

Unedited Transcript for Metro Council Meeting 1/28/21

>> THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL MEETING WILL COME TO ORDER.
PLEASE RISE FOR PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG. [PLEDGE OF
ALLEGIANCE.

>> READING OF THE NOTICE PLEASE.

>> THIS REGULAR MEETING OF THE LOUISVILLE COUNCIL IS PURSUANT
TO 826 AND SENATE BILL 150. SOME MEMBERS ARE IN CHAMBERS AND
OTHERS ATTENDING VIRTUALLY ARE. IF WE EXPERIENCE DISRUPTION FOR
ANY MEMBERS THE MEETING WILL BE SUSPENDED FOR FIVE MINUTES WHILE
WE MAKE A REASONABLE ATTEMPT TO RESUME. PUBLIC BUSINESS WILL
CEASE. IF AFTER FIVE MINUTES THE MEMBERS -- THE MEMBERS
CONTINUE WE WILL REASSUME THE MEETING AND IT WILL CONTINUE AS
LONG AS THE MEMBERS. WE WILL SUSPEND THE MEETING TO RESOLVE
TECHNICAL ISSUES.

>> THANK YOU MADAM CLERK. HELLO COLLEAGUES.

66,549 LOUISVILLIANS HAVE BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH COVID.
AND I WANT TO REMEMBER TWO INDIVIDUALS.
THEY ATTENDED THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.
PHIL SERVED IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY AND AS SERGEANT FOR THE
LOUISVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR OVER 21 YEARS.
HE CONTINUES TO SERVE ON THE LOUISVILLE EXTENSION BOARD TO
CONTINUE TO SERVE ALL OF US.
OUR HEARTS GO OUT TO THEIR FAMILIES AND TO FAMILIES OF ALL THAT

WE LOST DURING THIS PANDEMIC.

PLEASE JOIN ME FOR A MOMENT OF SILENCE.

[MOMENT OF SILENCE].

>> AT THIS TIME MADAM CLERK, I LIKE TO RELINQUISH THE CHAIR
TO MAYOR PRO TEM.

SORRY.

DISREGARD THAT.

ROLL CALL.

[ROLL CALLED].

>> MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 25 IN ATTENDANCE AND A FORUM.
AT THIS TIME, I LIKE TO RELINQUISH THE CHAIR TO COUNCIL MEMBER
PRO TEM, COUNCIL MEMBER WINKLER.

>> I BELIEVE PRESIDENT JAMES YOU HAVE TWO SPECIAL
PROCLAMATIONS YOU LIKE TO DO.

>> COLLEAGUES, FOR THOSE THAT MAY NOT KNOW BEHIND THAT MASK
IS THE FORMER POLICE OF CHIEF WHO STEPPED UP AT AN EXTREME TIME
OF NEED FOR THE CITIES TO MAKE OUR CITY AND BETTER AND SAFER
PLACE.

I WANT TO RECOGNIZE HER FOR HER DEDICATION AND SACRIFICE AND
EVERYTHING.

FOR THAT WE HAVE A PROCLAMATION.

I WOULD LIKE TO READ IT.

WE HERE BY HONOR AND RECOGNIZE YVETTE GENTRY.

SHE SERVED WITH HONOR AND DISTINCTION IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND WHEN THE LOUISVILLE METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT WAS AT A CRITICAL JUNCTURE, SHE STEPPED UP AND STEPPED IN AS CHIEF WHEN ASKED.

WHEREAS DURING HER 108 DAYS AS CHIEF, SHE PROVIDED STABILITY AND CALM WITH A TENSE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE PD AND THE COMMUNITY. SHE INCREASED SUPPORT, AND SUPERVISION BY ADDING A NIGHT CHIEF ROTATION FOR MAJORS AND ABOVE AND CHANGING LIEUTENANTS BACK TO PLATOONS.

SHE WORKED TO IMPROVE PARTNERSHIP AND COMMUNICATION WITH OTHER MAJOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN LOUISVILLE AND ADDING TO THE INTELLIGENCE UNIT FOR COLLABORATION AND SAFETY.

WHEREAS SHE RAISED THE RECRUIT PAGE FOR BETTER EQUITABLE OPPORTUNITY AND HER CAREER IN LAW ENFORCEMENT AND WITH THE METRO UNITED WAY AND THE RAJON RONDO FOUNDATION, SHE HAS TRULY EMBODIED THE SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY SERVICE.

WE HERE BY CONFER THIS HONOR WITH ALL OF THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES THERE ARE PERTAINING TO AND TESTIMONY AND WHEREAS WE HAVE CAUSED THE LETTERS TO BE MADE IN THE SEAL OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO GOVERNMENT TO BE HERE TO AND DO NOT IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY 28TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2021, WE CELEBRATE YOU AND THANK YOU.

[APPLAUSE].

I HAVE KNOWN YVETTE FOR A LONG TIME.

I FIRST MET HER I HAD HAIR.

SHE'S BEEN CARING ABOUT HER COMMUNITY AND PROFESSION AND IT SHOWS.

I WANT TO SAY THANK YOU.

TURN THE MICROPHONE OVER TO YOU.

>> I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR THINKING OF ME TODAY.

IT SAYS, I WANT YOU TO KNOW FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART I REALLY APPRECIATE IT.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE KIND.

I APPRECIATE THAT YOU TOOK THE TIME TO EXPRESS ANYTHING TO ME AT THIS POINT.

I THANK EVERYONE IN LOUISVILLE AND REMAIN IN PRAYER FOR OUR CITY, THIS IS MY HOME, WE HAVE TO DO EVERYTHING TO WRAP OUR ARMS AROUND EACH OTHER DURING THIS TIME.

THERE'S A LOT THAT DIVIDES US.

BUT AS LOUISVILLIANS WE HAVE TO COME TOGETHER AND LOVE EACH OTHER.

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THIS.

I REMAIN IN PRAYER.

I BELIEVE IN OUR CITY.

THANK YOU.

>> WE CAN'T SEE WHAT IS HAPPENING AT THE LECTERN, SO FIRST OF ALL THANK GENTRY FOR HER SERVICE AND CAME IN AT CHALLENGING TIME AND SACRIFICED FOR YOU AND FOR YOUR FAMILY TO GIVE TO THE CITY,

I THINK WE'RE ALL GRATEFUL.

COUNCILWOMAN GREEN.

>> I WANTED TO PUBLIC MY SAY HOW MUCH WE APPRECIATE YVETTE GENTRY.

THERE'S NOT TOO MANY PEOPLE, PROBABLY ANYBODY FROM AROUND THE COUNTRY THAT WOULD HAVE STEPPED IN AT THE TIME SHE DID.

I KNOW THAT IT WAS WITH THOUGHT AND WITH PRAYER BUT SHE DID IT AND SHE SAID THAT SHE LOVED THE CITY.

SHE HAS SERVED THIS COMMUNITY HONORABLY WITH -- WITH MANY MANY DIFFERENT HATS, PARTICULARLY I HAVE TO JUST APPLAUD HER AS A WOMAN BUT AS A BLACK WOMAN FOR LITTLE GIRLS AROUND THE COMMUNITY, LITTLE GIRLS OF COLOR TO HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO LOOK AT YOU AS THE TOP LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIAL IN THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE, CITY OF OUR SIDE, SHE'S GIVEN US SO MUCH.

YOU HAVE GIVEN US THE ABILITY TO -- TO BELIEVE AND TO KNOW THAT THERE WAS HARD WORK AND TENACITY WE CAN ACHIEVE.

MY HAT IT OFF TO YOU.

I KNOW YOUR BABY TURNS 16 TODAY AND YOU GET TO GO BACK INTO THE PRIVATE SECTOR AND RELAX A LITTLE BIT.

TAKE CARE OF YOU, MY FRIEND, AND WE APPRECIATE YOUR SERVICE.

>> THANK YOU SO MUCH.

I APPRECIATE THAT.

>> NO ONE ELSE IN QUEUE.

I'LL TURN IT BACK OVER TO YOU.

>> MAYOR PRO TEM.

IN THE QUEUE.

>> THANK YOU.

>> JUST MOVED OFF OF IT.

>> THANK YOU.

I LIKE TO POINT OUT THAT CHIEF GENTRY IS A PROUD DISTRICT 3RD
RESIDENT.

SHE'S MY NEIGHBOR AND SHE'S MY FRIEND.

SHE'S BEEN MY CO-WORKER.

SHE'S BEEN SUPERVISOR AT ALL LEVELS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

WE WERE SEPARATED ONE TIME.

SHE'S THE SAME ONE.

I GET TO SEE IT EVERY DAY AND AM HONORED TO HAVE THOSE VERY
RELATIONSHIPS WITH SOMEONE OF THIS CALIBER.

WITH THAT, THANK YOU FOR WHAT YOU DID FOR OUR CITY.

THANK YOU PERSONALLY AND LIKE TO SEE YOU BACK IN THE
NEIGHBORHOOD.

>> NOW I DON'T SEE ANYONE IN QUEUE.

SO PRESIDENT JAMES, ON TO YOUR NEXT PROCLAMATION.

>> THANK YOU.

>> OKAY.

SO -- SO FOR ALL OF YOU THAT MAY NOT RECOGNIZE HIM BEHIND HIS
MASK IS THE FORMER WESTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY U.S. ATTORNEY,
RUSSELL COLEMAN.

RUSSELL COLEMAN HAS BEEN OUTSTANDING PARTNER TO LAW ENFORCEMENT AND OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES ALL THROUGHOUT THIS STATE.

I HAVE TOLD HIM THIS BEFORE AND I'LL SAY IT AGAIN, HE'S THE VERY BEST U.S. ATTORNEY I'VE EVER SEEN IN MY ENTIRE LIFE.

I WANT TO SAY THANK YOU.

SO YOU RECENTLY RESIGNED YOUR POSITION AND I JUST WANTED TO BE ABLE TO RECOGNIZE AND SAY THANK YOU FOR THAT.

WE HAVE A PROCLAMATION.

KNOW YEE WITH HONOR RUSSELL COLEMAN AND SERVED THE UNITED STATES OF KENTUCKY AND LOUISVILLE WITH HONOR AND DISTINGUISHED DURING HIS TIME AS SPECIAL AGENT WITH THE FBI.

LEGAL COUNCIL TO SENATOR MCCONNELL.

BRIEFING COORDINATOR TO TWO U.S. ATTORNEYS GENERAL AT THE U.S.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, ASSISTANT COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEY OF

KENTUCKY'S 12TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT AND U.S. ATTORNEY FOR THE

WESTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY AND CURRENTLY SERVING AS VICE-CHAIR

OF THE COORDINATION AND RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE AND THE ADVISORY

COMMITTEE AND A MEMBER OF THE HEROIN OPIATE WORKING GROUP AND A

MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIA DRUG TRAFFICKING AREA.

WOW.

WHEREAS RUSSELL WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN CREATING AND LEADING THE

GROUP VIOLENCE INTERVENTION PROGRAM IN LOUISVILLE, AND

VOCALIZING THAT GUN VIOLENCE IS PART OF A SYSTEMATIC RACISM AND

MUST BE ADDRESSED.

THIS PROGRAM WILL CONTINUE AS PART OF HIS LEGACY AND WHEREAS THE U.S. ATTORNEY FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY RUSSELL SECURED FUNDING TO OPEN AN OFFICE IN BOWLING GREEN AND INCREASE THE STAFF IN ALL THREE OFFICES.

WHEREAS RUSSELL HAS WORKED TO COMBAT CHILD PROHIBITERS IN PADUKA AND MEXICAN PRODUCED VETS AND SAFE I65 AND RELENTLESSLY PURSUED JUSTICE FOR THE FAMILIES OF ELLIS AND ROGERS.

WE CONFER THIS HONOR WITH ALL OF THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES THERE UNTO PERTAINING IN TESTIMONY WHERE OF WE CAUSED THESE TO BE HERE AND TO AFFIXED DONE IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY THIS 20TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2021.

SO WITH THAT, I LIKE TO PRESENT YOU WITH THIS PROCLAMATION.

JUST SAY THANK YOU FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP, THANK YOU FOR THE TRUTH THAT YOU HAVE SPOKEN.

I CAN'T SAY HOW REFRESHING IT WAS TO HEAR YOUR VOICE TALK ABOUT GROUP VIOLENCE OR GANG VIOLENCE AND THE PROBLEMS THAT WE'RE HAVING IN THE CITY AND FOR BEING SUCH A HEARD.

IT WAS A BREATH OF FRESH AIR.

I WANT TO SAY THANK YOU AND TURN THE MICROPHONE OVER TO YOU.

[APPLAUSE].

>> THANK YOU.

THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT AND WHAT MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, WHAT EXTRAORDINARY HONOR IT IS TO STAND AT THIS PODIUM, JUST A FEW MINUTES AFTER THE PHYSICAL EMBODIMENT SERVICE.

THIS IS A REAL HONOR TO STAND AT THE PODIUM.

LIKE THE 3 1/2 YEARS OF MY TIME AS ATTORNEY, I SPENT A LOT OF TIME AT PODIUMS TALKING ABOUT WORK OTHER PEOPLE DID.

IT IS AN HONOR TO RECEIVE THIS.

I RECEIVE IT ON BEHALF OF FOLKS THAT WEAR UNIFORMS LIKE OFFICER HAYGOOD THAT ARE OUT ON COLD NIGHTS LIKE THIS AND WEAR THE UNIFORM AND THE GRAY AND THE POLICE AND THE BROWN OF JEFFERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

THEY'RE DOING THE REAL WORK.

THEY WEAR SUITS LIKE THIS FOR FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT.

THEY TRY TO MAKE THINGS SAFE FOR KIDS.

THEY DO THE WORK AND FOR 3 1/2 WORK I'VE HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF TALKING FOR THEM.

MR. PRESIDENT, MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL, I ALSO WANT TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR ENGAGEMENT, NOT ONLY WITH OUR NEW CHIEF A MOMENT AGO, BUT THIS AREN'T RS AND DS IN TERMS IT OF VICTIMS.

THOSE 173 WE LOST LAST YEAR IN OUR CITY, THEY DIDN'T HAVE R AND DS IN PARENTHESIS BEHIND THEM.

I'M CONVINCED, CONVINCED THAT THE MOST SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT IN PUBLIC SAFETY, IN THIS DECADE, ONE, IS -- IS THE NEW LEADERSHIP FOLLOWING ON THE HEALS OF THE FOUNDATION

THAT -- THAT -- THAT GENTRY PROVIDED AND THE NEW LEADERSHIP WITH SHIELDS AND EXCITED ABOUT HER LEADERSHIP HERE AND COUPLED WITH GROUP VIOLENCE INTERVENTION.

UNFORTUNATELY IT HAS AN ACRONYM OF CBI.

IT WORKS.

IT WORKS BECAUSE IT SAYS WE CAN DO THINGS IN A MORE EQUITABLE WAY AND A MORE EFFECTIVE WAY IF WE HAVE OVER POLICED AND UNDERPROTECTED AND IT CONCEDES THAT WITH ALL HUMILITY AND CONCEDE WE CAN DO A MORE EQUITABLE JOB.

IT WORKS.

WE'VE SEEN IT IN CITIES LARGE AND SMALL.

I THINK IN THE OP-ED RECENTLY, COUNCILMAN AND IN ENDORSING GBI WE HAVE TO DO IT RIGHT.

MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL AS A DAD TRYING TO RAISE HIS KIDS IN THIS CITY, AS OUR LEGISLATIVE BRANCH HOLD THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THIS CITY ACCOUNTABLE.

HOLD OUR COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEY AND ACTING UNITED STATES ATTORNEY ACCOUNTABLE FOR DOING GBI RIGHTS.

HOLD CHIEF GENTRY.

I'M SO USED TO SAYING YOUR NAME, CHIEF SHIELDS, HOLD OUR CHIEF ACCOUNTABLE.

WE KNOW IT WORKS.

WE SEEN IT FAIL IN OTHER CITIES AND BE WIDELY SUCCESSFUL AND SAVE LIVES.

BRING THOSE NUMBERS DOWN.

AS A MEMBER OF THIS LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OF OUR METRO GOVERNMENT, HOLD THE MAYOR OF THIS CITY AND THOSE WHO SERVE HIM WHO

PRIMARILY WILL BE THE FIRST AMONG EQUALS IN IMPLEMENTING GBI,
HOLD THEM ACCOUNTABLE.

DON'T ALLOW FOR ANYTHING OTHER THAN THIS BECAUSE WE KNOW IT
WORKS AND WE CAN SAVE LIVES.

THANK YOU FOR HOSTING ME AND THANK YOU FOR THE PRIVILEGE
MR. PRESIDENT AND YOUR SERVICE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

[APPLAUSE].

>> COUNCILWOMAN GREEN.

>> I WANT TO THANK RUSSELL FOR HIS SERVICE, I HAVE GOTTEN TO
KNOW HIM.

WHAT HE DOESN'T KNOW IS THE LEVEL OF COMPASSION THAT RUSSELL HAS
PERSONALLY DEMONSTRATED TO VICTIMS UPON THE -- VICTIMS OF
NONVIOLENT FAMILIES.

HE'S BECOME A SECOND FRIEND, COUSIN, BROTHER, TO MANY OFERS THAT
FAMILIES.

I HAVE NOT EVER REALLY SEEN A U.S. -- A U.S. ATTORNEY ACT IN A
MANNER IN WHICH HE HAS AND THE LEVEL OF COMPASSION THAT HE HAS
SHOWN TO THEM.

SO WE WILL MISS YOU AND WE WISH YOU WELL AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO
YOUR CONTINUED INVOLVEMENT WITH THE GBI PROGRAM.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE, SO MUCH, RUSSELL.

>> THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME.

>> THANK YOU.

>> I WILL RELINQUISH THE CHAIR BACK TO PRESIDENT JAMES.

>> MADAM CLERK, ANY ADDRESSES TO THE COUNCIL?

>> MR. PRESIDENT?

>> YES.

>> I BELIEVE I ASKED YOU FOR --

>> YOU'RE RIGHT.

THAT'S CORRECT.

COUNCILMAN ACKERSON, I BELIEVE YOU HAVE A POINT OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

>> THANK YOU SO MUCH.

MR. PRESIDENT, I WANT TO WELCOME THE BOY SCOUTS FROM 243 THAT ARE ATTENDING TONIGHT.

THEY'RE ATTENDING VIRTUALLY BECAUSE OF COVID.

THEY'RE A TROOP FROM THE 26 COUNCIL DISTRICT.

THE SCOUTS ARE WATCHING THE MEETING AND WORKING ON CITIZENSHIP AND THEIR MERIT BADGE, ONE THAT THEY WILL EARN TO REACH EAGLE SCOUT.

AND THEY'RE HERE TONIGHT AS THEY ATTEND THIS MEETING VIRTUALLY WITH THEIR SCOUTMASTER, MATTHEW HUBERT, THEIR COMMITTEE CHAIR FRANK HOLTZMAN AND THEIR COUNSELOR TOM KENNEDY.

AND THOSE ATTENDING, ANDERSON, WINSON, KUHN, CALEN COOPER, DESMOND, AND JOHNNY HIGH KEMPER.

AND TIMMY HIGH KEMPER AND HOLTZMAN AND HUBER AND BEN KING AND LUKE KING, NATHAN KING, JACKSON MCGREGOR, WILL OTT, ROBERTSON, SHIVELY, LOGAN WOREMAN AND JOHN WARREN AND SAM WETZEL.

WE WANT TO TELL THESE YOUNG MEN, WE APPRECIATE THE COMMITMENT YOU MADE TO YOURSELF AND THE COMMITMENT YOUR MADE TO BETTER YOURSELF AND YOUR COMMUNITY THROUGH YOUR SERVICE TO THE SCOUTS. WE APPRECIATE YOU ATTENDING TONIGHT AND APPRECIATE THE PATH THAT YOU'RE ON TO EARN THE MERIT BADGES AND BOLSTER THE EAGLE SCOUTS. THANK YOU SO MUCH.

>> THANK YOU.

AND CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE SCOUTS.

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS IS TO FILL THE VACANCY OF DISTRICT 25 REPRESENTATIVE.

>> I WILL GO OVER THE PROCESS.

ALL CANDIDATES ARE CONSIDERED NOMINATIONS, THEREFORE WE WON'T CALL FOR NOMINATIONS.

THE CLERK WILL CONDUCT A VOICE ROLL CALL VOTE.

WHEN SHE CALLS YOUR NAME, SIMPLY ANNOUNCE THE NAME OF THE CANDIDATE THAT YOU WISH TO BE VOTED FOR.

WE WILL REQUIRE 13 VOTES TO -- TO -- TO -- TO -- FOR FILL THE SEAT BECAUSE WE HAVE 25 REPRESENTATIVES ON THE COUNCIL AT THIS POINT.

ANY QUESTIONS?

MADAM CLERK.

[ROLL CALLED].

AMY HOLTON STEWART OR MICHELLE BUTLER.

>> MICHELLE.

>> THANK YOU, MA'AM.

>> THANK YOU MADAM CLERK, AMY HOLTON STEWART IS THE NEW REPRESENTATIVE TO DISTRICT IF YOU REMEMBER 25. CONGRATULATIONS.

[APPLAUSE].

>> DO WE HAVE MISS STEWART ON THE CALL?

THERE SHE IS.

CONGRATULATIONS.

WELCOME ABOARD.

AT THIS TIME HOLLIE IS GOING TO WITH THE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE IS GOING TO SWEAR YOU IN.

SO I WILL TURN IT OVER TO HOLLIE.

>> IF YOU RAISE YOUR RIGHT HAND.

I WILL READ THE OATH AND AT THE END, I'LL ASK YOU TO AFFIRM THAT YOU WILL ABIDE BY THE OATH, OKAY?

[OATH READ].

>> IF YOU'RE IN AGREEMENT, SAY I WILL.

>> I WILL.

>> CONGRATULATIONS.

>> ALL RIGHT.

>> NEW COUNCIL MEMBER STEWART.

WELCOME ABOARD AND IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING YOU WOULD LIKE TO SAY TO YOUR NEW COLLEAGUES AND CONSTITUENTS, I TURN THE MICROPHONE OVER TO YOU.

>> I LIKE TO EXPRESS MY SINCERE THANKS FOR THIS VOTE TONIGHT.
IT IS AN HONOR BUT MOSTLY A PRIVILEGE FOR THE OPPORTUNITY IT
SERVE THIS COMMUNITY IN WHICH I HAVE LIVED AND WORKED FOR A VERY
LONG TIME.

I PROMISE, I REALLY DO, TO BE A GREAT LISTENER AND TO FAIRLY
REPRESENT THE CONSTITUENTS OF THIS DISTRICT.

I BELIEVE BY WORKING TOGETHER, WE CAN ACCOMPLISH BIG THINGS FOR
DISTRICT 25 AND THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE.

THANK YOU SO MUCH.

>> WELCOME AGAIN.

THANK YOU.

>> ANY ADDRESSES TO COUNCIL?

>> YES, SIR.

>> LET ME REMIND THOSE ADDRESSING TO COUNCIL FROM REFRAIN
FROM USING DEROGATORY STATEMENTS.

MADAM CLERK, BRING THEM FORWARD.

>> JESSICA BELLAMY.

>> WE NEED A RESOLUTION THAT ADDRESSES THE ISSUES OF
SYSTEMATIC RACISM AND CLASSISM THAT ARE UNIQUE TO NEIGHBORHOODS
THAT HAVE AND CONTINUE TO ENDURE REDLINES AND INFRASTRUCTURAL
NEGLECT AND OVERPOLICING AND MASS EVICTION AND DISPLACEMENT AND
DISPOSSESSION AND NOW GENTRIFICATION.
WE NEED A POLICY THAT SEES THAT BLACK NEIGHBORHOODS ARE MADE UP
OF LOW INCOME AND FIXED INCOME RENTERS THAT HAVE ZERO PROTECTION

IN THE CITY FROM DISPLACEMENT AND HAVE A RIGHT TO REMAIN IN THEIR HOMES.

COUNCILWOMAN DOROTHY HAS PROPOSED AN ORDINANCE AND ARTHUR HAS INTRODUCED ONE.

I'M HERE TO SPEAK ON BEHALF OF THE SMOKETOWN NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION ON THE LARGER PROBLEM THAT INVOLVES BOTH.

WE SUBMITTED A FULL STATEMENT WITH DETAILS FOR YOUR REVIEW.

IN 2016, LOUISVILLE SOLD TWO BLOCKS OF PROPERTIES TO A COHORT OF DEVELOPERS AND BASED ON OUR RECORDED CONVERSATIONS WITH THE LEADERS, THEY'RE MANNING TO SELL THOSE HOMES FOR 150,000 DOLLARS EACH, WHICH IS WITHOUT QUESTION FINANCIALLY OUT OF REACH FOR THE MAJORITY OF OUR CURRENT RESIDENTS.

BACK IN 2016, THE HOPE BOX SIGNED A DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT WELLEN AJ THAT COMMITTED THEM TO DEVELOPMENT OF THESE UNAFFORDABLE HOMES WITHIN 18 MONTHS.

NO QUESTION IT WAS WITHIN THAT WINDOW THAT THEY PROMPTLY EVICTED SEVERAL NEIGHBORS THAT RENTED NEAR WHERE THE HOPE BOX DEVELOPMENT WAS TO OCCUR.

THEY KNOWINGLY DID THIS ON YOUR WATCH.

THE HOPE BOX AND LMHA SUCCESSFULLY COLLUDED TO GENTRIFY THAT SECTION OF BRECKENRIDGE.

AREAS LIKE SMOKETOWN AND BLACK AND LOW INCOME AND MAJORITY RENTER OCCUPIED NEED IMMEDIATE AND PROGRESSIVE AND THOUGHTFUL PROTECTIONS AGAINST DEVELOPERS AND LANDLORD LIKE THE HOPE BOX.

FORTUNATELY POLICY CAN DO A LOTTER HA.

COUNCILWOMAN DOROTHY'S ENDORSEMENT DOESN'T DO MUCH BETTER THAN THE PREVIOUS ORDINANCE BUT IT CAN STAND ALONGSIDE ARTHUR'S ORDINANCE.

THIS CITY'S GOVERNMENT HAS INSURED THAT EXTERNAL AFFLUENT STAKE HOLDERS HOLD ALL OF THE CARD IN HISTORICALLY BLACK NEIGHBORHOODS WHERE DEVELOPMENT IS CONCERNED.

THIS POWER IMBALANCE IS TIS GRACEFUL AND WON'T BE TOLERATED.

WE CALL ON YOU TO SUPPORT THE BLACK NEIGHBORHOODS ORDINANCE.

THIS IS MEANT TO CENTER THOSE MOST VULNERABLE TO GENTRIFICATION.

WE INVITE YOU TO READ THE FULL STATEMENT TO EXPLAIN THE NEED FOR POLICIES THAT CHALLENGE AND COULD RECTIFY THIS CITY'S RACIST AND CHASIST DEVELOPMENT PRACTICES.

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME.

>> AM AVERY.

>> THANK YOU.

>> I'M A RETIRED SOLAR INSTALLER.

WE WROTE THE 100 PERCENT RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOLUTION THAT YOU PASSED A YEAR AGO.

SINCE PASSAGE WE HAVE BEEN WORKING ON IMPLEMENTATION.

WE WROTE THE DOCUMENT CALLED THE LOUISVILLE ENERGY FUTURE.

YOU HAVE A COPY.

YOU HAVE A HARD COPY AND AN ELECTRONIC COPY.

THROUGHOUT THIS YEAR, REAL MEMBERS WILL READ FROM SECTIONS OF

THIS DOCUMENT AT COUNCIL MEETINGS.

THE OPENING SENTENCE OF OUR DOCUMENT IS RENEWABLE ENERGY IS THE ONLY FUTURE AVAILABLE TO HUMANITY.

I BELIEVE THIS THE OPENING PARAGRAPH SAYS THE RESOLUTION PASSED IN FEBRUARY 2020 CALLS FOR OPERATIONS BY 2030.

THAT GAVE US TEN YEARS.

WE HAD NINE YEARS LEFT.

THE RESOLUTION CALLS FOR 100 PERCENT CLEAN ENERGY OF ALL TYPES FOR METRO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS BY 2035 AND 100 PERCENT CLEAN ENERGY COMMUNITYWIDE FOR EVERYONE BY 2040.

THESE GOALS ARE AMBITIOUS BUT THEY'RE BASED ON THE BEST AVAILABLE SCIENCE AND THE TIME FRAME IS GENEROUS PROVIDED A COMMITMENT TO THE URGENCY OF ACTION IS MAINTAINED THROUGHOUT THE TIME FRAME.

WE DO NOT HAVE ALL OF THE ANSWERS BUT WE DO HAVE THE QUESTIONS.

WE DON'T EXPECT YOU TO FOLLOW WHAT WE SAY, LISTEN TO WHAT WE SAY.

CLIMATE CHANGE IS THE FIRST TRULY GLOBAL CRISIS IN HUMAN HISTORY.

THE ACTION MUST BE LOCAL.

THE CHANGES ARE HAPPENING IN THE CITY.

I'M HAPPY.

I HOPE THEY WORK WITH US AND WHAT WE KNOW ABOUT THE CRISIS, LGE WILL ABANDON ALL USE OF FOSSIL FUELS.

IF THEY DO NOT, WE'LL BE READY TO FIND SOMEONE WHO WILL.

YOU HAVE OTHER ISSUES TO ATTEND TO AND THE CLIMATE MAY NOT HAVE BEEN YOUR PRIORITY.

BUT RENEWABLE ENERGY IS A TRUTH THAT WILL REVEAL ITSELF IN THE LIVES OF ALL PEOPLE EVERYWHERE.

AS REPRESENTATIVES OF OUR COMMUNITY, THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO LEAD US TO THE ONLY PRACTICAL FUTURE WE MAY HAVE.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU.

>> JOSH?

>> YES.

HELLO AND THANK YOU.

LAST YEAR WE CREATED THE LOUISVILLE EVICTION LAB WITH THE LOCAL HOUSING ACTIVISTS AND IN JULY OF 2020, WE SIGNED MOU WITH THE JEFFERSON COUNTY AOC TO GET EVICTION DATA AND WE PUBLISHED THAT AS PART OF THE STORY MAP THAT IS AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE AND SUBMITTED A FULL STATEMENT.

WE FOUND THE EVICTION MORATORIUMS HAVE FAILED.

THERE WAS OVER 3600 EVICTIONS FILED IN JEFFERSON COUNTY AND OVER 1300 EVICTION JUDGMENTS.

WITH THE MAJORITY OF THOSE OCCURRING IN THE LATTER PART OF THE YEAR.

WE BELIEVE IT IS MUCH HIGHER DUE TO ILLEGAL EVICTIONS AND THOSE THAT GO UNRECORDED.

ANOTHER OPENS RECORD REVEALED LANDLORDS ARE TAKING PUBLIC SUBSIDIES AND MANAGEMENT AND HAS RECEIVED OVER 170,000 DOLLARS IN RENTAL ASSISTANCE AND FILED 149 EVICTIONS RESULTING IN 70 JUDGMENTS SINCE MARCH.

ALL OF THE PROPERTY MANAGEMENT HAS RECEIVED OVER 100,000 DOLLARS IN RENTAL ASSISTANCE MUST BE AND THEY FILED 65 EVICTIONS SINCE MARCH THAT WE KNOW ABOUT.

LOUISVILLE METRO GOVERNMENT HAS DISPERSED OVER 18.7 MILLION DOLLARS IN LANDLORD SUBSIDIES AND HAS FAILED TO INCLUDE ANY ACCOUNTABILITY MEASURES FOR THESE LANDLORDS.

IN OUR RESEARCH PRACTICES, WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT LOUISVILLE GOVERNMENT LIES CONSISTENTLY IN THE WAY THEY REPORT DATA AND IN STATEMENTS AND IN THEIR DEVELOPMENT POLICIES AND CONTRACTS.

THE THE CURRENT CDC ORDER COMES WITH ARBITRARY EXPIRATION DATE WHICH IS MARCH 31ST.

IT WAS SET TO EXPIRE JANUARY 31ST UNTIL PRESIDENT BIDEN EXTENDED IT.

THERE'S NO POINT IN ASSIGNING RANDOM END DATES TO THESE ORDERS WHEN WE DON'T KNOW WHEN THE PANDEMIC WILL BE OVER.

IT MAKES NO SENSE AND PUSHES THE PROBLEM DOWN THE ROAD.

MAYOR GREG FISHER HAS THE LEGAL AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT AN EVICTION MORATORIUM.

WE COULD LOOK TO NEW YORK AND CANCEL RENT WHICH MEANS CANCELLING MORTGAGE PAYMENTS.

WE PUT A MORATORIUM ON ALL EVICTIONS IMMEDIATELY.

EVERY DAY WE WAIT THE FAMILIES LOSE THEIR HOUSE.

EVERY EVICTION IS AN ACT OF VIOLENCE THAT DURING A PANDEMIC
COULD BE A DEATH SENTENCE.

WE EVICTED A THOUSAND FAMILIES IN LOUISVILLE KENTUCKY SINCE
MARCH AND WE SHOULD BE OUTRAGED BY THAT.

>> THANK YOU.

>> WILLIAM DALTON.

TAMIKA SHAW.

MR. PRESIDENT THAT CONCLUDES THE ADDRESS TO THE COUNCIL.

>> WE HAVE APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MINUTES.

ANY CORRECTIONS OR DELETIONS?

MOTION AND SECOND.

>> MOTION AND SECOND.

ALL IN FAVOR SAY AYE.

>> AYE.

>> ALL OPPOSED.

THE AYES HAVE IT.

THESE MINUTES ARE APPROVED AS WRITTEN.

NEXT WE HAVE APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE MINUTES, ALL IN
2021.

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMITTEE, SPECIAL COMMITTEE AS A WHOLE,

JANUARY 25TH, 2021, SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES JANUARY 26,

2021.

ANY CORRECTIONS OR DELETIONS.

MOTION AND SECOND.

MOTION FROM PIAGENTINI AND SECOND BY COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT.

THESE HAVE BEEN MOVED AND SECONDED.

ALL IN FAVOR SAY AYE.

>> AYE.

OPPOSED?

THE AYES HAVE IT.

THESE MINUTES ARE ARE APPROVED.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR?

>> YES.

>> REAPPOINTING THE FOLLOWING TO THE ARRIVESIDE LANDING.

REBECCA WILLS.

12. ID 21-0091 13. ID 21-0092

14. ID 21-0093 A RESOLUTION

APPROVING THE COMMITTEE MEETING

SCHEDULE OF THE LEGISLATIVE

COUNCIL OF THE

LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY

METRO GOVERNMENT ("COUNCIL") FOR

THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021.

15. R-004-21 AN ORDER TO APPROVE

A \$10,000 PERFORMANCE BOND FOR

THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY

METRO GOVERNMENT CLERK FOR
JANUARY 4, 2021 THROUGH JANUARY
4, 2022.

>> READ IN FULL.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.

THOSE COUNCIL APPROVAL WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE GOVERNMENT
OVERSIGHT AND AUDIT COMMITTEE.

NEXT TWO ITEMS OF BUSINESS ARE SPECIAL LEGISLATION.

AN ITEM MAY BE PASSED AT THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL AT WHICH IT
IS INTRODUCED IF IT PERTAINS TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE ACT OR
FUNCTION OF THE COUNCIL.

MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND SECOND TO INVOKE RULE 7.01C.

>> MOTION.

>> MOTION BY PIAGENTINI.

>> SECOND.

>> SECOND BY GREEN.

ALL IN FAVOR, PLEASE SAY AYE.

>> AYE.

ALL OPPOSED?

THE AYES HAVE IT.

PLEASE READ ITEM NUMBER 15.

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JANUARY 4, 2021 THROUGH JANUARY
4, 2022.

MOTION AND SECOND FOR APPROVAL.

>> MOTION BY PIAGENTINI AND WAS THAT FOX?

>> FOX.

>> THANK YOU.

SECOND BY COUNCILMAN FOX.

THE RESOLUTION IS PROPERLY BEFORE US.

IS THERE ANY DISCUSSION?

HEARING IN DISCUSSION, THIS -- IT RESOLUTION ALLOWS FOR

A -- A -- A VOICE VOTE.

ALL IN FAVOR SAY AYE.

>> AYE.

OPPOSED?

AYES HAVE IT.

THE RESOLUTION PASSES.

READING ITEM 16.

16. OR-001-21 OR-001-21 V.1

012821 BOND FOR COUNCIL

CLERK.PDF OR-001-21 ATTACH BOND

FOR MC CLERK.PDF AN ORDINANCE

RELATING TO THE DECISION OF THE

PLANNING COMMISSION TO APPROVE

THE REVISED DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT
PLAN PROPOSED IN CASE NO.
20-DDP-0047.

>> MOTION AND SECOND FOR APPROVAL?

>> MOTION BY COUNCILMAN PIAGENTINI AND SECOND BY PURVIS.

THE RESOLUTION IS BEFORE US.

IS THIS ANY DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE, THIS IS A RESOLUTION ALLOWING FOR A VOICE VOTE.

IN FAVOR, PLEASE SAY AYE.

>> AYE.

>> OPPOSED?

THE AYES HAVE IT.

THE RESOLUTION PASSES.

NEXT SIDE OF BUSINESS IS OLD BUSINESS.

MADAM CLERK READING OF ITEM 17.

17. O-587-20 AN ORDINANCE

APPROPRIATING \$6000 FROM

NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS

IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$1750

EACH FROM DISTRICTS 17 AND 21,

\$1500 FROM DISTRICT 15, AND

\$1000 FROM DISTRICT 18, THROUGH

THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND

BUDGET, TO GOODWILL INDUSTRIES

OF KENTUCKY, INC TO FUND THE
"ANOTHER WAY" PROGRAM DESIGNED
TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR
INDIVIDUALS TO GAIN JOB SKILLS
TRAINING AND WORK-BASED LEARNING
OPPORTUNITIES RATHER THAN

.

ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US, ANY DISCUSSION?

>> THIS CAME IN FRONT OF OUR COMMITTEE BY A RESOLUTION AT
THE REQUEST FROM COUNCILWOMAN IN THIS DEVELOPMENT MAN IN HER
DISTRICT.

THIS MAY -- YOU MAY RECOGNIZE AS PART OF THE ORDINANCE.

THERE WAS THINGS THAT -- CAUSED US TO PAUSE AND THINK THAT WE
NEEDED TO TAKE A CLOSER LOOK AT -- AT THE DECISION THAT WAS
BROUGHT BEFORE US.

AND WHAT WE THOUGHT WE WERE CONSIDERING WAS A 30-FOOT
ENCROACHMENT INTO WHAT WAS A 50-FOOT BUFFER AND WE THOUGHT THAT
UNTIL ABOUT 24 HOURS BEFORE THE MEETING THE APPLICANT ACTUALLY
PUT FORTH A NEW DEVELOPMENT PLAN THAT THE PLANNING COMMISSION
DID NOT GET TO SEE WHICH WAS ASKING FOR -- BECAUSE OF WHAT THEY
WERE GOING TO USE THE PROPERTY FOR WOULD REQUIRE ZONING WITH A
200-FOOT.

THIS IS HIGH INTENSE USE.

WE WERE UNANIMOUS DECISION TO REJECT THE PLANNING THE

DEVELOPMENT PLAN, BOTH THE FIRST ONE AND THE SECOND ONE.

AND IN THE PROCESS OF DOING THIS, WE HAVE ALTERNATIVE FINDERS OF FACT THAT I WILL NEED TO READ INTO THE RECORD.

WE WILL HAVE TO READ THOSE.

IS IT OKAY IF I READ THOSE INTO THE RECORD.

IS THERE ANY?

BUT WE NEED TO READ THIS INTO THE RECORD.

>> PLEASE PROCEED.

>> WHEREAS THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OVER LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL GOVERNMENT HAS RECEIVED EVIDENCE AND HAS REVIEWED THE EVIDENCE PRESENTED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING HELD BY THE LOUISVILLE METRO PLANNING COMMISSION, THE PLANS COMMISSION AND THE FINDINGS AND DECISION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION AS SET OUT IN THE MINUTES AND RECORD OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION IN CASE NUMBER 20DDP AND 0047 AND WHEREAS THE PLANNING COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL HAD A PUBLIC HEARING ON 20DDP0047 ON JANUARY THE 12TH 2021 AND WHEREAS THE PLAN PROVIDED A 30-FOOT ENCROACHMENT WHICH WAS WHAT BELIEVED TO BE A SETBACK AND WHEREAS THE MITIGATION EFFORTS PROPOSED BY THE APPLICANT PLACES THE BURDEN ON THE ABUTTING RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY TO REPORT NONCOMPLIANCE AND THE ABUTTING RESIDENCE OR PROPERTY OF 500 UNIT APARTMENT COMPLEX FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE HISTORIC AMERICANA APARTMENTS AND THOSE AT THE ORDINANCE STATION IS INHABITED BY IMMIGRANTS AND REFUGEES WHO HAVE NO SUCH CONNECTION TO THE CURRENT USE.

WHEREAS AT THE HEARING THE APPLICANT PRESENTED A REVISED PLAN THAT WOULD INCREASE THE SETBACK BEYOND WHAT WAS FROM POSED BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND WHEREAS AT THE SAME TIME IT WAS REVEALED THE USE, WHICH THE APPLICANT ORIGINALLY PROPOSED REQUIRES A 200-FOOT SETBACK IF THE LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE SECTION 2.6.1.8.1 AND WHEREAS THE 200-FOOT SETBACK IS TO PREVENT NEIGHBORING PROPERTIES FROM THE POTENTIALLY SERIOUS INTRUSIONS CREATED BY THE M2 USE SUCH AS NOISE POLLUTION AND LIGHT AND THE GENERAL SAFETY AND WHEREAS THE REVISED PLAN SHOWN TO THE COMMITTEE PROPOSED A 90-FOOT SETBACK NECESSITATING A WAIVER OF 110 FEET AND WHEREAS THE PUBLIC WAS NOT ADEQUATELY NOTIFIED OF EITHER THE 200-FOOT SETBACK OR THE REVISED PLAN TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE COMMENTS ON THE PROPOSAL AND WHEREAS THE PLAN APPROVED BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION REPRESENTED AN EVEN MORE SIGNIFICANT INTRUSION INTO THE 200-FOOT SETBACK AND WHEREAS THE COUNCIL FINDS A WAIVER ALLOWING A 30-FOOT ENCROACHMENT INTO A 50-FOOT SETBACK AS STUD ON THE PLANNING COMMISSION WAS INAPPROPRIATE TO GRANT CIRCUMSTANCES AND THE COUNCIL FINDS A WAIVER ALLOWING 100-FOOT ENCROACHMENT INTO 200-FOOT SETBACK WOULD ALSO HAVE BEEN INAPPROPRIATE TO GRANT UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

WHEREAS THE COUNCIL REJECTS THE FINDINGS OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR THE REVISED DEVELOPMENT PLAN IN CASE NUMBER DDT0047 AND REJECTS THE PLANNING COMMISSION SET OUT IN RECORD AND LEAVING THE DEVELOPMENT MAN THAT EXISTED BEFORE THE HEARING

IN PLACE.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO GOVERNMENT AS FOLLOWS.

SECTION ONE THAT THE REVISED DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 105 WACHESTE DRIVE AND IN THE MINUTES AND RECORDS OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND DD20047 IS HERE BY REJECTED.

SECTION TWO, THIS ORDINANCE WILL TAKE EFFECT UPON ITS PASSAGE AND APPROVAL, AND I MOVE THAT -- THAT AS -- AS A MINUTE BY SUBSTITUTION.

>> I DON'T KNOW IF SHE WANTS TO BE RECOGNIZED.

>> SHE'S HERE.

>> I'M SORRY.

>> ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION.

ALL IN FAVOR SAY AYE.

>> AYE.

>> AYE.

ALL OPPOSED?

THE AYES HAVE IT.

CONTINUE COUNCILMAN FLOOD.

>> AT THIS TIME I THINK THE ORDINANCE DESCRIBES WHAT TOOK PLACE AND HOW WE CAME ABOUT OUR DECISIONS.

AT THIS TIME I ENCOURAGE MY COLLEAGUES TO VOTE FOR THIS REJECTION OF THIS NEW DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND I WOULD -- I WOULD

MOVE THAT AS APPROVAL.

>> THANK YOU.

>> ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

ANY WANT TO DISCUSS FURTHER.

I'M SORRY, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE.

[ROLL CALLED].

>> YOU HAVE 24 YES VOTES.

THE ORDINANCE PASSES.

THE NEXT ITEM IS NEW BUSINESS.

IF YOU LEAVE, TO SO QUIETLY SO THE CLERK CAN READ NEW BUSINESS.

I ASK COUNCIL MEMBERS TO REMAIN IN CHAMBERS FOR PICTURES AND
COUNCIL MEMBERS WISHING TO MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

PLEASE REMAIN UNTIL AFTER NEW BUSINESS IS READ INTO THE RECORD.

NEW BUSINESS COMPRISES OF ITEMS 18 THROUGH 44.

WILL THE CLERK READ THOSE ITEMS AND ASSIGNMENTS TO COMMITTEE.

1. ID 21-0075

18. O-020-21 AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 073,

SERIES 2020, RELATING TO THE

FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 OPERATING

BUDGET FOR LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON

COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT, BY

TRANSFERRING \$30,000 FROM THE

NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUND

(DISTRICT 3) TO LOUISVILLE METRO
COUNCIL GENERAL OPERATIONS
(DISTRICT 3).

19. O-022-21 AN ORDINANCE
APPROPRIATING \$20,000 FROM
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS
IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$15,000
FROM DISTRICT 12 AND \$5,000 FROM
DISTRICT 14, THROUGH THE OFFICE
OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, TO
JEFFERSON COUNTY PUBLIC
EDUCATION FOUNDATION TO FUND
PORTIONS OF A NEW PLAYGROUND AT
JOHNSONTOWN ROAD ELEMENTARY
WHICH WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
AND SURROUNDING NEIGHBORHOODS.

20. O-024-21 AN ORDINANCE
APPROPRIATING \$8,500 FROM
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS
IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$5,000
FROM DISTRICT 12; \$2,500 FROM
DISTRICT 14; AND \$1,000 FROM
DISTRICT 15, TO METRO PARKS TO
FUND THE ANNUAL RIVERVIEW

INDEPENDENCE FESTIVAL, A FREE
COMMUNITY EVENT, ON SATURDAY,
JULY 3, 2021 AT RIVERVIEW PARK.

21. O-027-21 AN ORDINANCE
AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 090,
SERIES 2009 RELATING TO THE
FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010 CAPITAL
BUDGET, ORDINANCE NO. 102,
SERIES 2016 RELATING TO THE
FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017 CAPITAL
BUDGET, ORDINANCE 059, SERIES
2017, ORDINANCE NO. 115, SERIES
2017 RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR
2017-2018 CAPITAL BUDGET,
ORDINANCE 109, SERIES 2018
RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR
2018-2019 CAPITAL BUDGET,
ORDINANCE 082, SERIES 2019
RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR
2019-2020 CAPITAL BUDGET AND
ORDINANCE NO. 072, SERIES 2020
RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR
2020-2021 CAPITAL BUDGET BY
TRANSFERRING FUNDS BETWEEN

PROJECTS.

22. O-001-21 AN ORDINANCE
AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 073,
SERIES 2020 RELATING TO THE
FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 OPERATING
BUDGET FOR THE
LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY
METRO GOVERNMENT BY
APPROPRIATING \$11,043,300 OF
GENERAL FUND COMMITTED FUND
BALANCE FROM FISCAL YEAR
2019-2020 TO PUBLIC HEALTH &
WELLNESS.

23. O-021-21 AN ORDINANCE
AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 102,
SERIES 2016 RELATING TO THE
FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017 CAPITAL
BUDGET, ORDINANCE NO. 072,
SERIES 2020 RELATING TO THE
FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 CAPITAL
BUDGET, AND ORDINANCE 073,
SERIES 2020, RELATING TO THE
FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 OPERATING
BUDGET BY TRANSFERRING FUNDS AND

ESTABLISHING A NEW PROJECT
TITLED D2 PETERSBURG PARK
IMPROVEMENTS 24. 0-025-21 AN
ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO.
072, SERIES 2020 RELATING TO THE
FISCAL YEAR 2020-21 CAPITAL
BUDGET, FOR THE
LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY
METRO GOVERNMENT BY
APPROPRIATING \$526,700 OF
GENERAL FUND COMMITTED FUND
BALANCE FROM FISCAL YEAR 2019-20
TO PARKS AND RECREATION FOR A
NEW CAPITAL PROJECT TITLED GOLF
DEFERRED MAINTENANCE; AMENDING
ORDINANCE NO. 073, SERIES 2020
RELATED TO THE FISCAL YEAR
2020-21 OPERATING BUDGET BY
APPROPRIATING \$2,246,300 OF
GENERAL FUND COMMITTED FUND
BALANCE TO ESTABLISH A PENSION
MITIGATION FUND TO ADDRESS
FUTURE PENSION OBLIGATIONS AND
AMENDING GENERAL PROVISIONS IN

BOTH ORDINANCE NO. 073, SERIES
2020 RELATED TO THE FISCAL YEAR
2020-21 OPERATING BUDGET AND
ORDINANCE NO. 072, SERIES 2020
RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR
2020-21 CAPITAL BUDGET.

25. O-033-21 A RESOLUTION
AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT
\$5,430,961 OF SUPPLEMENTAL
CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF AND
ECONOMIC SECURITIES (CARES) ACT
FUNDING THROUGH THE U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN
DEVELOPMENT (HUD) FOR THE
EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT
PROGRAM TO CONTINUE EFFORTS IN
SUPPORTING COMMUNITY NEEDS AND
RESPONDING TO THE COVID-19
PANDEMIC 26. R-011-21 AN
ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 32 OF
THE LOUISVILLE METRO CODE OF
ORDINANCES REVISING THE
GOVERNANCE AND ADMINISTRATION OF
THE COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY.

27. O-006-21 AN ORDINANCE
CREATING A NEW CHAPTER OF THE
LOUISVILLE METRO CODE OF
ORDINANCES RELATING TO METRO
COUNCIL'S REVIEW OF ANNEXATION
REQUESTS SENT FROM SUBURBAN
CITIES 28. O-015-21 AN ORDINANCE
OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL
TO APPROVE THE ANNEXATION BY THE
CITY OF INDIAN HILLS OF PHOENIX
HILL COURT 29. O-019-21 A
RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE
CAPITAL AND OPERATING BUDGET
ORDINANCES APPROVING THE
APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE
FOLLOWING NONCOMPETITIVELY
NEGOTIATED NEW SOLE SOURCE
CONTRACT FOR SURVEILLANCE
CAMERAS- (RECONYX, INC. -
\$50,000.00) .

30. R-002-21 A RESOLUTION
PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND
OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES
APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO

FUND THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENT TO
A NONCOMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED
PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT
FOR OMB CONCERNING A BUSINESS
ANALYST FOR THE METRO ERP
PROJECT- (AMBER HALLORAN -
\$45,000.00 FOR A NEW NOT TO
EXCEED AMOUNT OF \$75,000.00) .

31. R-003-21 A RESOLUTION
PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND
OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES,
APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO
FUND THE FOLLOWING
NONCOMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED SOLE
SOURCE CONTRACT FOR ANIMAL
SERVICES CONCERNING A BLOODWORK
ANALYSIS DEVICE (IDEXX
DISTRIBUTION, INC. -
\$60,000.00) .

32. R-006-21 A RESOLUTION
AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 103,
SERIES 2020 DETERMINING EIGHT
LOTS ON SHAGBARK ROAD IN
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY SHOWN ON

EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO
OWNED BY THE
LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY
METRO GOVERNMENT ("METRO
GOVERNMENT") SUCCESSOR TO THE
CITY OF LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, AS
SURPLUS AND NO LONGER NEEDED FOR
A GOVERNMENT PURPOSE AND
AUTHORIZING 3411, 3413, 3415,
3417, 3418, 3419, 3420 AND 3423
SHAGBARK ROAD ALL IN METRO
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY (THE
"LOTS") TO BE CONVEYED TO
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY TO BE
DEVELOPED AS LOW INCOME HOUSING.
LEGISLATION ASSIGNED TO PLANNING
AND ZONING COMMITTEE AN
ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE ZONING
OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 11116
DEZERN AVENUE CONTAINING
APPROXIMATELY 2.55 ACRES AND
BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO (CASE
NO. 20ZONE0084).
34. O-008-21 AN ORDINANCE

"LOTS") TO BE CONVEYED TO
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY TO BE
DEVELOPED AS LOW INCOME HOUSING.
LEGISLATION ASSIGNED TO PLANNING
AND ZONING COMMITTEE AN
ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE ZONING
OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 11116
DEZERN AVENUE CONTAINING
APPROXIMATELY 2.55 ACRES AND
BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO (CASE
NO. 20ZONE0084).

34. O-008-21 AN ORDINANCE
RELATING TO THE ZONING OF
PROPERTY LOCATED AT 4508
TAYLORSVILLE ROAD CONTAINING
APPROXIMATELY 0.9 ACRES AND
BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO (CASE
NO. 20ZONE0081).

35. O-009-21 AN ORDINANCE
RELATING TO THE ZONING OF
PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 8816-8820
W. MANSLICK ROAD CONTAINING
APPROXIMATELY 11.28 ACRES AND
BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO (CASE

NO. 19ZONE0091).

36. O-011-21 A RESOLUTION
INITIATING A REVIEW OF THE
DECISION OF THE LANDMARKS
COMMISSION DESIGNATING THE
PROPERTY LOCATED AT 211-215 WEST
MUHAMMAD ALI BOULEVARD IN
LOUISVILLE METRO AS A LOCAL
LANDMARK.

37. R-008-21 AN ORDINANCE
RELATING TO THE CLOSURE OF A
PORTION OF BOHANNON AVENUE
CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 47,058
SQUARE FEET AND BEING IN
LOUISVILLE METRO (CASE NO.
20STRCLOSURE0017).

38. O-013-21 AN ORDINANCE
RELATING TO THE ZONING OF
PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 999 & 1007
S. ENGLISH STATION ROAD
CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 21.8
ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE
METRO (CASE NO. 20ZONE0056).

40. O-017-21 AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING CHAPTER 36 OF THE
LOUISVILLE METRO CODE OF
ORDINANCES ("LMCO") RELATING TO
THE CIVILIAN REVIEW AND
ACCOUNTABILITY BOARD AND THE
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL BY
CLARIFYING MEMBERSHIP AND THE
COMPLAINT PROCESS.

42. R-005-21 A RESOLUTION
AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT
\$18,000 OF ADDITIONAL FUNDING
FROM THE COMMONWEALTH OF
KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET
FOR THE KENWOOD ELEMENTARY
SIDEWALK ENHANCEMENTS PROJECT TO

B

ITEM 43, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT 18,000 DOLLARS OF
ADDITIONAL FUNDING FROM COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION CABINET FOR
THE KENWOOD WALK ENHANCEMENT TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND ASSETS.

A RESOLUTION ALLOWING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT 18,000 FROM THE
ROADWAY ENHANCEMENT PROJECT.

READ IN FULL.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK, WE HAVE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ANY COUNCIL MEMBERS HAVE ANNOUNCEMENTS TO MAKE?

NO ANNOUNCEMENTS TO BE MADE.

THAT CONCLUDES OUR MEETING.

AND AGAIN, WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST COUNCIL MEMBER, WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE WITH US.

AND WE WILL SEE YOU SOON.

OUR NEXT COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE THURSDAY FEBRUARY 11TH, 2021 AT 6 P.M. AND COUNCILWOMAN STEWART, I BELIEVE THAT GENEVIEVE WILL BE IN TOUCH WITH YOU IN THE MORNING ALONG WITH EDWIN TO HELP YOU GET YOUR OFFICE SET UP AND GET THINGS GOING.

OKAY?

>> THANK YOU.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU.

WITH WITH NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO DISCUSS, WITHOUT OBJECTION, WE STAND ADJOURNED.