

Louisville Metro Government

601 W. Jefferson Street
Louisville, KY 40202



Action Summary - Tentative

Thursday, July 29, 2021

5:15 PM

THIS IS CONSIDERED A SPECIAL MEETING

First Floor Conference Room

Committee of the Whole

*Jessica Green (D-1), Barbara Shanklin (D-2), Keisha Dorsey (D-3),
Jecorey Arthur (D-4), Donna L. Purvis (D-5), David James (D-6)*,
Paula McCraney (D-7), Cassie Chambers Armstrong (D-8),
Bill Hollander (D-9), Pat Mulvihill (D-10), Kevin Kramer (R-11),
Rick Blackwell (D-12), Mark H. Fox (D-13), Cindi Fowler (D-14),
Kevin Triplett (D-15), Scott Reed (R-16), Markus Winkler (D-17),
Marilyn Parker (R-18), Anthony Piagentini (R-19), Stuart Benson (R-20),
Nicole George (D-21), Robin Engel (R-22), James Peden (R-23)
Madonna Flood (D-24), Amy Holton Stewart (D-25), Brent Ackerson (D-26)*

**Denotes the Committee Chair(s)*

Call to Order

Council President James called the meeting to order at 5:23 p.m.

Roll Call

A quorum was established.

- Present:** 22 - Council Member Jessica Green (D-1), Council Member Keisha Dorsey (D-3), Council Member Jecorey Arthur (D-4), Council Member Donna L. Purvis (D-5), Chair David James (D-6), Council Member Paula McCraney (D-7), Council Member Cassie Chambers Armstrong (D-8), Council Member Bill Hollander (D-9), Council Member Pat Mulvihill (D-10), Council Member Mark H. Fox (D-13), Council Member Cindi Fowler (D-14), Council Member Kevin Triplett (D-15), Council Member Scott Reed (R-16), Council Member Markus Winkler (D-17), Council Member Marilyn Parker (R-18), Council Member Anthony Piagentini (R-19), Council Member Stuart Benson (R-20), Council Member Nicole George (D-21), Council Member James Peden (R-23), Council Member Madonna Flood (D-24), Council Member Amy Holton Stewart (D-25), and Council Member Brent Ackerson (D-26)
- Excused:** 4 - Council Member Barbara Shanklin (D-2), Council Member Kevin Kramer (R-11), Council Member Rick Blackwell (D-12), and Council Member Robin Engel (R-22)

Support Staff

**Hollie Hopkins, Jefferson County Attorney's Office
Laura Ferguson, Jefferson County Attorney's Office
Natalie Johnson, Jefferson County Attorney's Office
Jason Fowler, Jefferson County Attorney's Office
Joan Sheffer, Civic Innovation and Technology**

Clerk(s)

**Sonya Harward, Clerk
Lisa Franklin Gray, Assistant Clerk**

Review of Metro Council Agenda

Council President James pointed out the Notice regarding the Council Rule change being proposed in item 35 (R-074-21) on the agenda. Council Member Winkler also spoke about this item and explained the purpose of the Rule change that would allow Council Members to attend meetings virtually. There was additional discussion and questions about this item.

Council President James briefly spoke about item 51 (R-066-21) that was listed as Special Legislation and would be passed with one reading as an Administrative Function.

Council President James also stated that item 52 (O-302-21) was being held at the request of the sponsor, and then asked the Chairs of the Committees about the legislation being forwarded from their Committees to the Council.

Council Member Piagentini briefly spoke about item 53 (O-242-21).

Council Member Flood briefly spoke about the items being forwarded from the Planning and Zoning Committee (items 54-58). She also noted that item 48 (O-203-21) was being moved from the Consent Calendar to Old Business so that it could be referred back to the Planning and Zoning Committee for further consideration due to some errors in the Ordinance language. Council Member Peden also spoke to item 57 (O-158-21).

Council Member Ackerson briefly spoke about item 60 (Appointment of Jan Day).

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Metro Council Agenda - July 29, 2021

Attachments: [FINAL Metro Council Agenda 7-29-21.pdf](#)

[ID 21-0916](#)

Addresses to Council - July 29, 2021

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Announcements

Council President James introduced the three Council Members who were newly sworn in during the pandemic and were attending their first fully in-person meeting. This included Council Member Arthur, Council Member Chambers Armstrong, and Council Member Holton Stewart.

Council President James noted that Andrea Derouen, District 24's Legislative Aide, was retiring and Oscar Heithaus would be the new District 24 Legislative Aide.

Council President James announced that as of July 29th, everyone was required to wear masks in state buildings and there was discussion about this.

Adjournment

Without objection, Council President James adjourned the meeting at 5:45 p.m.