolution of Council. Transfers of sums of \$25,000.00 or less, shall only be approved pursuant to a letter over the signatures of the head of the department, the Director of the Department of Finance and Management, the City Auditor, and the Chairman of the Committee of Finance.

**SECTION 13.** That the City Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to pay obligations of various departments pertaining to preceding years obligations from current appropriations up to a maximum of \$25,000.00 per obligation.

**SECTION 14.** That for the reasons stated in the preamble hereto, which is hereby made a part hereof, this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor or ten days after passage if the Mayor neither approves nor vetoes the same.