

**Metro Council Meeting
April 28, 2022**

>>>THE REGULAR METRO COUNCIL MEETING OF LOUISVILLE FOR APRIL 28, 2022 WILL NOW COME TO ORDER.

PLEASE RISE FOR THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG.

>> I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG, OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS, ONE NATION, UNDER GOD, INDIVISIBLE WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL.

>>THIS MEETING IS BEHIND HELD PURSUANT TO KRS61.826 AND COUNCIL RULE 5A.

MADAM CLERK LET THE RECORD REFLECT COUNCILWOMAN HOLTON-STEWART HAS AN EXCUSED ABSENCE, AND PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.

>>BOWENS?

>>YES.

>>SHANKLIN?

>>PRESENT.

>>DORSEY?

>>PRESENT.

>>ARTHUR?

>>PRESENT.

>>PURVIS?

>>PRESENT.

>>PRESIDENT JAMES?

>>HERE.

>>MCCRANEY?

>>HERE.

>>ARMSTRONG?

>>HERE.

>>HOLLANDER?

>>HERE.

>>MULVIHILL?

>>HERE.

>>KRAMER?

>>HERE.

>>BLACKWELL?

>>HERE.

>>FOX?

>>HERE.

>>FOWLER?

>>HERE.

>>TRIPLETT?

>>HERE.
>>REED?
>>HERE.
>>WINKLER?
>>HERE.
>>PARKER?
>>HERE.
>>PIAGENTINI?
>>HERE.
>>BENSON?
>>PRESENT.
>>GEORGE?
>>HERE.
>>ENGEL?
>>PRESENT.
>>PEDEN?
>>HERE.
>>FLOOD?
>>HERE.
>>HOLTON-STEWART?
ACKERSON?
>>PRESENT.
>>MR PRESIDENT YOU HAVE 25 AND A QUORUM.
>>THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
LOUISVILLE IS STILL IN THE GREEN WE NEED TO KEEP THAT
GOING.
GET VACCINATED AND BOOSTED.
THIS IS A REASON TO CELEBRATE, WE STILL NEED
TO BE CAREFUL WE LOST 45 PEOPLE LAST WEEK AND 815
NEW CASES THIS WEEK.
PLEASE KEEP FAMILIES TOUCHED BY COVID IN YOUR
THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS, AND LET'S TAKE A MOMENT OF
SILENCE.
THANK YOU.
COLLEAGUES AND THOSE WATCHING ON METRO TV.
EACH YEAR BY LAW THE MAYOR PRESENTS A BUDGET NO LATER
THAN THE SECOND MEETING SCHEDULED IN THE MONTH OF
APRIL PRIOR TO THE START OF THE FISCAL YEAR.
WE HAVE UNTIL THE LAST DAY OF JUNE TO PASS A BUDGET.
WE ARE HONORED TO HAVE WITH US MEMBERS OF THE
ADMINISTRATION I WANT TO THANK YOU ALL FOR BEING
HERE.
WITHOUT FURTHER ADO I WOULD LIKE TO INTRODUCE TO
YOU MAYOR GREG FISCHER TO INTRODUCE THE 22-23
BUDGET.
(APPLAUSE)

>>THANKS EVERYBODY.

I THINK OF MUHAMMED ALI, LOUISVILLE'S FAVORITE SON, HE ONLY COUNTED HIS SIT UPS WHEN THEY STARTED HURTING BECAUSE THEY ARE THE ONLY ONES THAT COUNT. OUR BUDGET REMINDED ME OF THOSE SIT-UPS, OUR CHOICES WERE OFTEN PAINFUL.

THAT IS NOT THE CASE TODAY, BECAUSE THE RESOURCES WE NOW HAVE.

TODAY I AM PRESENTING TO YOU THE OPERATING CAPITAL BUDGETS FOR FISCAL YEAR 23, AND OUTLINING THE FEDERAL AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN WILL IMPACT OUR CITY OVER THE COMING YEARS WITH POTENTIALLY 1 BILLION DOLLARS COMING OUR WAY.

WE HAVE NEVER SEEN THIS AMOUNT OF FUNDING FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT PLUS FUNDS FROM CARES AND THE EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

CAN I GET AN AMEN TO THAT?

WE'VE BEEN WAITING FOR A BUDGET LIKE THIS.

LET'S REMEMBER WHAT A BUDGET CAN PRODUCE.

THE PAST 11 BUDGETS HAVE PAID OFF.

AMONG THOSE INVESTMENTS THE OHIO RIVER BRIDGES PROJECT WITH 32 MILLION VEHICLE CROSSINGS LAST YEAR.

THE EXISTENCE OF THESE BRIDGES AFTER 40 YEARS OF DISCUSSIONS SHOWS OUR PROGRESS.

20,000 PEOPLE MOVING OUT OF POVERTY AND ANOTHER 20,000 FAMILIES MOVING INTO HE MIDDLE CLASS.

MORE THAN \$475,000,000 FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING, EVICTION PREVENTION, HOME REPAIRS AND TACKLING HOMELESSNESS.

80,000 NEW JOBS, 3,500 NEW COMPANIES.

MAKING LOUISVILLE A SOCCER CITY WITH MEN'S AND WOMEN'S AND YOUTH TEAMS.

WE WERE NAMED ONE OF THE BEST SOCCER CITIES IN AMERICA.

CREATING A NEW HOSPITALITY CONCEPT, URBANISM.

WITH LOUISVILLE AS A TRAILHEAD WITH 10 NEW DISTILLERY AND BOURBON EXPERIENCES, WITH WHISKEY ROW AND 15 NEW HOTELS IN DOWNTOWN ALONE.

UNPRECEDENTED INVESTMENTS IN OUR RESIDENTS IN PARKS, LIBRARIES, HEALTHCARE SO MANY AREAS THAT MADE DIFFERENCES IN PEOPLE'S LIVES.

WE LAID THE GROUNDWORK IN THE BUDGET I AM PRESENTING TODAY TO PLANT SEEDS FOR EVEN MORE PROGRESS.

THE STRONG ECONOMY SHOWS THAT METROS IS RETURNING TO PRE-PANDEMIC REVENUE LEVELS.

SO BRIEFLY THE OVERALL BUDGET IS INCREASING FROM \$1.1 BILLION DOLLARS TO \$1.3 BILLION DOLLARS. OUR GENERAL FUND IS \$715 MILLION DOLLARS REFLECTING AN INCREASE OF \$57 MILLION OVER THE CURRENT YEAR. BECAUSE OF FEDERAL FUNDING WE ARE ABLE TO PRESENT A CAPITAL BUDGET OF \$343 MILLION DOLLARS COMPARED TO \$167 MILLION IN FY 22.

WE KNOW A BUDGET IS MORE THAN NUMBERS. IT'S A STATEMENT ABOUT OUR VALUES. THIS WILL BE MY LAST PROPOSED BUDGET AS MAYOR. I AM ASKING TO WORK TOGETHER TO PUT OUR MONEY WHERE OUR VALUES ARE.

OUR VALUES ARE ALL ABOUT IMPROVING HEALTH, CONTINUING DEDICATION TO LIFELONG LEARNING, AND BE A COMPASSIONATE CITY.

AT THE BEGINNING OF MY FIRST TERM, BECAUSE OF A HISTORIC RECESSION WE FACED A \$22.5 MILLION DEFICIT, 10% UNEMPLOYMENT AND TREMENDOUS ANXIETY. IN A YEAR AND A HALF INTO BEING ELECTED INTO A THIRD TERM, WE EXPERIENCED A PANDEMIC, AND CALLS FOR RACIAL JUSTICE ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

BETWEEN THOSE CHALLENGES WE RESHAPED OUR GOVERNMENT TO REFLECT 21ST CENTURY REALITIES AND PLAN FOR OUR FUTURE FOR ALL AREAS OF LOUISVILLE.

AS IN LIFE WE MUST CHANGE OR WE WITHER AWAY. WE HAVE RESPONDED BY RESHAPING AND MODERNIZING GOVERNMENT TO MEET CHALLENGES AND SEIZE ON OPPORTUNITIES.

THAT MODERNIZATION IS WHY WE CREATED AN OFFICE FOR SAFE AND HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOODS, AN OFFICE FOR EQUITY, LOUISVILLE FORWARD, AN OFFICE FOR SUSTAINABILITY, AN OFFICE FOR PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT AND INNOVATION, GLOBALIZATION AND ONE WATER, WHICH HAS HELPED KEEP CONSUMER RATES LOWER AND IS WORKING TO REGIONALIZE WATER AND WASTEWATER SERVICES.

OUR STEWARDSHIP TOGETHER HAS ALSO MEANT BALANCING THE BUDGET WHILE MAXIMIZING EFFICIENCY OF REVENUE GENERATED BY HARDWORKING TAX PAYERS. THIS OVERSIGHT HAS REQUIRED A LOT OF DIFFICULT DECISIONS.

IN 2011 WHEN I TOOK OFFICE, WE HAVE 5,400 FULL TIME EMPLOYEES. NOW WE ARE RIGHT AROUND 5,000.

SOME OF THIS WAS BECAUSE OF INTENTIONAL EFFICIENCIES, HARD CHOICES ALSO HAD TO BE MADE.

WE HAVE CONTINUED TO DELIVER SERVICES AND GROW AS A CITY, WHILE HAVING FEWER AND FEWER EMPLOYEES TO DO THE WORK.

WE HAVE BEEN RECOGNIZED NATIONALLY FOR THIS. LOUISVILLE IS ONE OF ONLY TWO CITIES TO ACHIEVE PLATINUM CERTIFICATION FOR OUR USE OF DATA TO GUIDE OUR WORK.

AND TO ACHIEVE TOP BOND RATINGS, AAA AND A1 FROM FITCH AND MOODIES.

WE HAVE RECEIVED THESE RECOGNITIONS BECAUSE OF MEASURABLE, QUANTIFIABLE RESULTS.

FOR INSTANCE, WE MADE 21 1/2 MILLION DOLLARS IN CAPITAL INVESTMENTS WHICH ARE NOT JUST BRICK AND MORTAR, THEY TRANSFORM THE COMMUNITY AND THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE THERE.

THEY'VE INCLUDED NEW LIBRARIES IN SOUTH CENTRAL, SOUTHWEST AND EAST LOUISVILLE.

-- COLONIAL GARDENS AND OTHER PLACES.

NORTON HEALTHCARE SPORTS AND LEARNING CENTER, THE WEST END OPPORTUNITY PARTNERSHIP AND THE WESTWARD EXPANSION OF WATERFRONT PARK.

[APPLAUSE]

THIS FISCAL YEAR ALONE, WE COMPETED FOR AND WON 43 BUSINESS ATTRACTION AND EXPANSION PROJECTS WITH THE FINANCIAL COMMITMENT OF MORE THAN \$1 BILLION AND OVER 4,300 JOBS.

OUR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOCUS KEEPS OUR ECONOMY PUMPING THROUGH

THE PANDEMIC AND INFLATION. IT IS WELL-DESIGNED TO GROW AND WITHSTAND DOWNTURNS. LOGISTICS WILL CONTINUE TO GROW WITH INCREASING ONLINE ACTIVITIES. STAGING AND WELLNESS SECTOR WILL GROW WITHIN OLDER AMERICA.

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING WILL CONTINUE TO GO TAND EXPAND FIELD BUS FINANCE FROM THE RECENTLY ELECTRIC BATTERY MANUFACTURING PLANTS. AND FOOD AND BEVERAGE WILL CONTINUE TO SURGE.

IT'S NOT JUST NUMBERS. YOU CAN SEE IT ALL AROUND YOU.

WORKERS AND CONVENTIONEERS ARE RETURNING TO DOWNTOWN. JUST LAST WEEK, LOUISVILLE WELCOMED 12,000 CONVENTION GOERS TO THE CITY.

AND IT WAS GREAT TO SEE OUR SIDEWALKS, COFFEE SHOPS, HOTELS AND BUSINESSES ONCE AGAIN BUSTLING WITH PEOPLE.

WE MUST RECOGNIZE THE DOWNTOWNS ARE FOREVER CHANGED BY THE PANDEMIC. THE MANY OFFICE JOBS ARE NOW BEING DONE FROM HOME.

SO THE COMMUNITY WILL WELCOME LOUISVILLE DOWNTOWN PARTNERSHIPS UPCOMING 10 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN TO HELP US ADDRESS THE SHIFT.

THE OVERALL RESEARCHING ECONOMY IS WHAT FUNDS THE BUDGET AND IS ECONOMIC ENGINE OF THE STATE, THE ENTIRE COMMONWEALTH BENEFITS

FROM OUR HARD WORK AND SUCCESSES. THIS BUDGET PROPOSAL WILL CONTINUE THE MOMENTUM.

IT KEEPS PUBLIC SAFETY AS PARTY NUMBER ONE, IT MAINTAINS RESPONSIBLE EYE ON EXPENSES, DEDICATED TO DELIVERING QUALITY MODERN SERVICES THROUGH CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT AND INNOVATION AND

IT IS DONE WITH AN EQUITY LENS IN ALL OF OUR OPERATIONS AND EFFORTS. LET'S START WITH PUBLIC SAFETY.

AS IT HAS BEEN THROUGHOUT MY THREE TERMS AS MAYOR, PUBLIC SAFETY REMAINS MY NUMBER ONE PRIORITY. NOTHING ELSE MATTERS IF OUR PEOPLE ARE NOT SAFE AND ABLE TO LIVE

AND WORK COMFORTABLY THROUGHOUT OUR CITY.

WE ARE CURRENTLY EXPERIENCING A REDUCTION YEAR TO DATE OF 15 PERCENT AND VIOLENT CRIME, 35 PERCENT REDUCTION IN SHOOTING, AND OVERALL REDUCTION IN THE CRIME RATE OF EIGHT PERCENT.

BUT IT IS NO SECRET GUN VIOLENCE IS A PROBLEM ALL ACROSS AMERICA AND RIGHT HERE AT HOME.

OUR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE NUMBERS ARE ABOUT THE SAME AS LAST YEARS. THAT JUST REMAINS UNACCEPTABLE.

WITH THAT FIRST GROUNDED IN COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT WE ARE FUNDING LAW ENFORCEMENT, VIOLENCE INTERRUPTION PROGRAMS AND INITIATIVES TO REBUILD TRUST BETWEEN POLICE AND THE COMMUNITY THAT THEY SERVE.

AS THE CITY OF BREONNA TAYLOR LOUISVILLE HAS A RESPONSIBILITY TO LEAD AMERICA REBUILDING TRUST.

[APPLAUSE] WE CAN BE PRO-REFORM AND PRO-POLICE.

WE CAN BE PRO-ACCOUNTABILITY AND FOR THOSE WHO CONTINUE TO COMMIT VIOLENT CRIMES, PRO-INVESTMENT IN THE YOUNG PEOPLE.

SO THEY NEVER GO DOWN A PATH OF VIOLENCE.

THIS BUDGET FUNDS THREE LMPD CLASSES BRINGING HEADCOUNT TO 1,100 BY THE END OF FISCAL YEAR 23 INCLUDING LATERAL AND REHIRES. THIS IS PART OF A THREE-YEAR PLAN TO GET LMPD STAFFING UP TO 1,200 BY THE END OF FISCAL YEAR 25.

TO ENHANCE TRAINING WERE ALLOCATED \$6 MILLION FOR THE FIRST PHASE OF BUILDING A NEW FACILITY WITH LAND ACQUISITION AND DESIGN.

OUR GOVERNMENT APPROACH TO PUBLIC SAFETY ALSO CONTINUES A ROBUST NON-LAW ENFORCEMENT RESPONSE TO VIOLENCE IN OUR COMMUNITIES THROUGH A NUMBER OF EFFORTS. WE CREATED THE OFFICE FOR SAFE AND HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOODS IN 2,013, TO DEVELOP AND NURTURE SAFE NEIGHBORHOODS WHERE EVERYONE IS SECURE.

FREE OF VIOLENCE AND PREPARED FOR SUCCESS. WITH FEDERAL ARBOR FUNDS, WE'VE ONLY RECENTLY BEGUN TO ADEQUATELY FUND THIS CRITICAL WORK AND THE BUDGET CONTINUES THAT FUNDING.

OUR GROUP VIOLENCE INTERVENTION PROGRAM BRINGS TOGETHER LAW ENFORCEMENT, SOCIAL SERVICES AND FAITH-BASED PARTNERS TO CONNECT

WITH THE DRIVERS OF VIOLENCE TO PREVENT FURTHER VIOLENCE TO BUILD TRUST AND SUPPORT AT RISK RESIDENTS IN THE ENHANCED ACCOUNTABILITY FOR PARTICIPANTS.

OUR OFFICE OF YOUTH DEVELOPMENT ADVOCATES FOR YOUTH TO HELP ACHIEVE EQUITABLE HEALTHY AND HAPPY LIVES USING IN HALF MILLION DOLLARS TO OVER THREE YEARS CREATE A DATA-DRIVEN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM TO 10 TO 24-YEAR-OLDS.

PUBLIC SAFETY ALSO MEANS GIVING KIDS SAFE PLACES TO BE OFF THE STREETS AND OUT OF TROUBLE. ESPECIALLY AT THE TIME OF DAY WHEN PARENTS ARE NOT AT HOME.

THAT'S WHY I PROPOSE A \$412,000 TO EXPAND THE HOURS IN PROGRAMMING THAT THE COMMUNITY CENTERS HAVE.

[APPLAUSE]

AN IMPORTANT PUBLIC SAFETY INITIATIVE WITH OUR COMMUNITY AMBASSADORS PROGRAM. INVESTIGATORS WORK BLOCK BY BLOCK IN DOWNTOWN, WATERFRONT PARK, WEST AND SOUTH OF LOUISVILLE AND ANSWERING QUESTIONS AND KEEPING

AREAS CLEAN. WE PROPOSE A \$180,000 FOR THAT PROGRAM.

WE KNOW CLEANLINESS SETS THE TONE OF THE CITY AND WE HAVE SEEN GREAT RESULTS WITH CLEAN COLLABORATIVE.

WHICH BRINGS TOGETHER EMPLOYEES FROM THROUGHOUT METRO GOVERNMENT

TO COORDINATE AND MAXIMIZE EFFORTS TO KEEP THE NEIGHBORHOODS CLEAN. THAT'S WHY WE ARE ADDING \$500,000 TO EXPAND THEIR GOOD WORK. AND BECAUSE SAFE AND SMOOTH ROADS AND SIDEWALKS ARE ALSO CRITICAL FOR EACH AND EVERY NEIGHBORHOOD, THIS BUDGET INCLUDES \$22 MILLION FOR ROADS AND SIDEWALKS, AND \$500,000 FOR SCOOTER AND BIKE LANES. THAT IS ON TOP OF 2,000 MILES OF ROADS WE PAVED SINCE I TOOK OFFICE.

FISCAL YEAR 23 PROJECT SPANNED THE CITY. AND INCLUDE SOUTH WATERSON TRAIL FROM BARDSTOWN TO -- MORE IMPROVEMENTS FOR DIXIE HIGHWAY, AND CATAWBA STREET AND VIRGINIA AVENUE TO WILSON AVENUE.

THE KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY RECENTLY PASSED ITS BIENNIAL ROAD PLAN INCLUDING ALMOST \$380 MILLION IN PROJECTS FOR LOUISVILLE SUCH AS THE WIDENING AND REALIGNMENT OF US 60, EXTENSION PROJECT, PLANT SIDE DRIVE THAT INCLUDED THREE LANE ROUTE AND BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ACCOMMODATIONS. AND DESIGN MADE TO IMPROVE SAFETY AT THE SOUTHBOUND RAMP OF I-65 AT BROOK STREET.

TO BUILD ON EFFORTS, INTEGRATE THE CRITICAL TRUST NEEDED BETWEEN LAW ENFORCEMENT AND COMMUNITIES THEY SERVE, THIS BUDGET CONTINUES TO FUND THE RECOMMENDATIONS OFFERED BY THE -- REPORT AND TRUTH OF TRANSFORMATION AND LEAN INTO LOUISVILLE EFFORTS.

THE VERY PROMISING POLICE ACTIVITIES LEAGUE TO BUILD CONNECTIONS BETWEEN YOUTH AND POLICE WILL EXPERIENCE ITS FIRST FULL YEAR OF ACTIVITY.

OTHER AREAS OF PUBLIC SAFETY, FOR FIREFIGHTERS, \$1.4 MILLION FOR A BURN BUILDING ESPECIALLY STRUCTURE USED TO TRAIN FIREFIGHTERS PLUS FUNDING FOR LOUISVILLE FIRE RECRUIT CLASS WILL START MAY 2,023.

WE WILL FUND SECURITY, SAFETY AND FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS. INCLUDING A \$3.7 MILLION CAPITAL INVESTMENT FOR EXPANSION OF CAMERA SYSTEMS, ADDITIONAL MONITORING EQUIPMENT FOR THE OBSERVATIONS OF HIGH-RISK INMATES, AND MORE BODY SCANNERS AT ENTRANCES.

AND IN EMERGENCY SERVICES, WE WILL CONTINUE FUNDING FOR THE 911 CALL PRIORITIZATION AND DEFLECTION PROGRAM. WE LAUNCHED THE PILOT PROGRAM LAST MONTH AND ARE ADAPTING AS IT MOVES FORWARD WORKING TO REDUCE POLICE RESPONSE FOR PEOPLE THAT NEED HELP BUT DON'T NEED THE POLICE. THE BUDGET ALSO INCLUDES ALMOST 11 1/2 MILLION DOLLARS TO COMPLETE A \$29 MILLION STATE-OF-THE-ART COMPUTER DISPATCH AND RECORDS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

WE ARE INVESTING \$1.25 MILLION IN A NEW MOBILE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER.

TWO WEEKS AGO, WHEN A TORNADO HIT NEAR FERN CREEK, OUR MOBILE CENTER WAS PULLED OFF OF A S.W.A.T.

CALL OUT TO HELP RESPOND TO THE TORNADO.

AS WE SEE MORE WEATHER RELATED EMERGENCIES, IN A VEHICLE WITH THE MOST UP-TO-DATE TECHNOLOGY IS CRITICAL FOR REDUNDANCY.

WHAT YOU JUST HEARD IS A LIST OF AGGRESSIVE INVESTMENTS TO MAKE THE CITIES SAFER AND MORE SECURE.

WE MUST JUST AS AGGRESSIVELY, FUND TOOLS TO LIFT UP EACH INDIVIDUAL SO THEY CAN ALL ACHIEVE SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS. ONE OF THE MAIN REASONS I RAN FOR ONE THIRD TERM, WAS TO ENSURE FUNDING FOR OUR EVOLVE 500 TO PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.

THIS COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP WORKS TO ENSURE EVERY JCPS STUDENT CAN GO TO COLLEGE TUITION FREE.

TO DATE, EVOLVE 502 HAS RECEIVED ENOUGH FUNDING SO ALL STUDENTS EIGHTH GRADE AND UP, ARE ELIGIBLE.

BY ASSURING ACCESS TO COLLEGE EDUCATION, FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS, WE ARE REMOVING THE NUMBER ONE BARRIER TO POVERTY. THIS IS ONE OF THE GREAT ACCOMPLISHMENTS THAT WE HAVE ACHIEVED TOGETHER.

00:10:25,593 -- >172 TOLD SHE WAS ELIGIBLE FOR TUITION FREE SCHOLARSHIP FOR TWO-YEAR

INSTITUTION AND COULD THEN TRANSFER HER CREDITS TO A FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE, I THOUGHT MS. PORTER WAS KIDDING, REALLY, FREE! THE MORE SHE CONSIDERED THE MORE SHE REALIZED IT WAS AN INCREDIBLE OPPORTUNITY.

HER THINKING WAS TO GET AHEAD START FOR FREE AND THEN HEAD TO A FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION TO COMPLETE HER DEGREE.

NOW SHE IS A EVOLVE 502 PROMISE SCHOLAR STUDYING NURSING TUITION FREE.

SHE TELLS ALL OF HER FRIENDS TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE EVOLVE 502 PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP THINK ABOUT IT SERIOUSLY. DO WHAT YOU LOVE. SHE AND HER COUNSELOR, MS. PORTER, ARE BOTH HERE TODAY.

THANK YOU ALL VERY MUCH! [APPLAUSE]

TO EXPAND THE DREAM OF COLLEGE AND CREDENTIALS IN THE BUDGET, GOVERNMENT WILL CONTRIBUTE ANOTHER \$3 MILLION GRANT WITH A ONE-TO-ONE MATCHING REQUIREMENT.

MEANING THAT WE WILL NOW BE ABLE TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS TO ALL JCPS MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS, SIXTH GRADE AND UP. [APPLAUSE]

FOLKS, THIS IS LEGACY WORK.

CHANGING THE TRAJECTORY OF INDIVIDUALS FUTURE FAMILIES AND COLLECTIVE FUTURE. GREAT JOB TO EVERYBODY AS WE ARE CHANGING LIVES WITH THESE SCHOLARSHIPS.

WE INVESTING IN PEOPLE'S FUTURES IN OTHER WAYS AS WELL.

REALLOCATING \$600,000 TO KENTUCKY FOR THE KENTUCKY COLLEGE ACCESS CENTER. A ONE-STOP CENTER THAT HELPS USERS FILE FOR FINANCIAL AID, SEARCH FOR SCHOOLS, ASKED WORKER PATIENTS, COMPLETE ADMISSIONS OCCUPATIONS AND MUCH MORE.

SUMMER WORKS A PROGRAM TO PROVIDE YOUTH FOR SUMMER JOBS AND ALL IMPORTANT CONTEXT FOR THE FUTURE HAS BEEN A SMASHING SUCCESS IN HIS FIRST 11 YEARS. PLACING MORE THAN 36,000 KIDS IN JOBS WITH 240 EMPLOYERS.

WE WANT TO CONTINUE ITS IMPACT WITH THE MILLION DOLLARS IN THE BUDGET. THERE IS A UNIVERSAL NEED TO INCREASE TECH TALENT IN EVERY INDUSTRY.

SO WE MUST CONTINUE TO RAPIDLY SCALE OUR TECH WORK FOR US. WE WILL FUND THE AWARD-WINNING LOUISVILLE INITIATIVE FOR \$500,000.

ENABLING MORE LOUISVILLE LIENS TO MOVE TO BETTER PAYING JOBS WITH GREATER STABILITY AND UPSIDE POTENTIAL.

I ALSO WANT TO MENTION MAINTAINING THE \$279,000 COMMITMENT TO ANOTHER WAY PROGRAM OF GOODWILL INDUSTRIES.

METRO COUNCIL IDENTIFY THE PROGRAM THAT USES A VAN TO PICK UP HOUSE LIST PEOPLE AND TAKE THEM TO JOB SITES TO WORK FOR MEALS AND STATEMENTS. ALSO CONNECTS THEM WITH OPPORTUNITIES FOR EMPLOYMENT,

TRANSITIONAL OR PERMANENT HOUSING AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT CENTERS.

LET'S KEEP THAT GOING.

LIBRARIES AND LIFELONG LEARNING BENEFITS HAVE BEEN AN ABSOLUTE PRIORITY THROUGHOUT MY ADMINISTRATION AND WE HAVE MUCH TO SHOW FOR THAT.

FOUR NEW LIBRARY BUILT SEVERAL OF HIS EXPANDED AND MODERNIZED.

FINES AND FEES FOR LATE MATERIALS AT THE LIBRARY LATE LAST YEAR. SOMETHING THIS BUDGET CONTINUES.

EARLIER THIS WEEK WHEN IS THE PLANTINGS FEDERAL AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN FUNDS TO OPEN TWO MORE NEW LIBRARIES IN PARKLAND AND FERN CREEK.

TO DRAMATICALLY RENOVATE AND MODERNIZE THE MAIN LIBRARY SO IT PROVIDES THE SAME AMENITIES AS OTHER NEW REGIONAL LIBRARIES. AND TO EXPAND THE PORTLAND LIBRARY.

[APPLAUSE]

OUR FUNDS ARE ALSO GOING TO SUPPORT HEALTH AND COMMUNITY IN THE FORM OF POOLS AND PARKS. INCLUDING \$5 MILLION FOR ALGONQUIN AND NORTON POOLS.

\$500,000 EACH FOR IROQUOIS AND ELLIOTT PARKS.

\$200,000 FOR -- PARK.

[APPLAUSE]

AND FUNDS ARE ALSO GOING TO PRESERVE AND EXPAND THE HISTORIC BAXTER COMMUNITY CENTER IN THE HEART OF THE RUSSELL NEIGHBORHOOD AS WELL AS CREATE A NEW PARK AT 13TH AND MOHAMED ALI.

[APPLAUSE]

OUR AWARD-WINNING ZOO IS LAUNCHING A UNIQUE EXHIBIT.

THE KENTUCKY TRAILS. THE STATE BUDGET JUST PAST INCLUDED \$10 MILLION FOR THIS PROJECT.

MY PROPOSED BUDGET INCLUDES \$5 MILLION FOR THE PROJECT.

TO BE MATCHED BY \$5 MILLION FOR PRIVATE DONATIONS.

[APPLAUSE]

THE TRAILS ONLY 20 UNDEVELOPED ACRES AT THE ZOO WILL BE AN EXTENSIVE INTERACTIVE NATURAL EXPERIENCE PROVIDING UP CLOSE ENCOUNTERS WITH ANIMALS NATIVE TO OUR AREA, THAT MEANS OUR FANTASTIC ZOO WILL KEEP GETTING BETTER AND BETTER.

WE ARE RECOMMENDING \$200,000 TO COMPLETE THE PARKING LOT AND LOUISVILLE METRO ANIMAL SERVICES. AS THE FINAL COMPONENT OF A BEAUTIFUL NEW COMPLEX AND TAKES CARE OF VULNERABLE ANIMALS IN THE COMMUNITY.

WATERFRONT PARK IS RECEIVING \$4 MILLION, ALSO WITH THE MATCH REQUIREMENT.

ON TOP OF OTHER COMMITMENTS, THAT MEANS THAT THERE IS NOW AN OPPORTUNITY FOR \$30 MILLION, WESTWARD EXPANSION BETWEEN NINTH AND FIFTH STREET USING LOCAL STATE AND PRIVATE FUNDS FOR THIS GREAT PROJECT. [APPLAUSE]

WE HAVE BEEN THROUGH SO MUCH TOGETHER.

AS A CITY, AS A NATION AND PARTICULAR IN THE LAST TWO YEARS.

LOUISVILLE, WE'VE HAD MORE THAN 230,000 CONFIRMED CASES OF COVID ALONG WITH 2,300 TRAGIC DEATHS.

AS WE WENT TO LIVE WITH COVID-19, WE ALL WANT WAYS TO GET OUT OF THE HOUSE, TO BE SAFELY AROUND OTHERS, TO SHARE IN THE JOY OF OUR RECOVERY FROM SUCH CHALLENGING TIMES.

I BELIEVE ONE WAY TO ADDRESS THIS COLLECTIVE TRAUMA IS THROUGH THE POWER OF THE ARTS.

TRAVIS MONK A GREAT SPIRITUAL THINKER THOMAS BERNHARDT IS 1,958 EPIPHANY ON THE CORNER OF FOURTH AND WILL NOT READ HERE LOUISVILLE SAID QUOTE ART ENABLES US TO FIND OURSELVES AND LOSE OURSELVES AT THE SAME TIME.

WITH \$1.3 MILLION IN THE BUDGET, WE WILL LAUNCH LOUISVILLE HEARTS.

A UNIQUE INITIATIVE WITH THE FUND FOR THE ARTS LOUISVILLE ORCHESTRA TO BRING THE HEALING POWER OF THE ARTS.

[APPLAUSE]

AND I APPRECIATE METRO COUNCIL INTEREST IN THIS INITIATIVE, THANK YOU ALL IN ADVANCE FOR PARTICIPATING AND NOMINATING YOUTH FROM EACH ONE OF YOUR DISTRICTS FOR A NEW YOUTH ARTS COUNCIL. THE ARTS BRING US TOGETHER.

THEY CHALLENGE AND DELIGHT AS THEY IMPROVE OUR MENTAL HEALTH.

AND I TRULY BELIEVE THEY CAN HELP BRING SOME RELIEF TO SO MANY WHO HAVE BEEN IN SO MUCH PAIN OVER THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS.

WE ALSO KNOW WE NEED TO ADDRESS OUR COMMUNITIES PHYSICAL HEALTH NEEDS.

AMONG THE GREAT HEROES OF THE PAST TWO YEARS, IS THE TEAM IN OUR PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

LOUISVILLE IS ONE OF THE FEW CITIES WHOSE BROWN AND BLACK RESIDENTS DID NOT SUFFER A DISPROPORTIONATE IMPACT OF COVID-19.

THAT DID NOT HAPPEN BY ACCIDENT. BUT BY DESIGN, AND THE TIRES ARROW? THE EFFORTS OF THE TEAM AT PUBLIC HEALTH AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS OVER THE YEARS. I WANT TO SAY CONGRATULATIONS TO THE ENTIRE CITY ON THIS. THIS WAS A MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENT. [APPLAUSE]

WE'VE USED CARES AND UPPER FINDINGS OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT CONTINUES TO CARRY OUT THIS MONUMENTAL WORK.

THIS BUDGET FUNDS THE WORK AT \$24.7 MILLION, \$3.9 MILLION INCREASE.

HEALTH INCLUDES ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH. THAT'S WHY I CREDIT THE OFFICE FOR SUSTAINABILITY RECOGNIZING THE THREAT OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE ROLE THE CITY PLAYS IN MINIMIZING RISK AND HAZARDS.

THE OFFICES HELP TO SHAPE CLIMATE CHANGE GOALS THE CITY RECENTLY RECEIVED LEED SILVER CERTIFICATION FOR SUSTAINABILITY WORK.

WELLS HAVE AN A RATING WITH THE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENTAL NONPROFIT CDP. COMMITMENT TO A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE REQUIRES VISION AND ACTION AND

IT GOES DOUBLE WHEN WE MARRY SUSTAINABILITY WITH ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. THE ENVIRONMENT INSTITUTE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE IS

LEADING THE WORLD IN THE STUDY OF HEALTH AS A SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITION AND NOT JUST INDIVIDUAL ONE.

00:20:09,548 -- >328 PEOPLE TO SUPPORT POST COVID DOWNTOWN.
THE BUDGET WILL INVEST \$6 MILLION TOWARD THE GOAL, CONTINGENT ON
THREE THINGS. ONE, THAT U OF L CAN GUARANTEE AT LEAST \$30 MILLION
FROM OTHER
SOURCES.

A 5 TO 1 MATCH. THAT WILL GIVE US A GLOBAL MODEL OF A SUSTAINABLE
URBAN BUILDING
COMPLEX IN PART THAT THE NEW DOWNTOWN ATTRACTION.
THREE, THEY WILL BECOME A RESEARCH PARTNER TO METRO GOVERNMENT
AND TO IMPROVE ALL OF LOUISVILLE HEALTH.
AND TO ALL THAT I SAY, GO CARDS!

[APPLAUSE]

THIS BUDGET INCLUDES A NEW ENERGY INNOVATION FUND WITH THE FIRST
\$700,000 FUNDED FROM SUCCESSFUL ENERGY SAVINGS WE'VE ALREADY
COMPLETED.

WE ALSO INCLUDING \$600,000 TO PLANT NEW TREES AND OTHER
ENVIRONMENTAL RESILIENCY EFFORTS.

TO LEAD A HEALTHY AND SUCCESSFUL LIFE, WE KNOW IT'S CRITICAL THAT
FOLKS HAVE A PLACE TO CALL THEIR OWN.

MAYA ANGELOU SAID THE ACHE FOR HOMELESS AND ALL OF US.

A SAFE PLACE WHERE WE CAN GO AS WE ARE AND NOT BE QUESTIONED.

DURING THE TIME I'VE BEEN IN OFFICE, IT HAS BEEN AN HONOR TO
INVEST \$,106 MILLION IN AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

[APPLAUSE]

THIS IS A GREAT TESTAMENT TO OUR TEAMWORK.

PRIOR TO US DOING THIS, PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATIONS HAD INVESTED \$7
MILLION. WE'VE DONE \$,106 MILLION TOGETHER.

[APPLAUSE]

COUNSEL HAS BEEN A HUGE PARTNER IN THIS.

SPECIFICALLY, I WANT TO RECOGNIZE THE BUDGET CHAIR BILL HOLLANDER,
FOR HIS TIRELESS EFFORTS OF THE CHAMPION FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING DAY
IN AND DAY OUT.

[APPLAUSE]

THAT BEING SAID, WE'VE GOT A LOT LEFT TO DO THAT'S WHY THIS
BUDGET INCLUDES AN ADDITIONAL \$10 MILLION TO BUILD AFFORDABLE
HOUSING. [APPLAUSE]

PLUS, WE INCLUDING \$3.4 MILLION TO REPAIR AND MAINTAIN
HOMEOWNERSHIP AND LOW-INCOME AREAS AND DOWN PAYMENT ASSISTANCE
OF

\$3 MILLION TO INCREASE HOMEOWNERSHIP AMONGST LOW TO MODERATE
INCOME HOUSEHOLDS.

I AM PARTICULARLY GRATEFUL FOR THE POWER OF THIS LIFE-CHANGING
PROGRAM. TRICIA MILLER, SINGLE MOTHER, LIVED IN AN APARTMENT.

A LOT OF PROBLEMS AND LACKING AMENITIES SHE NEEDED.

SHE SET THE GOAL OF OWNING HER OWN HOME TO BECOME HER FAMILY'S
FIRST HOMEOWNER.

SHE WORKS EXTRA SHIFTS AND SAVED HER MONEY AND HER FRIEND TOLD HER ABOUT THE DOWN PAYMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

SHE APPLIED AND QUALIFIED.

THE FIRST TIME IN HER OWN HOME, SHE SAID SHE SAT ON THE FLOOR OF THE EMPTY HOUSE, AND SAID TO HERSELF, I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS IS OURS.

THE HOME IN MORE THAN GOD SENT SHE SAID.

SHE IS WITH US TODAY, A GREAT SUCCESS FOR THE METRO DOWN PAYMENT PROGRAM. CONGRATULATIONS TRICIA.

[APPLAUSE]

WE ARE ALSO CONTINUING SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENTS TO ADDRESS THE NEEDS OF THOSE WHO ARE NOT HOUSED INCLUDING THE HOPE VILLAGE, SAFE OUTDOOR SPACE, WHICH OPENS TODAY AND TOOK HIS FIRST CLIENTS TODAY.

[APPLAUSE]

IT IS INDEED A PLACE OF HOPE THERE.

THERMAL SHELTER TENTS WILL HOUSE PEOPLE WITH SHOWERS, TOILETS, ACCESS TO ELECTRICITY AND FOOD ON-SITE HEALTH CARE, MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING AND JOB TRAINING.

THIS BUDGET ALSO RESTORES FUNDING FOR METRO COUNCIL NDF AND OFFICE BRING THEM TO \$75,000 AND \$30,000 RESPECTIVELY.

AND MAINTAINS A \$100,000 CAPITOL INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDS PER DISTRICT. WE KNOW COUNCIL MEMBERS HAVE THEIR EARS TO THE GROUND AND CAN TARGET THOSE FUNDS FOR CRITICAL NEIGHBORHOOD LEVEL NEEDS. WORKFORCE CHALLENGES.

THEY EXIST IN VIRTUALLY EVERY INDUSTRY IN AMERICA.

AND WE IN METRO GOVERNMENT ARE NO EXCEPTION.

WE BOOSTED PAY TO INCREASE RETENTION AND ENCOURAGE RECRUITMENT. WE MADE AND CONTINUE TO MAKE TECH INVESTMENTS TO SUPPORT OUR EMPLOYEES MISSIONS AT WORK CAN BE OF AN ACTIVE PARENTAL LEAVE TO GIVE THEM THE SUPPORT THAT THEY NEED TO BE THERE FOR THEIR FAMILIES.

THIS BUDGET CONTINUES THE INVESTMENTS ALONG WITH A TWO PERCENT COST-OF-LIVING INCREASE FOR NONUNION EMPLOYEES. UNION MEMBERS COMPENSATION COMPONENTS WILL FOLLOW THEIR CONTRACTS.

OUR TEAM MEMBERS HAVE SACRIFICED DEEPLY TO SERVE THE PEOPLE OF LOUISVILLE.

ESPECIALLY OUR FIRST RESPONDERS, WHO PUT THEIR LIVES IN LINE FOR OUR SAFETY AND SECURITY.

WE OWE THEM A TREMENDOUS DEBT OF GRATITUDE. [APPLAUSE]

IT IS NOT JUST POLICE OFFICERS, FIREFIGHTERS, PARAMEDICS.

SADLY, DURING MY TIME AS MAYOR, 11 METRO EMPLOYEES HAVE LOST THEIR LIVES IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

TODAY'S NATIONAL WORKERS MEMORIAL DAY.

I WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE EACH ONE OF THEM.

ZACHARY -- , TIMOTHY CROFT, TRENT HAYNES, HASSAN HASSAN.

MARQUES HUGHES.

LARRY KEIZER, RICHARD LONGORIA, JOHN MARTIN, DEIDRA -- , NICK RODMAN AND THOMAS TALLEY.

I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO RECOGNIZE DOCTOR SARAH BETH CARTLEDGE. HE TRAGICALLY PASSED RECENTLY AND YOU SAVED COUNTLESS LIVES IN LEADING OUR COVID-19 RELIEF EFFORTS.

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YEARS. MOVING PEOPLE OUT OF POVERTY, INTO HOUSING, CREATING NEW BUSINESSES, AND STRONGER WORKFORCE. I BELIEVE THE PROPOSED INVESTMENTS IN THIS BUDGET WILL PAY OFF AS WELL.

WE MUST ACKNOWLEDGE THAT SOME OF THE FUNDING IS MADE THESE INVESTMENTS POSSIBLE.

THE NATION IS FORTUNATE, THE LEADERSHIP OF PRESIDENT BIDEN AND HIS ADMINISTRATION WHO CAME TO THE RESCUE OF THIS NATION.

WE IN LOUISVILLE ARE THANKFUL FOR CONGRESSMAN, THE CHAIR OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE WHOSE GREAT 16 YEAR CAREER IN GOVERNMENT IS CAPPED AT THIS ACHIEVEMENT. [APPLAUSE]

THE IMPACT OF THE FEDERAL CARES ACT AND AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN CANNOT BE OVERSTATED. THE FUNDING FROM THESE FEDERAL LAWS LITERALLY SAVED LIVES AND

HOUSEHOLDS THROUGH THE WORST OF COVID-19 IN THE INVESTMENTS THAT MADE WILL BE FELT FOR GENERATIONS.

WE ARE ALSO PLANNING FOR PROJECT MADE POSSIBLE BY THE BIPARTISAN INFRASTRUCTURAL LAW.

WHAT COULD BRING LOUISVILLE HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN NEW INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT.

THAT IS A HISTORIC OPPORTUNITY.

AND WHY WE ARE RECOMMENDING \$1.5 BILLION FOR ADDITIONAL RESOURCES TO PREPARE FOR THESE ANTICIPATED PROJECTS.

ALSO, MANY OF THESE PROJECTS REQUIRE A MATCH FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

SKIN IN THE GAME SO WE WILL SET ASIDE \$30 MILLION FOR THOSE MATCHES, MAKING IS BETTER ABLE TO COMPETE FOR THESE TRANSFORMATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES.

LOOK AT THIS AS A CONTINGENCY FUND AND IT WILL ONLY BE SPENT IF WE ARE SELECTED FOR THOSE COMPETITIVE GRANTS.

WE, THOSE OF US HERE IN THIS ROOM, HAVE DONE A GREAT JOB BALANCING OUR BUDGETS AND MAKING NEEDED INVESTMENTS.

BUT WE'VE HAD HELP TO RECOVER FROM THE PANDEMIC IN THE FORM OF FEDERAL FUNDS.

IN THE COMING YEARS, WHEN THESE FUNDS GO AWAY, THE NEXT MAYOR AND YOU, THE NEXT COUNCIL WILL NEED TO MAKE DECISIONS ON WHICH PROGRAMS TO CONTINUE WHILE CONSIDERING FACTORS LIKE REVENUE GROWTH, WORKFORCE AND PENSION REQUIREMENTS AND EXPENSE

REDUCTIONS.

TO HELP WITH THE CHALLENGE, BUDGET RECOMMENDS ADDING \$10 MILLION TO THE RAINY DAY FUND AND PUTTING ASIDE \$15 MILLION TO ADDRESS FUTURE BUDGET SHORTFALLS.

[APPLAUSE]

FOR THE UPCOMING FISCAL YEAR, I'M COMFORTABLE THAT WE PROPOSE A REASONABLE BUDGET THAT BOTH RESPONDS TO TODAY'S NEEDS AND CONTINUES TO POSITION LOUISVILLE AND IS GREAT PEOPLE FOR SUCCESS. SINCE 2011, OUR BUDGET AND OUR WORLD HAS EVOLVED.

SINCE 2020, SO MANY HAVE SUFFERED PAIN.

THIS BUDGET OWNS THE PAIN, RECOGNIZES UNLIMITED POTENTIAL AND CELEBRATE THE FUTURE.

BECAUSE AS ALI SAID, IS NOT WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU GET KNOCKED DOWN, IT'S WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU GET BACK UP.

MY TEAM AND I ALWAYS BELIEVED IN THE FUTURE OF OUR CITY.

AND THE TOUGHEST OF TIMES, WE NEVER WAVERED, NEVER ABANDON A VALUES OR EACH OTHER.

AND KEPT FIGHTING FOR EACH AND EVERY PERSON IN LOUISVILLE.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE ENTIRE TEAM AT METRO.

[APPLAUSE]

ELLEN IS OUR LEADER AND I WANT TO THANK THE ENTIRE TEAM AS WELL FOR THEIR STALLWORTH DETERMINATION AND NEVER ENDING HARD WORK. WE STAYED THE COURSE FIRMLY FOCUSED ON THE NEEDS OF OUR RESIDENTS AND OUR CITY HAS EMERGED STRONGER AND MORE CAPABLE THAN EVER. THE FIRST BUDGET ADDRESS, WE WERE CONFRONTED WITH HARSH POST RECESSION TRUTHS AND THE BUDGET I PRESENTED AND REFLECTED THOSE. DESPITE ALL THE CHALLENGES, I SAID THEN THAT IF WE TOOK THE NECESSARY STEPS, WE COULD BECOME WHAT WE ALL KNOW WE CAN BE. ONE OF THE MOST VIBRANT, ENTREPRENEURIAL AND ONE OF THE MOST COMPASSIONATE CITIES IN THE WORLD.

WE'VE TRAVELED FAR AND THAT JOURNEY TOGETHER. AND I TRULY BELIEVE LOUISVILLE FROM CORNER TO CORNER, NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR, FROM 2,011 THROUGH 2,020 AND NOW 22, WITH ITS RESIDENTS SHINING LIKE THE SUN, HAS BECOME ONE OF THE MOST VIBRANT, WILL THE MOST ENTREPRENEURIAL AND ONE OF THE MOST COMPASSIONATE CITIES IN AMERICA.

[APPLAUSE]

AND I SEE IT EVERY DAY.

OLD AND YOUNG, YOU, MY TEAM, THE BUSINESSES AND SCHOOLS, THE BUDGET KEEPS THAT GOING. TO THE METRO COUNCIL, WE HAVE MUCH MORE WORK AHEAD. AND I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING TOGETHER, TO CONTINUE OUR CITY

MOMENTUM. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTNERSHIP.

[APPLAUSE]

I WOULD BE NOWHERE WITHOUT THE LOVE AND SUPPORT OF MY FAMILY.

THEN, NOW AND ALWAYS. MY WIFE, DOCTOR ALEX IS HERE TODAY.

[APPLAUSE]

AND SO IS MY SISTER LYNN HAS ALWAYS BEEN THERE.

THANK YOU BOTH VERY VERY MUCH.

I WANT TO THANK THE PEOPLE OF LOUISVILLE FOR ENTRUSTING THE WELL-BEING OF THEIR LOVED ONES AND THE FUTURE OF OUR CITY AND OUR HANDS FOR THESE PAST 12 YEARS. IT IS MY HONOR TO BE YOUR MAYOR, EIGHT MONTHS LEFT IN MY ADMINISTRATION.

TO PARAPHRASE ELLIE, WE'RE NOT COUNTING THE DAYS, WE ARE MAKING THE DAYS COUNT. WE STILL HAVE A LOT OF WORK TO DO AND WE WILL BE RUNNING THROUGH

THE FINISH LINE. THANKS EVERYBODY. [APPLAUSE]

[APPLAUSE]

>> COLLEAGUES JOINING US THROUGH WEBEX, PLEASE STAY LOGGED IN. DO NOT LOG OUT.

I WILL ENTERTAIN A MOTION AND SECOND FOR 30 MINUTE RECESS. >> MOTION FOR RECESS. >> WITHOUT OBJECTION, WE ARE RECESSED.

THANK YOU.

>> MR. PRESIDENT MOTION WILL RECONVENE. >> COMPUTER. >> WE ARE BACK IN SESSION.

THE REMAINDER OF OUR MEETING IS DISCUSSION OF BUSINESS AND ACTION WILL BE TO COMPARE COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

I BELIEVE YOU HAVE SOME SPECIAL GUESTS TODAY.

>> THANK YOU, PRESIDENT JAMES.

I AM HERE TODAY WITH ROB AND VANESSA BURNS WITH THE CLEANING COLLABORATIVE. AND RONNIE AND STEVE BELD, CONSTITUENTS OF MINE AND LIVE IN MY

NEIGHBORHOOD, THESE GUYS ARE OUT THERE, YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT VOLUNTEERS, OKAY?

THEY ARE OUT THERE EVERY SINGLE DAY PICKING UP TRASH. AND THEY DON'T MISS A BEAT, MISS A STREET IN THE AREA AND IT IS

JUST AMAZING THE DEDICATION THAT THEY HAVE TOWARDS THIS.

AND THEY HAVE BEEN DOING IT FOR YEARS! YEARS AND YEARS, LONG BEFORE BRIGHTSIDE.

SO, WE ARE JUST HERE TO HONOR THEM AND I BELIEVE THAT ROB, ARE YOU GOING TO SAY SOMETHING FIRST OR VANESSA?

GO AHEAD.

>> I APPRECIATE EVERYBODY HAVING US HERE. WE WANTED TO TAKE THE TIME AND RECOGNIZE THESE TWO INDIVIDUALS.

THE CLEAN COLLABORATIVE CREW OUT THERE EVERY DAY BUT WE KNOW IT HAS TO BE MORE, IT HAS TO BE EVERYBODY, WE ARE ALL INVOLVED.

THIS IS OUR COMMUNITY. INDIVIDUALS LIKE THESE TWO GENTLEMEN ARE OUT THERE EVERY DAY.

I'VE BEEN METRO ON SEVEN YEARS NOW AND I'VE HEARD ABOUT THEM FOR THE FAST FIVE. PEOPLE RECOGNIZE THEM. THEY DON'T DO IT FOR THE RECOGNITION, THEY DO IT BECAUSE IT IS

THEIR COMMUNITY AND THEY WANTED TO LOOK BETTER.
BUT BECAUSE THAT WE STILL WANT TO RECOGNIZE THEM, WE THINK IT'S
IMPORTANT.

WE HAD SIGNS MADE FOR THEM THAT THEY CAN KEEP THEIR PROPERTY AT
THEIR HOME. JUST RECOGNIZE THEM. IF YOU HAVE ANYONE IN YOUR
NEIGHBORHOOD OR COMMUNITIES OR DISTRICT THAT DO THIS LET US KNOW,
WE WOULD LIKE TO DO THE SAME FOR THEM.

>> WOULD YOU LIKE TO SAY SOMETHING, VANESSA? GO AHEAD. >> I JUST
WANT TO SAY TO THE CITY COUNCIL, AND I'VE ALSO SET IT
TO THE MAYOR.

WE CANNOT DO IT ALONE AS CITY GOVERNMENT WITH THEIR WORKERS.
IT IS UP TO THE COMMUNITY TO IMPROVE THE CLEANLINESS OF THE CITY
WE JUST WANT TO THANK COUNCIL FOR ITS SUPPORT AND THE MAYOR FOR
THE ORIGINAL SUBMISSION. I THINK IT WILL MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

AND IF YOU KNOW OF PEOPLE, I KNOW PEOPLE, YOU KNOW A LEADER THAT
WALKS AROUND EVERY DAY.

AND IF YOU HAVE PEOPLE LIKE THAT, REGARDLESS OF BEING ASKED, THEY
DO WHAT THEY CAN IN THEIR NEIGHBORHOODS.

SO ANYBODY WANTS TO NOMINATE SOMEONE WITH AN EXPLANATION, WE
WILL

BE HAPPY TO CONSIDER IT.

THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU.

THANK YOU COUNCILMEMBER FOWLER FOR RECOGNIZING THIS. I THINK THIS IS
JUST SO IMPORTANT AND YOU KNOW, WITH THE
GOVERNMENT HAS DONE WITH THE CLEAN COLLABORATIVE IS EXTREMELY
POPULAR.

I'LL TALK ABOUT THAT IN A MINUTE BUT WE CAN'T DO IT ALONE AND IF
PEOPLE LEAVE AREAS IN FRONT OF THEIR OWN PROPERTY A MESS, WE
CANNOT STEP IN AND DO ALL OF THAT SO WE REALLY RELY PEOPLE LIKE YOU
TO PICK UP HER OTHER FOLKS DON'T.

I WANT TO SAY ONE THING ABOUT THE CLEAN COLLABORATIVE IN GENERAL.
AND COMPLEMENT THE WHOLE TEAM.

IT IS UNUSUAL I JUST SAID IS PRETTY UNUSUAL TO START A NEW
PROGRAM AND BEFORE ONE YEAR IS UP WITH THE PROGRAM, COUNCIL
MEMBERS ARE SAYING WE WANT THAT TO BE CONTINUED AND WANTED TO
EXPAND AND WE HAVE HEARD THAT THE MINISTRATION HEARD THAT TODAY
AND SO, YOU'RE JUST STARTING THE BUDGET DISCUSSIONS BUT THIS IS
AN EXTREMELY POPULAR, WELL-WORN PROGRAM THAT WE ARE VERY HAPPY
ABOUT AND I'D LIKE TO THANK YOU ALL. WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TOO, THANK
YOU SO VERY MUCH. >> COUNCILMEMBER FOWLER CAN YOU GET EVERYONE
TOGETHER FOR A PICTURE? >> YES I LIKE TO SAY ONE MORE THING.

THIS IS A RIGHT OF THAT THE BRIGHTSIDE GROUP DID.

YOU ALL HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN THAT FOR A LONG TIME, GOSH,
TRUCKLOADS OF TIRES AND AUTO PARTS AND BAGS OF GARBAGE THAT THEY
BROUGHT UP TO THE BRIGHTSIDE SITE AND THEY BEEN DOING THAT SINCE

I AM IN OFFICE BUT THEY DID A LITTLE RIGHT UP IN THE BLOG AND I WANTED YOU TO HAVE THAT. WE ARE NOT TALKING ABOUT LIKE A SUBDIVISION, WE ARE TALKING ABOUT RURAL ROADS THAT THESE GUYS ARE OUT THERE WALKING ON AND DOING THIS WORK SO THANK YOU ALL SO MUCH!

[APPLAUSE]

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN.

NEXT WE HAVE APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MINUTES FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF APRIL 14, 2,022.

>> MOTION TO ACCEPT. >> MOTION AND SECOND.

MINUTES PROPERLY MOVED AND SECONDED. ALL IN FAVOR?

OPPOSED?

MINUTES ARE APPROVED AS WRITTEN. NEXT WE HAVE APPROVAL OF FOLLOWING COMMITTEE AND IT'S ALL IN 2,022.

REGULAR COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE APRIL 14, 2,022, RECORD PLANNING AND ZONING COMMITTEE APRIL 19, 2022, REGULAR LABOR AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE APRIL 19, 2022, REGULAR PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE APRIL 19, 2022, REGULAR GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT AND AUDIT COMMITTEE APRIL 19, 2022, REGULAR COMMUNITY AFFAIRS HOUSING HEALTH AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE APRIL 20, 2022, REGULAR PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE APRIL 20, 2022, REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE APRIL 20, 2022, REGULAR PARKS AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE APRIL 21, 2022, REGULAR COMMITTEE AND EQUITY AND INCLUSION APRIL 21, 2022, REGULAR BUDGET COMMITTEE APRIL 21, 2,022.

, REGULAR COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES APRIL 26, 2,022. MOTION?

SECOND?

THESE ARE APPROVED. >> ANY COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR? >> YES. >> WITH THE ORDINANCE I AM POINTING THE FOLLOWING TO THE JUNETEENTH COMMISSION. AARON GRIFFIN TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2023, REGINALD MCDONNELL --

REGINALD MCDANIEL TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2023, CAROL JONES, TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2,024. ALEXANDER JOAN TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2,024. DAWN GEE TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2,024.

EVERY APPOINTMENT FOR TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2,025,

REAPPOINTMENT MOST APPRECIATED SINCERELY THE MAYOR.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH CEMETERY BORDEN ORDINANCE AND REAPPOINTING THE FOLLOWING TO THE BOARD.

PHILIP DE BLASIO TERM EXPIRES APRIL 13, 2025 PROMPT ACTION ON THE APPOINTMENT IS MOST APPRECIATED SINCERELY THE MAYOR.

>> COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY ORDINANCE APPOINTING DOCTOR DESTINY ETHERIDGE, EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023.

HERB HENRY TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 20 2024 TIHISHA RAWLINS.

REAPPOINTING THE FOLLOWING FOR THE NULU REVIEW OVERLAY COMMITTEE.

JASMINE TATE NEW APPOINTMENT AND WILLIAM MARZIAN. IN ACCORDANCE WITH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION COORDINATING COUNCIL,

REAPPOINTING THE FOLLOWING ROBIN EMBRY REAPPOINTMENT TERM EXPIRES APRIL 26, 2025 AND PATRICIA KILIKA, -- I'M APPOINTING THE FOLLOWING TO THE COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP. JEFFERSON COULTER, NEW APPOINTMENT TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 31, 2023.

THIS IS TO BE READ INTO THE RECORD ONLY METRO APPROVAL IS NOT REQUIRED. SINCERELY GREG FISCHER.

>> THOSE NEEDING APPROVAL BE FORWARDED TO THE OVERSIGHT AND AUDIT COMMITTEE. THE NEXT ORDER OF BUSINESS IS THE CONSENT CALENDAR. THE CONSENT CALENDAR COMPRISES ITEMS 23 THROUGH 49.

ARE THERE ANY ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS?

MADAM CLERK A SECOND READING OF THE ITEMS PLEASE. ALSO FOLLOW LEGISLATION WAS DEPORTED FROM THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE 23 PROPRIA \$6400 PREDICTORS 15 NEIGHBOR DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE PUBLIC WORKS INTEGRATED SERVICES INC. FOR SPRING AND FALL AND SKIP MENACES FOR THE EYE TO 64 INTERCHANGES AT THE NORTH SIDE OF THE SOUTHERN PARKWAY NORTHWEST SIDE OF THIRD STREET AND TAYLOR BOULEVARD.

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$75,000 FROM DISTRICT 13 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO PUBLIC WORKS FOR REPAVING WORK ON THE RECYCLING BIN LOT LOCATED AT JANUARY 1, 2004 MITCHELL HILL ROAD.

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE FISCAL YEAR 2022 ? 2023 BUDGET FOR LOUISVILLE TOURISM. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 168, SERIES 2021 RELATING TO THE SECOND ROUND OF THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN.

LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY BY REALLOCATING FUNDS RELATING TO COVID-19 RESPONSE AND VACCINATION ACTIVITIES AND CONTINUATION TO BE ADMINISTERED BY PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELLNESS. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT THE GRANT AWARD OF \$133,559.78 FROM THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE LOUISVILLE FREE TO LOOK LIBRARY FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LIBRARY SERVICES AND TECHNOLOGY ACT.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 35 OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO CODE OF ORDINANCES TO ESTABLISH PAID LEAVE FOR LOUISVILLE METRO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES WHO ARE VICTIMS OF A CRIME OR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

A RESOLUTION HONORING THE WORK OF ALAN SHEARER DEDICATING THE ALLEYWAY BOUNDED BY STEVENS AVENUE, FERNWOOD AVENUE, AND SURE WORD HONOR TO BE NAMED IN HIS HONOR.

APPOINTMENT OF SUZANNE CHEEK TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 1, 2025.

APPOINTMENT OF CLARA PASSAFIUME TO THE REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. TERM EXPIRES FAIRBURY 20 2025. APPOINTMENT OF WILLIAM TEMPLE BEING JUNIOR TO THE REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TERM EXPIRES FEBRUARY 28, 2025. REAPPOINTMENT OF SHARON DEREK TO THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT NEEDING COUNSEL TERM EXPIRES APRIL 26, 2025. APPOINTMENT OF KOREAN UMBRELLAS TO THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT

AND COUNSEL, TERM EXPIRES APRIL 26, 2025.

REAPPOINTMENT OF JAMES WILKERSON TO THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT AND COUNSEL TERM EXPIRES APRIL 26, 2025. ITEM 36 REAPPOINTMENT OF PAM DARNALL TO THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

COURT NEEDING COUNSEL TERM EXPIRES APRIL 26, 2025.

APPOINTMENT OF AL CORNISH TO THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2024.

APPOINTMENT OF REVEREND JOSHUA HARRIS THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2025.

APPOINTMENT OF DOCTOR SHORYE DURRETT TO THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2024. APPOINTMENT OF WALLACE GARDNER TO THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2023. APPOINTMENT OF MERRILL THORTON TO THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2024. APPOINTMENT OF BARBARA LYNN JAMISON TO THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2025. APPOINTMENT OF DON WILSON TO THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2025. APPOINTMENT OF CELESTINO PLAN YEAR TO THE JUNETEENTH JUBILEE COMMISSION TERM EXPIRES APRIL 29, 2025. ORDINANCE OF LOUISVILLE JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT KENTUCKY AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF INDUSTRIAL BUILDING REVENUE BONDS VESTED DERBY OAKS PROJECT, AND ONE MORE SERIES WERE SUBSERIES AND AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$46 MILLION FOR THE PURPOSES OF PAYING ALL OR A PORTION OF THE COST OF ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING AND INSTALLATION OF FORTUNE 18 MULTIFAMILY AFFORDABLE HOUSING UNITS AND THE SITES ON WHICH THEY ARE LOCATED, AND PAYING COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS, AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF A TRUST INDENTURE, LOAN AGREEMENT, BOND PLACEMENT AGREEMENT, LAND USE RESTRICTION AGREEMENT, TAX COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT, AND OTHER AGREEMENTS, AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING CERTAIN OTHER MATTERS INCLUDING THE EXECUTION OF RELATED DOCUMENTS, IN CONNECTION WITH SALE AND ISSUANCE OF THE BOND.

36, A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITOL AND OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING ARE NOT COMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT FOR OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET CONCERNING CONSULTATION FOR DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF LOUISVILLE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN

MARGARET HAN MAKER \$96,875.

RESOLUTION MODIFYING AND APPROVING A COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT MARCH 23, 2022 ? JUNE 23, 2023, RELATING TO WAGES, HOURS AND OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT BETWEEN THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT AND LOUISVILLE PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION LOCAL UNION 345, IFF, AFL ? CIO ? CLC.

A RESOLUTION MODIFYING AND APPROVING A COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT JUDGE JANUARY 20, 2021 THROUGH JULY 30, 2023. RELATING TO WAGES, HOURS AND TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT BETWEEN THE LOUISVILLE METRO GOVERNMENT AND THE INDIANA/KENTUCKY/OHIO REGIONAL COUNCIL OF CARPENTERS WHICH IS THE SUCCESSOR TO THE CARPENTERS INDUSTRIAL COUNSEL FOR EMPLOYEES OF CODES AND REGULATIONS DEPARTMENT, DEVELOPED LOUISVILLE AND SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT SERIES DIVISION.

A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITOL AND OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING NONCOMPETITIVE NEGOTIATED AMENDMENT TO THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT FOR LOUISVILLE FORWARD FOR CONSULTATIVE SERVICES REGARDING ACHIEVEMENT FOR METRO SUSTAINABLE ENERGY GOALS.

>> DO I HAVE A MOTION?

SECOND?

MOTION PASSES.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

23 YES VOTES AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> THANK YOU.

CONSENT CALENDAR PASSES.

MADAM CLERK, READING OF ITEM NUMBER 50. >> AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE LOUISVILLE METRO CODE OF ORDINANCES SECTION 115.253 REGARDING RATES OF FAIR FOR VEHICLES FOR HIGHER AS AMENDED.

READ IN FULL. >> THANK YOU. MOTION? >> SO MOVED. >> MOTION AND SECOND.

IS THERE ANY DISCUSSION ON THIS?

COUNCILMAN GEORGE?

>> THANK YOU. THIS ORDINANCE GETS FLEXIBILITY TO INCREASE TAXI FARES. IT CAME OUT OF COMMITTEE WITH A 44 ? ONE.

I BELIEVE THERE WAS JUST ONE PROTEST WROTE, THE BOAT WAS NOT IN OPPOSITION TO THE ORDINANCE ITSELF.

UNDER PRESIDENT JAMES, YOU WERE THE PRIMARY SPONSOR IF ANYONE WANTS TO SPEAK TO THAT.

THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU.

>> SHOCKER.

I AM NOT, I WANT TO BE CLEAR ABOUT THIS.

I'M NOT AGAINST TAXI DRIVERS GETTING A RAISE.

THIS IS NEEDED AND IF I THOUGHT FOR A SECOND THAT THIS MAY NOT PASS, I WOULD PROBABLY VOTE FOR IT BUT MY OBJECTION IS VERY

PHILOSOPHICAL HERE. I DO HAVE AN ISSUE WITH US, WITH ALL CITIES CONTINUING TO OVER

REGULATE, WE DON'T DO THIS, THIS WITH VERY FEW INDUSTRIES AND BETTER AFFECT THE COUNCIL VOTED EVEN FOR THE THINGS THAT WE OWN SUCH AS GOLF COURSES AND ZOO TO INSTITUTE DYNAMIC PRICING AND

GIVE THOSE AREAS OF METRO GOVERNMENT THAT SELL THINGS OR SERVICES TO THE PUBLIC, THE ABILITY TO PRICE RELATED TO THE MARKET.

BUT THAT IS NOT REFLECTED HERE SO MY OBJECTION IS THAT, AND I'LL WORK ON DRAFT LEGISLATION AND CIRCULATE THAT THE COUNCIL TO SEE WHAT YOU THINK. I THINK WE SHOULD GET OUT OF THE BUSINESS OF VOTED ON EVERY

DOLLAR AND EVERY SENT WITH TAXI DRIVERS WHEN THEY SAY THEY'RE COMPETING WITH SERVICES LIKE UBER AND LYFT WILL HAVE THE ABILITY TO DO SEARCH PRICES BASED ON SUPPLY AND DEMAND, SHIFT PRICING RUN AND PASS ALONG TO CONSUMERS WHEN NEEDED.

THAT IS THE ONLY REASON I'M A NO VOTE. I PLAN ON PRESENTING SOMETHING LIKE THAT AND I WANT TO MAKE A POINT THAT WE DO NEED TO EXPLORE EXTENDING THE SAME ABILITY THAT

WE HAVE DONE WITH OTHER METRO SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS TO THE TAXI DRIVERS. THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT. >> THANK YOU, SIR. COUNCILMAN GEORGE? >> THANK YOU, PRESIDENT. I CAN APPRECIATE OUR COLLEAGUES PERSPECTIVE I WANT TO UNDERSCORE WHAT WAS MENTIONED DURING THE COMMITTEE, THUS THE FACT THAT WE KNOW WE HAVE A TAXI DRIVER SHORTAGE.

I BELIEVE IT WAS STATED THAT WE ARE DOWN ABOUT 200 DRIVERS.

WE KNOW THAT THERE IS INCREASED FUEL COST WHICH ARE ALSO DRIVING THE NEED FOR MORE FLEXIBILITY.

AND THERE WAS ALSO A PRESENTATION THAT ATTESTED TO HOW IN OTHER CITIES AND I BELIEVE SPECIFICALLY, LEXINGTON, WHEN THEY DID DEREGULATE THAT THERE WAS AN IMPACT AND PARTICULARLY FOR THOSE WHO WERE LOW INCOME WHO DEPEND ON TAXI AND Z TRIP I BELIEVE TO BE ABLE TO PICK UP AND INSERT THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU.

COUNCILMAN? >> THANK YOU FOR POINTING THAT OUT. THEY DID MENTION SERVICES PARTICULARLY FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES, LOW INCOME, THERE WERE OTHER REASONS THAT WE WILL ADDRESS. I THINK IT NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED IN A MARKET RATE DISCUSSION. BUT YOU KNOW, I MENTIONED THIS IN COMMITTEE.

WE RUN -- THREE WHICH IS DEDICATED, AS IN THE CITY, OR THIS QUASI-GOVERNMENT AGENCY DOES.

AND WE HAVE BEEN ALL OVER THEM ABOUT THEIR FAILURE PROVIDING SERVICES TO LOW INCOME PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES AND GETTING THEM AROUND THE CITY SO IT'S NOT A GUARANTEE THAT A GOVERNMENT RUN AGENCY WILL DO THIS PROPERLY.

AND TO THE POINT IS, WE WILL BOUNCE THESE NEEDS, I DO APPRECIATE COUNCILWOMAN GEORGE CLINTON THERE. TAXI DRIVERS DID SAY THAT AND I THINK WE WILL HAVE TO CONSIDER

THAT AND HOW WE REFORM THIS. BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN THAT YOUR AVERAGE CONSUMER AND THIS INDUSTRY SHOULDN'T BE A LOT MORE FLEXIBILITY.

THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT. >> THANK YOU COUNCILMAN. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING FOR THOSE IN CHAMBERS?

>> MADAM CLERK, CAN YOU PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE THAT ARE NOT IN CHAMBERS?

>>.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

MR. PRESIDENT 23 YES AND ONE NO VOTE. I'M SORRY, IT'S NOT COUNT ONE.

I'M SORRY MAMA COULD NOT SEE IT.

COUNCILWOMAN? >> YES. >> THANK YOU MA'AM, I'M SO SORRY. MR. PRESIDENT

24 YES, ONE NO VOTE.

>> THANK YOU. ORDINANCE PASSES.

MADAM CLERK, NUMBER 51.

>> AN ORDINANCE RELATED TO THE ZONING OF PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 2100 2044 BUECHEL BANK ROAD AND 4134 R BARDSTOWN ROAD CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 8.85 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO.

>> MOTION?

SECOND? ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US, AND DISCUSSION? COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD?

>> THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT PRIEBUS 8.85 ACRES WITH THREE CONTIGUOUS LOTS TO CONSTRUCT SIX THREE STORY BUILDINGS WITH A TOTAL OF 144 RESIDENTIAL UNITS.

AS MENTIONED IN THE RECORD THAT IT WOULD ALL BE FOR THE HOUSING AND IT WAS DISCUSSION BETWEEN SEVERAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND MYSELF IN THE COUNTY ATTORNEY AND THE PLANNING AND DESIGN TEAM AND OUR COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE, COUNTY ATTORNEY REPRESENTATIVE DID VERIFY THAT THE APPLICANT IS TAKING ADVANTAGE OF AN AFFORDABLE HOUSING TAX CREDIT TO THE HAS TO BE A 30 YEAR COMMITMENT TO THAT IN ORDER FOR IT, THE STATE TAX CREDIT TO GO THROUGH.

THIS IS AN COUNCILWOMAN -- DISTRICT SHE MAY LIKE TO ADDRESS THIS.

>> THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU. I DID HAVE SOME PROBLEMS WITH THIS DEVELOPMENT.

I WORKED WITH THE DEVELOPERS AND WORKED OUT.

I WILL BE VOTING FOR THIS SINCE WE WERE ABLE TO GET THROUGH ALL THE PROBLEMS AND GET THEM WORKED OUT. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU COUNCILWOMAN.

ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ROLL CALL VOTE.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL FOR THOSE IN CHAMBERS.

MADAM CLERK PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE NOT IN CHAMBERS.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

>> MR. PRESIDENT, 25 YES VOTES. >> THANK YOU. ORDINANCE PASSES.

MADAM CLERK READING ITEM NUMBER 52.

>> AND ORDINANCE RELATING TO ZONING OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2430

PORTLAND AVENUE CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 0.2328 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO.

AS AMENDED. READ IN FULL. >> FIRST AND SECOND. ORDINANCE BEFORE US, ANY DISCUSSION? COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD. >> THANK YOU. THE PROPOSED USE FOR THIS CHANGE OF ZONING IS OFFICE-BASED, ART GALLERY AND/OR STUDIO. THE SITE DOES NOT HAVE PARKING DUE TO THE AGE OF THE FOOTPRINT OF THE EXISTING BUILDING.

BUT THERE IS A DRIVER THAT WILL BE EXTENDED TO ENCOMPASS A TURNAROUND PEERED ONE PARKING SPACE IN THE REAR FOR EMPLOYEE PARKING AND DELIVERIES. THIS IS IN COUNCILWOMAN DONNA PURVIS DISTRICT.

>> THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN? >> THANK YOU. I AM IN SUPPORT OF THIS, IT WILL BE A UNIQUE PIECE OF PROPERTY

THAT IS GOING TO COMPLEMENT LIKE THE MUSEUM, WITH OFFERING ORDINANCES AND SO FORTH SO I THINK IT WILL BE A WONDERFUL ADDITION TO PORTLAND.

I'M HOPING MY COLLEAGUES WILL SUPPORT THIS. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ROLL CALL VOTE.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE THAT ARE NOT IN THE CHAMBERS.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

>> MR. PRESIDENT, 25 YES VOTES.

>> THANK YOU, ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK ITEM NUMBER 53 READING.

>> AND ORDINANCE RELATED TO THE ZONING OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 9021 TAYLORSVILLE ROAD CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 1.49 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO. AS AMENDED, READ IN FULL. >> THANK YOU MOTION AND SECOND?

MOTION BY COUNCILMAN -- SECOND BY COUNCILMAN ARTHUR.

THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. ANY DISCUSSION? COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD. >> THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT.

THIS IS TO PERMIT A FUTURE USE AS MEDICAL LAB.

THE EXISTING TREE CANOPY OF 36 PERCENT IS TO REMAIN.

THERE WAS DISCUSSION ALSO REFLECTED IN THE RECORD BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION THAT THEY WOULD BE CERTAIN USES THAT WERE BLINDED OUT BUT HOWEVER, IT DID NOT MAKE IT OVER TO US WITH THAT.

SO THE COMMITTEE ADDED UNANIMOUS VOTE OF NUMBER 11, IT DID REFLECT WHAT WAS DISCUSSED BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND WHAT WAS AGREED WITH THE APPLICANT TO FIND OUT CERTAIN USES.

THIS IS AN COUNCILMAN KEVIN CRAMER'S DISTRICT. HE MAY WISH TO ADDRESS US. >> LEGAL COUNCILWOMAN. COUNCILMAN? >> THANK YOU.

THE CHANGE OF ZONING IS FROM R4 TO C1. IT IS TO ALLOW FOR FUTURE COMMERCIAL USE. THE PARCELS ACTUALLY IN A SUBURBAN CITY OF FOREST HILLS AND SO

THE APPLICANT WORKED CLOSELY WITH THE SUBURBAN CITIES LEGAL

COUNSEL. THEY WERE SATISFIED WITH ALL THE CHANGES. WE DO APPRECIATE THE FACT THAT WHEN IT CAME OVER THERE WERE SOME BRANDING ELEMENTS THAT HAVE BEEN AGREED TO BUT DID NOT APPEAR TO BE IN THE LANGUAGE. SO WE ARE GRATEFUL THAT COUNCILMAN FLOOD MEASURE THOSE THAT ADDED ON AND VOTED ON THE COMMITTEE. WITH THAT WE ARE SUPPORTIVE. WE ARE LOOKING TO A YES VOTE.

THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ROLL CALL VOTE.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL. MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE NOT IN CHAMBERS.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

>> MR. PRESIDENT, 25 YES VOTES.

>> THANK YOU ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK, READING OF ITEM NUMBER 54, PLEASE. >> AND ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE ZONING OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 309 S. SPRING STREET CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 0.0942 ACRES AND

BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO. READ IN FULL. >> MOTION AND SECOND. THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US ANY DISCUSSION, COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD? >> THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT.

THIS IS TO PERMIT RENOVATION OF AN EXISTING STRUCTURE FOR HER SO LONG.

THE APPLICANT ALREADY HAS AN ESTABLISHED CLIENTELE SO THEY WON'T BE A LOT OF FOOT TRAFFIC.

IT IS NOT WHEN YOU WOULD JUST WALK INTO AND ASKED FOR A HAIRCUT. THIS IS BY APPOINTMENT AND SHE ALSO SAID THAT THEY WOULD NOT BE A LOT OF SIGNAGE BECAUSE SHORTY HAS A CLIENTELE BASE.

IT IS BUILT UP AND THIS IS IN COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER 'S DISTRICT.

HE MIGHT WANT TO ADDRESS US. >> THANK YOU. COUNCILMAN? >> THIS LOOKS LIKE A GOOD USE OF THE PROPERTY I HAVE NO

OPPOSITION AND I MOVE FOR APPROVAL. >> THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ROLL CALL VOTE. MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE THAT ARE NOT IN CHAMBERS.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

>> MR. PRESIDENT, 25 YES VOTES.

>> THANK YOU ORDINANCE PASSES MADAM CLERK READING ITEM NUMBER 55, PLEASE. >> AND ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE ZONING OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1247 S. SHELBY STREET CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 0.23 ACRES AND

BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO.

READ IN FULL. >> THANK YOU. MAY I HAVE A MOTION?

MOTION AND SECOND.

ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US.

COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD. >> THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT.
THIS IS TO ALLOW MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT. THE STRUCTURE WILL BE USED
AS A TAVERN THAN OUTDOOR PATIO AND
WALK UP COFFEE SHOP WINDOW.
THE SECOND FLOOR WILL BE USED AS A RESIDENCY.
THE COFFEE SHOP OPERATION WILL BE FROM 9:00 A.M.
UNTIL 9 PM THE WALK UP WINDOW IS PRIMARILY FOR THE PEDESTRIANS
IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD TO ACCESS THE COFFEE SHOP AND IT WILL NOT BE
FOR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.
ELEMENT NUMBER 10 DOES SAY THAT IT CAN BE OPEN FROM SEVEN DAY UNTIL
9 PM.
THE BAR WILL APPLY FOR 2A AND LICENSE BUT DO NOT ANTICIPATE USING
THAT MAYBE FRIDAY OR SATURDAY NIGHT TO HAVE THE CLIENTELE AFTER
MIDNIGHT. THERE IS ALSO NO OUTDOOR MUSIC LIVE PIPED RADIO WERE
AMPLIFIED, NO OUTDOOR PA SYSTEM PERMITTED ON THE SITE AND THAT IS
INCLUSIVE
OF NUMBER SEVEN. THEN FINDING ELEMENT NUMBER NINE STATES THERE
WILL BE A MASONRY
WALL CONSTRUCTED AND ATTACHED TO THE SEAT WALL OF THE OUTSIDE
PATIO.
IT WILL EXTEND SEVEN FEET ABOVE THE SEAWALL.
THIS IS IN COUNSEL PRESIDENT JAMES DISTRICT.
I THINK HE'S FINE WITH WHAT WE JUST DISCUSSED. WE ARE READY TO VOTE, I
BELIEVE. >> THANK YOU. MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL FOR VOTING.
MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE NOT IN CHAMBERS.
[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]
>> MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 25 YES VOTES.
>> THANK YOU THE ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK ITEM NUMBER 56
READING.
>> AND ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 279, SERIES 2019, THE
COMPLETE STREETS POLICY AND ADOPTING THE POLICY AS AN AMENDMENT TO
PLAN 2040, THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN.
AS AMENDED READ IN FULL. >> THANK YOU MOTION BY COUNCILMAN
WINKLER, SECOND COUNCILMAN --
ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US.
COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD. >> THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT. THIS COMPLETES THE
STREETSCAPES. MISSION STATEMENT IS TO INCREASE ACCESSIBILITY,
COORDINATION, EQUITY AND TRANSPARENCY IN THE TRANSPORTATION
MOBILITY SYSTEMS
LOUISVILLE METRO GOVERNMENT BY LEVERAGING COMMUNITY INPUT.
THE BOARD WILL BE STRUCTURED WITH 10 CITIZENS AND FOUR
GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES. ONE CITIZEN PLUS THE PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR
WILL SERVE AS
COCHAIRS. THE THREE OTHER GOVERNMENTAL MEMBERS WILL REPRESENT --
AND

ADVANCE PLANNING. THERE WAS ALSO AN AMENDMENT CHANGING HOW WE WOULD GO ABOUT THIS, CHOOSING THE PEOPLE AND HOW IT WORKED. THIS IS THE INITIAL MEMBERS WOULD BE SELECTED BY THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS. REVIEWED BY THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE AND AFFIRMED BY THE ENTIRE METRO COUNCIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS PASSED TO ADOPT THE REQUIREMENTS TO APPOINT AND ALSO THAT THEY COMPLY WITH ORDINANCE 32.0?1?C THAT ONE OF THE BOARDS FUNCTIONS WOULD BE TO DISCUSS CRASHES, BICYCLE, PEDESTRIAN AND VEHICULAR DEATHS TO DETERMINE A COMPLETE STREET DESIGN ELEMENTS COULD PREVENT FUTURE ACCIDENTS.

>> THANK YOU MADAM CLERK I MEAN COUNCILWOMAN, SORRY. IS THERE ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE THIS ORDINANCE REQUIRES ROLL CALL VOTE. MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN A ROLL.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE THAT ARE NOT IN CHAMBERS. [ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

>> MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 25 YES VOTES.

>> THANK YOU THIS PASSES. MADAM CLERK ITEM 57. >> AND ILLNESS RELATED TO THE REVISED DETAILED DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 6605 WEST ORELL ROAD CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 12.89 ACRES BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO. AS AMENDED.

READ IN FULL. >> THANK YOU. MAY HAVE A MOTION AND SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCILMAN WINKLER SECOND BY COUNCILMAN -- ORDINANCE BEFORE US ANY DISCUSSION COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD?

>> THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT.

THIS WAS A GENERAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN THAT WE PUT A BINDING ELEMENT THAT CHANGE OF USE WOULD OCCUR WILL COME BACK TO THE METRO COUNSELOR AT THE PLANNING COMMISSION HAD MADE THEIR REVIEW OF IT. IT WAS PREVIOUSLY APPROVED UNDER CASE NUMBER 17 ZONE 1019 AND WAS CHANGED TO COMMERCIAL AND SUBURBAN MARKETPLACE CORRIDOR.

THE APPLICANT NOW IS PROPOSING TO CONSTRUCT A MULTIFAMILY COMPLEX OF 10 THREE-STORY BUILDINGS FOR TOTAL OF 240.

THERE IS NO MAXIMUM DENSITY IN COMMERCIAL MANUFACTURING.

APPLICANT HAS AGREED TO MAKE ONE OF THE BUILDINGS TWO STORIES

THEREFORE, WE ADDED BINDING ELEMENT NUMBER 10 THAT WAS ADDED TO REFLECT THAT BUILDING NUMBER THREE WILL BE LOWERED TO TWO STORIES AND THE ASSOCIATED CALCULATIONS INCLUDING THE NUMBER OF UNITS WOULD HAVE TO COME BACK WITH A REVISED DEVELOPMENT PLAN TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION. BINDING ELEMENT NUMBER EIGHT ALSO STATES THAT THE APPLICANT MUST CONSTRUCT A FIVE FOOT CONCRETE SIDEWALK AND HANDICAPPED RAMP

ALONG WEST ORELL ROAD TO DIXIE HIGHWAY.

THE INTERSECTION MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO THE CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY IS GIVEN AND THIS IS ANOTHER PIECE THAT WAS ADDED THAT

WE VERY RARELY SEE THIS BUT ONE OF THE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, UNDERNEATH THE BUNNY ELEMENT THAT MUST BE MET IS THE APPLICANT SHALL PROVIDE PEDESTRIAN ACCOMMODATIONS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE ACCESS ROAD TO SERVE AS DIXIE HIGHWAY.

WE PROBABLY HAD MAYBE A HANDFUL OF CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ALONG WITH FINDING ELEMENTS ON CASES.

THIS IS AN COUNCILWOMAN CINDY VALOR'S DISTRICT SHE MAY WISH TO ADDRESS IS. >> THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN VALOR? >> YES THANK YOU. THIS WAS APPROVED IN 2017 FOR WAREHOUSING.

THEY DID GET A CM APPROVAL.

THEN OF COURSE, IT CHANGED, SO WHEN THEY PROPOSE THE APARTMENTS, THE DENSITY WAS R7. I DIDN'T HAVE AN ISSUE WITH THE APARTMENT THEY DID HAVE AN ISSUE WITH THREE-STORY APARTMENTS BEING NEXT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES AND THEY DID AGREE TO DO BUILDING NUMBER THREE, WHICH WAS CLOSE TO SOME HOMES, ON ORELL ROAD AS A TWO STORY, AS FOR THE NORTHERN HOLDINGS, TO ALSO BE TWO STORIES BUT DID NOT GET THAT FROM THE DEVELOPER.

IT IS JUST TROUBLING TO ME THAT THE DENSITY IS SO HIGH WHEN YOU KNOW, THE NEIGHBORS NEVER HAD A CHANCE TO SAY ANYTHING ABOUT APARTMENTS. THEY DIDN'T GET TO WEIGH IN ON ANYTHING ABOUT APARTMENTS.

AND THAT'S YOU KNOW, WAREHOUSES ARE DIFFERENT.

THEY DON'T HAVE WINDOWS WITH PEOPLE LOOKING OUT THE FOURTH STORY DOWN AT THEIR HOMES.

BUT ANYWAY, IT IS WHAT IT IS AT THIS POINT.

I JUST WANTED TO CLARIFY THOSE THINGS. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU COUNCILWOMAN. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ROLL CALL VOTE. MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE NOT IN CHAMBERS.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE].

>> MR. PRESIDENT, YOUR 25 YES VOTES.

>> THANK YOU. ORDINANCE PASSES. READING ITEM NUMBER 58. >> AND ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$32,000 FROM NEIGHBOR DEVELOPING FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER. \$30,000 FROM DISTRICT 23.

AND \$1000 EACH FROM DISTRICT 13 AND 15, TO THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET TO HIGHVIEW ARTS INC. FOR COST ASSOCIATE WITH OPENING AND OPERATING THE HIGHVIEW ARTS CENTER. AS AMENDED, READ IN FULL. >> THANK YOU. MOTION AND SECOND?

ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. ANY DISCUSSION?

COUNCILMAN DOCTOR PRESIDENT BLACKWELL.

>> SORRY, SIR.

THIS WAS AMENDED IN COMMITTEE TO ADD SPONSORS.

AND COUNCILMAN -- HIS PRIMARY SPONSOR.

HE LIKE AN OPPORTUNITY TO EXPLAIN TO US, WHAT IT IS AND WHAT ADDITIONAL HELP HE COULD HAVE. >> THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN.

>> THANK YOU. THIS IS THE SMALL COMMUNITY THEATER THAT WE GAVE SOME SEED MONEY TO. ONE YEAR AGO PRETTY MUCH ON THE BUTTON. THEY ARE GETTING READY TO OPEN AND IT WAS A GOOD TIME, AGAIN, 12 MONTHS LATER, TO GIVE THEM ANOTHER POT OF MONEY THAT THEY CAN OPERATE OFF OF. MAYBE GET SOME LESS MONEY? MAY BE FOR SOME EQUIPMENT THAT THEY HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO GET PRIOR.

>> THANK YOU. QUESTION AGAIN, IF ANYONE WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE, THINK YOU MEANT FOX AND COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT. IT WOULD BE MUCH APPRECIATED. >> THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN VALOR? >> THANK YOU REGISTER 14 WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE \$1000, PLEASE. >> THANK YOU, ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

>> AND WE WOULD LIKE TO DONATE \$1000 PER.

>> AND \$1000 DISTRICT 21.

>> \$500, DISTRICT 22.

>> \$500 DISTRICT 22.

COUNCILMAN -- >> \$500 FROM DISTRICT 19, PLEASE. THANK YOU. >> 500, DISTRICT 19.

AND -- COUNCILWOMAN --

>> DISTRICT 7, 500. >> DISTRICT 7, 500.

COUNCILMAN READ? >> I HAVE A QUESTION FOR COUNCILMAN PEDEN. WHAT WILL THE MONEY BE SPENT FOR? >> THE BIGGEST EXPENSE IS RENT. AND THAT IS WERE CALCULATED OUT THE 30, IS THAT IT WILL COVER THEM FOR PRETTY MUCH EXACTLY ONE YEAR WORTH OF RENT AND UTILITIES. >> OKAY. 750 FROM DISTRICT 16. >> 750 DISTRICT 16.

COUNCILWOMAN -- >> THANK YOU.

[INAUDIBLE]

>> I DIDN'T HEAR THAT? WARMER TIME. >> 500 DISTRICT 2. >> 500, DISTRICT 2. THANK YOU. MADAM CLERK WHAT IS THE TOTAL? 37,000 --

>> I WOULD LIKE TO MOVE AS AN AMENDMENT. >> MOTION AND SECOND.

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>> ARE WE AT THE AMOUNT?

>> 2250 MORE DOLLARS TO GO.

>> 17 500.

>> DISTRICT 17, 500.

IF COUNCILMAN FOX WITHDRAWS THE AMENDMENT. >> YES.

>> THANK YOU.

COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD? >> DISTRICT 24, 2000 INSTEAD OF 1000.

>> DISTRICT 24 WILL GIVE AN ADDITIONAL \$1000 FOR A TOTAL OF \$2000. THEN DISTRICT 6 500.

WHAT IS THE TOTAL NOW? >> THE \$9750.

>> THANK YOU. >> DISTRICT 8 500 IF THERE IS 500 LEFT. >> 250. >> 250. >> DISTRICT 8, \$250. >> THANK YOU ALL YOU ARE AWESOME.

>> MOTION AND I CAN'T REMEMBER THE SECOND.
WINKLER.

ALL IN FAVOR FOR THE AMENDMENT PLEASE SAY, AYE.

ALL OPPOSED? AYE HAS IT. AMENDMENT REQUIRING ROLL CALL VOTE.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN ROLL FOR VOTING.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE THAT ARE NOT IN
CHAMBERS.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]

>> MR. PRESIDENT, 25 YES VOTES. >> THANK YOU, ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM
CLERK ITEM 59. >> AND ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$13,500 FROM
NEIGHBORHOOD

DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER.

\$5000 FROM DISTRICT 12, \$1500 FROM DISTRICT 25, \$1000 EACH FROM
DISTRICTS SIX, 13, 14 AND 15.

\$500 EACH FROM DISTRICTS THREE, NINE, 10, 17, 21 AND 22.

THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET TO THE HARBOR HOUSE
OF LOUISVILLE INC. FOR FUNDING AND MARKETING FOR THE 19TH ANNUAL
KENTUCKY DERBY. >> FIRST AND SECOND. >> MANY ARE FAMILIAR WITH THIS.

WE'VE BEEN SPONSORS OF THE YEAR AND VERY GENEROUS AND PUT IT ON
OLD BUSINESS IN CASE ANYONE MISSED IT THAT WANTED TO BE ADDED AS
A SPONSOR. >> THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD. >> THANK YOU MR.

PRESIDENT. \$1500 FROM DISTRICT 24. >> \$1500 FROM DISTRICT 24, THANK YOU.
COUNCILMAN BENSON? >> DISTRICT 20, \$500.

>> DISTRICT 20, \$500. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL. >> I WOULD JUST SAY THAT IT IS THIS SATURDAY
AT 2:00. IF YOU'RE

INTERESTED. YOU ARE THE MASTER OF CEREMONIES, CORRECT? >> NOT
EXACTLY BUT I WILL BE THERE.

I WILL BE THERE TO GREET YOU!

>> THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN --

>> THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE EVER FORGOT ABOUT IT.

I WOULD LIKE TO PUT 1000. >> \$1000 FOR DISTRICT NUMBER TWO.

ALL RIGHT.

ENTERTAIN A MOTION FOR THE AMENDMENT.

ASKING TO SPEAK. >> FOR SOME REASON, -- WE ARE STUCK ON THE AGENDA.
THAT'S WHY YOU ARE NOT SEEING.

500 DISTRICT 19, PLEASE.

>> 500 DISTRICT 19.

>> WE WERE STILL IN ITEM 58 ON THE AGENDA.

>> I'M SORRY.

I SEE.

ALL RIGHT.

MADAM CLERK, COULD YOU SAY WITH THE TOTAL IS?

>> OUR TOTAL IS CURRENTLY \$16,500.

35,500 TO GO.

>> COUNCILWOMAN PURVIS?

>> 250, DISTRICT 5. >> ONE MORE TIME?
>> 250 FROM DISTRICT 5. >> THANK YOU, 250 FROM DISTRICT NUMBER FIVE.
COUNCILWOMAN GEORGE? >> ADDITIONAL 500 FROM ADDITIONAL 21. >>
ADDITIONAL 500 FROM DISTRICT 21.
MADAM CLERK, WHERE ARE WE NOW? I'M SORRY --
>> 250 FROM DISTRICT 8, PLEASE. >> 250, DISTRICT NUMBER EIGHT.
COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER? >> I'M SORRY, ADDITIONAL 1000.
>> ADDITIONAL 1000 FROM DISTRICT NUMBER 14.
>> HE SAID 1000, RIGHT?
>> WHAT IS THE TOTAL NOW?
>> \$18,500.
>> \$18,500. COUNCILWOMAN DORSEY. >> I'VE GOT FIVE ON IT.
FIVE ON IT FROM DISTRICT 3. [LAUGHTER] >> ADDITIONAL 500 FROM DISTRICT
NUMBER THREE, PLEASE.
ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD?
>> I WILL DO ADDITIONAL \$500 TO MAKE IT 2000 FROM DISTRICT 24.
>> TOTAL 2000 FROM DISTRICT NUMBER 24. ADDITIONAL \$500.
OKAY WHAT IS THE TOTAL NOW, MADAM CLERK? >> 19,500. >> THANK YOU.
>> DID WE DO A MOTION FOR THE AMENDMENT YET?
MOTION TO APPROVE THE AMENDMENT.
>> WHO SAID THAT?
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>> MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL FOR VOTING.
MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE NOT IN CHAMBERS.
[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE]
>> MR. PRESIDENT, 23 YES VOTES.
>> THANK YOU, ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK, READING OF ITEM 60. >>
AND ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$13,000 FROM DISTRICT 21
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS THROUGH THE OFFICE OF
MANAGEMENT
AND BUDGET TO AMERICANA IMMUNITY CENTER INC. FOR THE OPERATIONAL
COST OF ITS YOUTH AND FAMILY EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND FOR
RESTRIPING OF ITS PARKING LOT.
READ IN FULL. >> MOTION. >> THANK YOU.
SECOND.
ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US, ANY DISCUSSION? COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL. >>
THANK YOU.
THIS WAS NOT PASSED IN COMMITTEE, AT THE REQUEST OF THE SPONSOR,
IT WAS MOVED TO OLD BUSINESS IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO EXPLAIN AND
REQUEST MORE SUPPORT.
COUNCILWOMAN GEORGE IS THE MAIN SPONSOR. 13,000 RIGHT NOW, REQUEST
AMOUNT WAS 30,000. >> THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN GEORGE? >> THANK
YOU, PRESIDENT. AS A REMINDER AMERICANA COMMUNITY CENTER SERVES
OVER 5000 REFUGEES AND IMMIGRANTS PER YEAR.
THEY'RE ASKING FOR 30,000 TO CONTINUE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.
THEY HAVE THE LARGEST ENGLISH SECOND LANGUAGE LEARNING PROGRAM.

OF COURSE THEY ALSO HAVE OTHER PROGRAMS LIKE FIBER WORKS, WHICH EMPOWERS WOMEN WITH EDUCATION, THEY DO DERBY HAT EVERY I BELIEVE IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO GET A DERBY HAT IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED. THEY'VE ALSO ASKED FOR FUNDING FOR REPAVING THE PARKING LOT OF COURSE HOUSES, FAMILY HEALTH CENTER WHICH DOES MEDICAL SCREENING FOR REFUGEES, NEW ARRIVALS AND IS ACTUALLY THE LONGEST AND LARGEST RUNNING COVID VACCINE SITE. THE PARKING LOT HAS CERTAINLY BEEN WELL UTILIZED IN THE PAST FEW YEARS. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU.

COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD? >> SORRY I THOUGHT SOMEONE WAS AHEAD OF ME. DISTRICT 24 \$2000.

>> DISTRICT 24 \$2000.

>> COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT? >> YES, THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT. DISTRICT 15, \$1000 PLEASE.

>> DISTRICT 15 \$1000.

>> DISTRICT 10 \$500. >> DISTRICT 10 \$500.

COUNCILMAN READ? >> DISTRICT 16 \$500. >> DISTRICT 16 \$500.

COUNCILMAN FOX? >> THANK YOU, DISTRICT 13 \$500.

>> DISTRICT 13 \$500. COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER? >> DISTRICT 9 \$500. >> DISTRICT \$500. COUNCILMAN WINKLER? >> AS SOMEONE WHO IS ENGLISH AS A SECOND LEG WHICH, DISTRICT 17 FOR \$500.

>> DISTRICT 17, \$500.

COUNCILWOMAN -- >> EXCUSE ME, DISTRICT NUMBER TWO 500.

>> DISTRICT 2, \$500. COUNCILMAN INGLE? >> DISTRICT 22, \$500. >> DISTRICT 22, \$500. COUNCILWOMAN DORSEY? >> DISTRICT 3, \$1000. >> DISTRICT 3, \$1000.

COUNCILWOMAN MCCRANIE?

>> YES, I HAVE NO COMMENT.

>> OKAY I THOUGHT YOU WERE SIGNALING. THANK YOU.

COUNCILWOMAN ARMSTRONG? >> DISTRICT 8, \$500. >> DISTRICT 8, \$500.

COUNCILMAN ARTHUR? >> DISTRICT 4, 1000. >> DISTRICT 4, \$1000.

CAN YOU TELL US WHERE WE ARE RIGHT NOW MADAM CLERK?

>> \$22,000. >> 22,000. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL? >> DISTRICT 12, \$1000. >> DISTRICT 12, \$1000.

AND COUNCILWOMAN --

>> DISTRICT 5, 250.

I HAVE A STATEMENT TO MAKE.

DON'T THINK I'M CHEAP, I JUST HAVE A BUNCH OF SPEED HUMPS TO PAY FOR. >> OKAY.

>> THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU COUNCILWOMAN.

AND COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER?

>> YES, DISTRICT 14, \$1000 PLEASE. >> DISTRICT 14, \$1000. COUNCILMAN BENSON? >> DISTRICT 20, 500. >> DISTRICT 20, \$500 AND DISTRICT 6, \$500.

WHAT IS OUR TOTAL?

>> \$25,250.

>> DID YOU SAY 25,000? >> \$25,250. >> \$25,250, ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?
HEARING NONE I WILL ENTERTAIN A MOTION FOR THE AMENDMENT.
MOTION, SECOND.

ALL IN FAVOR?

THE AMENDED ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE.
MADAM CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL FOR VOTING.

MADAM CLERK, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL FOR THOSE NOT IN CHAMBERS.

[ROLL CALL FOR VOTE] >> MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 24 YES VOTES.

>> THANK YOU THE ORDINANCE PASSES.

NEW BUSINESS COMPRISES ITEM NUMBER 61 THROUGH 75. MADAM CLERK,
PLEASE READ THE ITEMS AND ASSIGNMENTS TO COMMITTEE.

>> AND ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$17,113 FROM DISTRICT 9
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPING FUNDS THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT
AND BUDGET TO TREES AT LOUISVILLE INC. FOR THE TREE WELL
EXPANSIONS, CURB REPAIR AND TREE PURCHASES FOR FRANKFORT AVENUE
AND THE RIGHT SIDE OF GRIND STEAD DRIVE.

AND ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 087, SERIES 2021 RELATING
TO THE FISCAL YEAR 2021 ? 2022 OPERATING BUDGET FOR

LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY AND METRO GOVERNMENT, BY
TRANSFERRING \$15,000 FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUND TO
LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL GENERATIONAL -- GENERAL OPERATIONS.

IN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 087, SERIES 2021, RELATING TO
THE FISCAL YEAR 2021 ? 2022 OPERATING BUDGET FOR LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON
COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT BY TRANSFERRING \$15,000 FROM THE
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUND TO LOUISVILLE

METRO COUNCIL GENERAL OPERATIONS. IN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$7000
FROM DISTRICT 14 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO THE LOUISVILLE
METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT, THIRD DIVISION TO PAY FOR OVERTIME
EXPENSES FOR EXTRA PATROLLING OF STREETS AND DISTRICT 14 DUE TO
EXCESS BEATING. IN ORDINANCE APPROVING A FOURTH ROUND OF THE
AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN

LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDING TO VARIOUS LOUISVILLE METRO
GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS TO ADDRESS THE CONTINUED IMPACT OF COVID-
19 ON ECONOMY, PUBLIC HEALTH, STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS,
INDIVIDUALS AND BUSINESSES.

IN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 35 OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO CODE OF
ORDINANCES TO CREATE A LANGUAGE ACCESS POLICY FOR LOUISVILLE METRO
GOVERNMENT. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITOL AND OPERATING
BUDGET ORDINANCES APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE
FOLLOWING

NON-COMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED A PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT FOR
LOUISVILLE METRO PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELLNESS CONCERNING ALCOHOL
AND DRUG COUNSELING SUPPORT AND SUPERVISION SERVICES.

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE GROUND LEASE AND OPTION AGREEMENT FOR
PROPERTY AT 148 N. CLAY STREET TO BE LEASED TO THE

LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT AS PART OF DAVID ARMSTRONG EXTREME PARK. IN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE CLOSURE OF A PORTION OF THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF THE FAGAN BUSH LANE ADJACENT TO 5905 FAGAN BUSH LANE CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 3.87 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO.

IN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE CLOSURE OF A PORTION OF TWO UNIMPROVED ALLEYS ADJACENT TO THE 1391 DIXIE HIGHWAY CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 2250 SQUARE FEET EACH AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO. AND ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE ZONING OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1203

PAIN STREET CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 0.11 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO.

IN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE ZONING PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 10410 AND 10414 OLD PRESTON HIGHWAY CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 9.93 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO.

THE FOLLOWING FOR REINTRODUCTION ONLY ITEM 73 AND ORDINANCE MEN IN THE METRO AND LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE RELATING TO TRUCK PARKING REQUIREMENTS.

THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WAS ASSIGNED FOR PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE ITEM 74 IN ORDINANCE CREATING A NEW SECTION OF CHAPTER 113 OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO COURT OF ORDINANCES REQUIRING LOUISVILLE FORWARD TO PRODUCE A REPORT DETAILING BEST PRACTICES TO PROMOTE PUBLIC SAFETY FOR LATE LIGHT BUSINESSES. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION ASSIGNED TO THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE NUMBER 75, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT \$50,000

OF FUNDING FROM FRIENDS OF BARDSTOWN ROAD FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CURB EXTENSIONS ALONG BARDSTOWN ROAD TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND ASSETS.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK. NEXT WE HAVE ANNOUNCEMENTS. ANY COUNCIL MEMBERS WISHING TO MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS?

HEARING -- HEARING NONE, I'D LIKE TO WISH EVERYBODY A HAPPY DERBY FESTIVAL.

AND THAT CONCLUDES OUR MEETING. OUR NEXT COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2022 AT 6 PM. NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO DISCUSS. WITHOUT OBJECTION WE STAND ADJOURNED.