

Captioning Transcript Public Safety Committee Meeting
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"Fox, Mark"

30 seconds. Good afternoon welcome to the August 3rd regular meeting of the local Metro Council's public safety committee. This meeting is being held in accordance with KRS 61.806 and counsel rule 5A, I'm Mark Fox, chairman of the committee and with me today is James Peden our vice chair joining us virtually councilwoman Angela Bowens, Councilwoman Paula McCraney, councilwoman Madonna flood, we will be joined by counsel woman Shanklin and Parker here very shortly. Our 1st item is an ordinance 0-210-22 an ordinance amending section 36.03 of the local metro ordinances relating to participation in the Kentucky law enforcement foundation program fund,

"Peden, James"

Move approval Peden.

"Fox, Mark"

We need a 2nd.

"Flood, Madonna"

Second, Flood.

"Fox, Mark"

Thank you, move by councilman Peden, 2nd by Flood, if the floor is open and I will begin just with a real brief, pardon me, with a real brief explanation in this past legislature, the Kentucky House and Senate approved local municipalities to allow law enforcement officers to enter into the fund that is the Kentucky law enforcement foundation program and it provides a stipend for police officers that are in that fund. This legislation will direct that fund to now include the county Attorney's office and the ABC officers in that fund in the county Attorney's office that involves about 9 investigators, and there's just a handful of others With ABC, but it will allow them to receive the additional stipend on their salaries, which is granted by local Metro, and it is reimbursed by the commonwealth so there's no out of pocket dollars doing this, they are state dollars there is no out of pocket metro dollars. I will also point out the county Attorney's office currently meets the KRS requirements of chapters, 15, 4 and 510, which put a educational component in to receive this fund officers have to complete 40 hours of reoccurring, educational training, law changes certain things like 1st, responder and a multitude of others it also be noted that ABC officers currently do a portion of their training of

their initial recruit training with the, so, this kind of gets everybody together and puts everybody on the same page and with that, I'll open it up to the floor, if any of my colleagues have any questions or comments I'll be happy to address them. I am the sponsor along with President David James, who is obviously not with us.

"Peden, James"

I have a question.

"Fox, Mark"

Yes, Vice Chair Peden.

"Peden, James"

Who's going to keep track of the this is continuing Ed? Ours are the qualifier, who keeps track of that?

"Fox, Mark"

Kelly C, Kentucky law enforcement training Council, monitors that they approve the curriculum, and they monitor attendance to make sure each agency that is in that club fund.

"Peden, James"

But, I mean, if it's but it's our training, like, we send it to them. Right? I mean, is it part of our, I guess what I'm asking is, are we going to have to do something special or is it part of keeping track of our existing continuing Ed and just making sure there's another person notified of it?

"Fox, Mark"

Right. It's just a part of our continuing ed that's done a number of places actually, the state provides that training and local the easiest place to access it is the University of local Shelby campus. Local metro police department has their own in-house training unit, so officers of the county attorney or county attorney already does it. But if ABC doesn't, then they would either go to their in service training and Shelby campus, provide another state or go to. Let me check the queue here, let me state that the record reflects We have been joined by a council woman Parker and let me see if there's anyone else in the queue and there is not, so Madame clerk would you please open the voting?

"Brown, Marissa"

Committee member Bowens"

"Bowens, Angela"

Yes.

"Brown, Marissa"
Committee member Shanklin?

"Brown, Marissa"
Committee member McCraney?

"McCraney, Paula"
Yes.

"Brown, Marissa"
Committee member Parker?

"Parker, Marilyn"
Yes.

"Brown, Marissa"
And Committee member Flood?

"Flood, Madonna"
Yes.

"Brown, Marissa"
Mr. Chair you have 6 yes votes.

"Fox, Mark"
Thank you. The ordinance passes and will go to the consent calendar. Does anyone have anything else for the committee? See, none we stand adjourned, thank you.