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- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THE REGULAR LOUISVILLE COUNCIL MEETING
 OF AUGUST 8, 2019, WILL PLEASE COME TO ORDER. PLEASE RISE FOR
 THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG. [PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE]
 - >> PRESIDENT JAMES: MR. CLERK, ROLL CALL PLEASE.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER GREEN.
 - >> HERE.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER SHANKLIN.
 - >> PRESENT.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER DORSEY.
 - >> HERE.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER SEXTON SMITH.
 - >> PRESENT. COUNCIL MEMBER PURVIS.
 - >> PRESENT.
 - >> MR. CLERK: PRESENT JAMES.
 - >> PRESIDENT JAMES: HERE.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER MCCRANEY.
 - >> PRESENT.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER COAN.
 - >> HERE.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER HOLLANDER.
 - >> HERE.
 - >> MR. CLERK: HOW MANY MULVIHILL.
 - >> HERE.
 - >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER KRAMER.

- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.
- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER FOX. COUNCIL MEMBER FOWLER.

COUNCIL MEMBER TRIPLETT.

- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCILMAN REED.
- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER WINKLER.
- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER PARKER.
- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER PIAGENTINI.
- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER BENSON.
- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER GEORGE.
- >> HERE.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER ENGEL.
- >> PRESENT.
- >> MR. CLERK: COUNCIL MEMBER PEDEN. COUNCIL MEMBER FLOOD.
- >> HERE. COUNCIL MEMBER YATES. COUNCIL MEMBER ACKERSON.

COUNCIL MEMBER FOX. COUNCIL MEMBER FOYLER. COUNCIL MEMBER PEDEN.

COUNCIL MEMBER ACKERSON. MR. PRESIDENT WE HAVE 22 IN ATTENDANCE AND A QUORUM.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU VERY MUCH, LET THE RECORD REFLECT ACKERSON AND FOX HAVE EXCUSED ABSENCES.
 - >> MR. CLERK: SO NOTED.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: BEFORE WE GET STARTED WITH TONIGHT'S

 MEETING, WE'RE AWARE OF TRAGIC INCIDENTS THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE

 IN OUR COUNTRY VERY RECENTLY, MOST IMPORTANTLY IN EL PASO AND

 DAYTON, OHIO. AND I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE A MOMENT FOR US TO HAVE A

 MOMENT OF SILENCE AND THOUGHTS FOR THE FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WE

 LOST. [MOMENT OF SILENCE OBSERVED.]
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCIL MEMBER HOLLANDER,
 YOU KNOW YOU HAVE A SPECIAL GUEST.
- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT I HAVE THE PLEASURE, OF
 INTRODUCED RYAN MARTIN ABELL. HE'S 12-YEAR-OLD IN RESERVOIR
 PARK. HE ATTEND SAID MOVEHICLE MIDDLE SCHOOL AND IN THE
 6THGRADE. HE'S AN A STUDENT. HIS FAVORITE SUBJECTS ARE MATH AND
 HISTORY. EXTRACURRICULAR ARE THE MATH OLYMPIA TEAM, CROSS
 COUNTRY, TEACHERS ASSISTANT. HOBBIES INCLUDE PLAYING GUITAR,
 BEING OUTSIDE, COLLECTING COINS, AND TRAFFIC. HE DOES
 VOLUNTEERING WITH THE CRESCENT COMMUNITY COUNCIL FOR THE VERY
 HOT ANNUAL JULY 4THFESTIVAL WITH HE SETUP AND TEAR DOWN. HE
 MAKES FRIENDS EASILY. HE LOVERS TO LEARN, LOVES FAMILY GATHERS.
 HAS A LOT OF FRIENDS, INTERESTED IN ARCHITECTURE, MATH, LAW AND

GOVERNMENT? WELCOME, AND THANK YOU, RYAN MARTIN ABELL. [
APPLAUSE]

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCIL MEMBER.
- >> COUNCILWOMAN SEXTON SMITH.

>> COLLEAGUES IT WAS BROUGHT TO MY ATTENTION THERE IS A SPECIAL YOUNG WOMAN IN JEFFERSON COUNTY THAT IS GOING TO BE LEAVING BEFORE THE NEXT MEETING. I BEG YOUR FORGIVES BUT CLAIRE CURTIS TO STAND AS I RECOGNIZE HERE AND LET YOU KNOW SHE HAS A 2019 GRADUATE OF PRESENTATION ACADEMY. SHE ALONE HAS EARNED \$1.1 MILLION IN SCHOLARSHIP FUNDING. SHE CAN CHOOSE ANYWHERE AND RECEIVED A FULL SCHOLARSHIP TO OUR NATION'S FINEST INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING. BECAUSE OF HER ENGAGEMENT WITH THE LOUISVILLE LEADERSHIP GIRLS PROGRAM, SHE BECAME SO INSPIRED AND SHE HAS DECIDED TO DEDICATE HER LIFE TO SERVICE AND IN DOING SO, SHE HAS APPLIED TO AND HAS BEEN ACCEPTED AS VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE WHERE THERE WERE 1600 APPLICATIONS, ONLY 500 ARE ACCEPTED. AND OF THOSE, ONLY 80 WOMEN, MORE IMPORTANTLY ONLY 12 STUDENTSES EACH YEAR ARE ADMITTED TO THE LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE AT THE VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE, VMI. IF THAT'S NOT ENOUGH, SHE WAS A GOVERNOR SCHOLAR AND SERVED FIVE MONTHS AS A U.S. SENATE PAGE IN WASHINGTON D.C. DURING HER JUNIOR YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL. CLAIRE CURTIS, WE APPLAUD YOU AND LIFT YOU UP. WE WELCOME YOU TO COME BACK HOME AND MAKE US ALL PROUD. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: YES, MA'AM. THANK YOU. MR. CLERK, ARE THERE ANY ADDRESSES TO COUNCIL?
 - >> MR. CLERK: YES, SIR.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: LET ME REMIND THOSE ADDRESSING THE
 COUNCIL TO PLEASE REFRAIN FROM USING ANY PROFANITY OR MAKING
 DEROGATORY STATEMENTS TO COUNCILMEMBERS. MR. CLERK, PLEASE BRING
 THEM FORWARD.
 - >> MR. CLERK: MARGARET STEWART.
- >> RECALL FOR A MOMENT A FEW RECENT HEAD LINES. MASSIVE AUTOFIRE OUT OF CONTROL FIRES RAGE IN SIBERIA. INTENSE HEAT BLASTS EUROPE AS TEMPERATURES SORE OVER 100 DEGREES IN PARIS, LONDON, GERMANY AND ELSEWHERE. SOAR. WORLDWIDE JUNE TEMPERATURES ARE THE HOTTEST EVER RECORDED, UNTIL JULY TEMPERATURES EXCEED JUNE. CLOSE TO HOME, A MAN DIES IN A COAL MAN EXPLOSION. A LADY DIES AND A LARGE SWATH OF EARTH IS SCORCHED IN A GAS PIPELINE EXPLOSION. THE FOSSIL FUEL WE ALL DEPEND ON PLAY A PART IN EACH OF THESE EVENTS. NOW, CONSIDER THE OUESTION: WHEN IS THE BEST TIME TO PLANT A TREE? THE BEST TIME IS 20 YEARS AGO. OKAY? WHEN IS THE NEXT BEST TIME TO PLANT A TREE? HOW ABOUT NOW. AND WHEN IS THE BEST TIME TO CHOOSE RENEWABLE ENERGY? WE FAILED TO GET SERIOUS YEARS AGO. SO HOW ABOUT NOW? INSTEAD OF EXACERBATING DISASTERS, RENEWABLES CREATE A LESS HOSSAL ENVIRONMENT FOR HUMANS AND OTHER SPECIES AS WELL. ONE COULD SAY RENEWABLES ARE PRO LIFE FOR ALL OF LIFE. IMAGINE LIVING IN A CITY POWERED BY

RENEWABLE ENERGY. A CITY WITH CLEAN AIR, WATER AND SOIL. RESIDENTS EXPERIENCE FEWER ASTHMA ATTACKS, FEWER C.O.P.D. EPISODES, CLEAN ENERGY JOB EMPLOY MANY, FOLKS SAY MONEY IN THE LONG RUN BECAUSE ONCE INFRASTRUCTURE COSTS ARE RECOUPED THE ENERGY IS FREE. AND EFFICIENT PUBLIC TRANSIT PROVIDES EASE OF MOBILITY INCLUDING FOR US AGING BOOMERS WHOSE KIDS WILL SOON BE TRYING TO TAKE AWAY OUR CAR KEYS. THE RENEWABLE ENERGY TRAIN IS GATHERING SPEED. 129 U.S. CITIES AND 7 STATES ARE ON BOARD WITH RENEWABLE COMMITMENT. CITIES AND COUNTRIES AROUND THE WORLD ARE GETTING ON TRACK, THE TRACK WE ALL NEED TO BE ON TOWARD A RENEWABLE FUTURE. OUR CITY MUST NOT BE LEFT BEHIND. IT'S TIME FOR LOUISVILLE TO JUMP ON THE RENEWABLE CHANGE, CONVERSION TO RENEWABLES WILL BE A CHALLENGING PROCESS. 20 YEARS AGO, WOULD HAVE BEEN A GREAT TIME TO START BUT NOW IS THE NEXT BEST TIME. AS MY STUDENTS USED TO SAY, LET'S GET CRACK LACKEN. COUNCILMEMBERS, WE NEED YOUR BACK. APPROVE THE RESOLUTION FOR RENEWABLES IN LOUISVILLE, YOUR CHILDREN AND YOUR CHILDREN'S CHILDREN WILL THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MR. CLERK: ROBIN GREG WRIGHT.

>> I COME BEFORE YOU THIS EVENING TO SPEAK ON YOUR PAN
HANDLES ORDINANCE FOR LACK OF A BETTER TITLE. AND QUOTING GARCIA
COSTELLO, ON THE FACE, THE ORDINANCE CREATES A FINE FOR
PEDESTRIANS WHO APPROACH CARS, LINGER IN MEDIANS OR UNSAFELY
ENTER ROADWAYS, IT IS TARGET HOMELESS ASKING DRIVERS FOR MONEY

WITH SIGNS. ASKING FOR HELP. I SAW RED WHEN I READ THE PAPER. I THOUGHT BETTER OF MY RED. I AM A PERSON TRAINED IN SOCIAL SECURITY SCIENCE RESEARCH. SO I'VE BOTHERED TO GET A COMPLETE COPY OF THE PROPOSAL. AND I HAVE TO SAY I WAS SADDENED BY THE FIRST 7 WHEREASES. THEY DO NOT BUILD UPON ONE ANOTHER. THEY DO NOT RELATE TO ONE ANOTHER. THEY DO NOT RELATE TO THE PROBLEM, FRANKLY. THEY TALK ABOUT A NATIONAL NUMBER OF DEATHS OR ACCIDENTS. THEY DO HAVE A NUMBER IN HERE THAT THERE WERE 457 PEDESTRIAN INVOLVED COLLISIONS IN 2018. 21 FATALITIES. MY QUESTION FOR THAT SIMPLE STATISTIC AS IMPORTANT AS IT IS, HOW MANY OF THOSE WERE PANHANDLING RELATED? ALL OF US DRIVE THROUGH THIS TOWN. ALL OF US ARE AWARE OF A LOT OF DISTRACTIONS. THE PANHANDLING IS NOT THE GREATEST PROBLEM. HOW MANY PEOPLE DIED OF GUN VIOLENCE IN THE CITY IN 2018? I PROMISE YOU IT SHOULD MORE THAN 21. OUR PRIORITY IS WRONG. AND ON TOP OF THAT WE PASSED A MUNICIPAL BUDGET WHERE IN WE CUT THE RESOURCES FOR OUR POLICE FORCE. HERE WE ARE, WE'RE GOING TO PASS AN ORDINANCE THEY ARE SUPPOSED TO GO OUT AND ENFORCE USING THEIR TIME AND ENERGY TO GO FORTH AND FIND THEREFORE, THE POOREST OF THE POOR COMMUNITY, THE HOMELESS. AS A MINISTER OF THE GOSPEL, I HAVE A HARD TIME SWALLOWING THAT. THIS IS A SAMPLE OF OUR RESPONSE FROM OUR CHURCH TO THOSE PEOPLE. A GALLON BAG FILLED WITH A COMPLETE MEAL. ALL OF OUR MEMBERS CARRY THEM IN THEIR CARS AND ROLL DOWN

THEIR WINDOWS AND HAND THEM OUT TO PEOPLE WITH A SIGN. IT IS A MORE HUMANE, APPROPRIATE RESPONSE. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MR. CLERK: CONNIE MARSHALL.

>> MY NAME IS CONNIE MARSHALL. MY WEBSITE IS WWW.JUSTICE FOR ALL CITIZENS.COM. MY EMAIL IS CONNIE C MARSHALL AUTOGMAIL. MY TOPIC IS LETTERS FROM OFFICIALS. THEY CONTACT THE FBI REGARDING HATE CRIMES AND CRIMINAL ACTS BY POLICE, JUDGES AND OTHERS. I HAVE RECEIVED NO ASSISTANCE FROM THERE LOUISVILLE KENTUCKY FBI. FOR THE BEST DECADE AND BEFORE I HAVE BEEN VICTIMIZED BY THE LOUISVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT FROM 2011 AND BEFORE THROUGH 2019, STATE THE FOLLOWING, RUSSELL COLEMAN, U.S. ATTORNEY STATED FEDERAL CRIMES ARE HANDLED BY THE FBI. WE HAVE FORTED YOUR LETTER. HUMAN RIGHT ITS COMMISSION, THESE ARE FEDERAL CRIMES AND SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE FBI, WHICH YOU HAVE DONE. THE C.I.S. STATED THIS FALLS UNDER THE FBI TO HANDLE. LEGISLATIVE ETHICS STATED, IT'S YOUR YOU HAVE PROPERLY SUBMITTED THE DOCUMENTATION TO THE FBI. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE WASHINGTON STATED, YOU SHOULD CONTACT YOUR FBI AND GAVE ME A REFERENCE NUMBER. CONGRESSMAN JOHN'S STATED PLEASE FIND THE DOCUMENT YOU PROTECTED AT THE TIME OUR MEETING. WE CONTACTED THE FBI ON YOUR BEHALF. I ALSO MAILED CERTIFIED PACKET AND REGISTERED PACKET R280326741 U.S. AND I HAVE HAND-DELIVERED PACKAGE TO THE STATION, PLACE LOCATION. BUT I NEVER RECEIVED ANY ASSISTANCE FROM THE LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY FBI. AND THE HATE

CRIMINAL ACTS AGAINST ME AND MY FAMILY AND PROPERTY CONTINUE. THE LOUISVILLE METRO POLICE ADMITTED IN WRITING THEY ARE INVOLVED. 30 EMAILS AND ONE OF THE EMAILS, THE POLICE ADMIT A WHITE MAN CAN AND THE CARS WERE SENT BY THEM. I HAVE RECEIVED 40 THREATENING PHONE CALLS CALLING ME THE "N" WORD. KIM MELTON, MANAGER INCLUDED WITH THE POLICE TO COLLUDED WITH THE POLICE USING MY NAME. MALONE STAFF AND HER DAD CUINCLUDED WITH THE POLICE IN FABRICATING A THREATENING EMAIL. THE POLICE CAME TO MY HOUSE TO TRY TO DRAG ME OUT OF MY HOME. THERE ARE CLEAR MOTIVES. THE COURT, KENTUCKY SUPREME COURT FORGED PLEADINGS WITH MY SIGNATURE, ACCUSING JUDGE OF PERFORMING -- 12-YEAR-OLD GIRL. JUDGE HUGHES [INDISCERNIBLE] I RESPONDED TO ALL THESE FABRICATED PLEADINGS. HOWEVER, THE LAST FABRICATED PLEADING WAS FILED AND STATED [BEEP] -- I DID NOT SEND THE PLEADINGS. MY RESPONSE WAS SENT BY -- FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO MY WEBSITE. I WILL NEVER STOP COMING TO UNTIL I GET MY -- THAT I'VE BEEN GOING THROUGH IN THE TOWN, WHICH THE POLICE ARE THE RING LEADERS. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE 1

>> MR. CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT THAT CONCLUDES THE ADDRESSES TO COUNCIL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. NEXT, WE HAVE APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MINUTES FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF JULY 25, 2019. ARE THERE ANY CONDITIONS OR DELETIONS? -- CORRECTIONS. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER PEDEN, SECONDED BY

COUNCIL MEMBER SEXTON SMITH. IT'S BEEN PROPERLY MOVED AND SECONDED. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE IT.

THESE MINUTES ARE APPROVED AS WRITTEN. NEXT, WE HAVE APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES: COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, JULY 25, 2019; REGULAR PLANNING AND ZONING COMMITTEE MEETING,

JULY 35, 2019; REGULAR GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT AND AUDIT COMMITTEE, JULY 30, 2019; REGULAR HEALTH AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE, JULY 31, 2019; REGULAR PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE, JULY 31, 2019; REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, JULY 31, 2019; REGULAR BUDGET

COMMITTEE, AUGUST 1, 2019; REGULAR COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES,

AUGUST 6, 2019. ARE THERE ANY CORRECTIONS AND/OR DELETIONS? MAY

I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER REED

SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER VINSON. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE."

OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE, THE MINUTES ARE APPROVED AS WRITTEN. MR.

CLERK DO WE HAVE ANY COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR.

- >> MR. CLERK: WE DO, SIR.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: PLEASE READ THOSE INTO THE RECORD.
- >> MR. CLERK: DEAR PRESIDENT JAMES, I AM APPOINTING THE FOLLOWING TO THE MEDICAL CENTER COMMISSION OF JEFFERSON COUNTY TO FILL THE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE HOSPITAL SEAT. ROBERT VANBUSKIRK, NEW APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES JUNE 22, 2021. THIS IS TO BE READ INTO THE RECORD ONLY. METRO COUNCIL APPROVAL OF THIS APPOINTMENT IS NOT REQUIRED. SINCERELY, GREG FISCHER, MAYOR. DEAR PRESIDENT JAMES, I AM APPOINTING AND REAPPOINTING THE

FOLLOWING TO THE URBAN SERVICES DISTRICT BOARD: DANIEL BORSCH, NEW COUNCIL APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 13, 2021. JOHN GUTHRIE, NEW COUNCIL APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 13, 2021. RANDALL WEBBER, COUNCIL APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 13, 2021. ROSALIND FISHMAN, COUNCIL APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 13, 2021. DEBBIE FOX, MAYOR'S REPRESENTATIVE REAPPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 13, 2021. THIS IS TO BE READ INTO RECORD. METRO COUNCIL APPROVAL OF THESE APPOINTMENTS ARE NOT REQUIRED. SINCERELY, GREG FISCHER, MAYOR. DEAR PRESIDENT JAMES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WATER WORKS ORDINANCE, CRAIG WILLMAN WAS REAPPOINTED ON JUNE 13, 2019. HOWEVER, THE APPROVED TERM OF JUNE 1, 2023 IS INCORRECT. THE CORRECT TERM SHOULD BE APRIL 30, 2023. ADDITIONALLY, I AM REAPPOINTING DR. SUNNY DRONAWAT TO SERVE ANOTHER FOUR-YEAR TERM. HIS TERM IS LISTED BELOW. CRAIG WILLMAN, REAPPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES APRIL 30, 2023. DR. SUNDEEP DRONAWAT, REAPPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES APRIL 30, 2023. YOUR PROMPT ACTION ON THIS TERM CORRECTION AND REAPPOINTMENT IS MOST APPRECIATED. SINCERELY, GREG FISCHER, MAYOR. DEAR PRESIDENT JAMES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HOUSING AUTHORITY BOARD ORDINANCE, I AM APPOINTING AND REAPPOINTING THE FOLLOWING TO THE BOARD: GENA REDMON HARRIS, REAPPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 15, 2022. REVERENT GEOFFREY ELLIS, REVEREND GEOFFREY ELLIS, REAPPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 15, 2022. MARY ELIZABETH MILES, NEW MARY ELIZABETH MILES, APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES AUGUST 15, 2022. YOUR

PROMPT ACTION ON THIS APPOINTMENT IS MOST APPRECIATED. SINCERELY, GREG FISCHER, MAYOR. DEAR PRESIDENT JAMES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION BOARD ORDINANCE, I AM APPOINTING THE FOLLOWING: JOAN "TONI" STRINGER, APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES JUNE 30, 2021. YOUR PROMPT ACTION ON THIS APPOINTMENT IS MOST APPRECIATED. SINCERELY, GREG FISCHER, MAYOR. DEAR PRESIDENT JAMES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT ORDINANCE, I AM APPOINTING THE FOLLOWING, LIANDREA GOATLEY, NEW APPOINTMENT, TERM EXPIRES JUNE 30, 2022. YOUR PROMPT ACTION ON THIS APPOINTMENT IS MOST APPRECIATED. SINCERELY, GREG FISCHER, MAYOR. DEAR PRESIDENT JAMES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE VOLUNTEER FIRE DISTRICTS ORDINANCE, I AM APPOINTING THE FOLLOWING TO THE PLEASURE RIDGE PARK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT BOARD: DAVID MATTINGLY, FIREFIGHTER ELECT POSITION, NEW APPOINTMENT. TERM EXPIRES JUNE 30, 2020. YOUR PROMPT ACTION ON THIS APPOINTMENT IS MOST APPRECIATED. SINCERELY, GREG FISCHER, MAYOR. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THOSE NEEDING APPROVAL WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT AUDIT COMMITTEE.

PURSUANT TO RULE 1.01, SUBSECTION B, THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL MAYBE AMENDED ADOPTED BY A MAJORITY VOTE PROVIDED A NOTICE OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS ARE GIVEN AT A PREVIOUS MEETING AND APPEAR ON THE AGENDA. AT THE NEXT MEETING OF AUGUST 22NDMETRO

COUNCIL WILL VOTE ON THE CHANGE TO THE RULE. MR. CLERK, PLEASE READ.

- >> MR. CLERK: A RESOLUTION
- >> MR. CLERK: THE COUNCIL MEMBER TO CHANGE THE ORDINANCE OF BUSINESS AT ITS COUNCIL MEETING. READ IN FULL.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE NEXT ITEM IS SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE. THIS ITEM IS A RESOLUTION THAT IS TIME SENSITIVE AND CALLS FOR A DEVIATION FROM OUR USUAL PRACTICE. WE'LL INVOKE RULE 7.01 SUBSECTION A, ALLOWS A RESOLUTION TO BE VOTED ON AT THE TIME THE MEETING IS INTRODUCED WHEN IT IS A CONSIDERED BY AN EMERGENCY OF TWO-THIRDS OF THE VOTE OF THE COUNCIL. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND SECOND. MOTION BY COUNCIL BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER TRIPLETT. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." A READING OF ITEM 21.
- >> MR. CLERK: A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL APPROVIC THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING NONCONTRACT OF THE LOUISVILLE FEDERATION OF MUVISIONS LOCAL 11-636, FOR \$30,000, READ IN FULL.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND?
 - >> MOTION.
 - >> SECOND.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: MOTION COUNCIL MEMBER BENSON, SECOND COUNCIL MEMBER ENGEL. THE RESOLUTION IS BEFORE US. ANY DISCUSSION? MR. CLERK.

>> MR. CLERK: I APOLOGIZE, I WANTED TO CLARIFY THE

DOCUMENTATION WAS THE CONTRACT. I DID RECEIVE THAT SIGNED BY THE

LOUISVILLE FEDERATION OF MUSICIANS AND SO IT HAS BEEN RECEIVED.

JUST TO CLARIFY. THANK YOU. COUNCIL MEMBER KRAMER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I HAVE NO OBJECTION TO THIS

CONTRACT. IT'S PRETTY STANDARD, WE DO IT EVERY YEAR AND HAVE FOR

SOME TIME. MY QUESTION, IS WHY DID THEY NOT PRESENT THIS IN A

TIMELY FASHION THAT WE COULD HAVE USED THE NORMAL PROCESS?

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: I DON'T KNOW IT'S SO MUCH THEY DIDN'T PRESENT IT IMTIME. I DON'T THINK WE DISCUSSED IT WITH THEM IN TIME AND NOW WE HAVE EVENTS WHERE IT COULD BE UTILIZED THAT WE'RE TRYING TO GET OUT, GET THE FUNDS OUT TO THEM IN TIME.

>> SURE. JUST FOR THE SAKE OF THE FEDERATION OF MUSICIANS,

IF THIS IS SOMETHING, THEY ARE HOPING TO DO NEXT YEAR, IT

SHOULDN'T BE A SURPRISE EVERY YEAR. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF THEY

GIVE US THE INFORMATION AHEAD OF OUR STARTING TO -- OBVIOUSLY

WE'RE ASSUMING WE'RE DOING THIS AGAIN. OUR FOLKS ARE REACHING

OUT TO THEM. IT WOULD BE KIND OF THEM TO GET THE CONTRACT BEFORE

US IN A MORE TIMELY FASHION. AGAIN, I SUPPORT THIS.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

HEARING NONE, THIS IS A RESOLUTION WE'LL USE THE ROLL CALL. MR.

CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING. YOUWITHOUT OBJECTION THE VOTING

IS CLOSINGS AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MR. CLERK: 24 YES VOTES AND TWO NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THE RESOLUTION PASSES. 96 IS RESOLUTION COUNCIL FOR SEPTEMBER THE 26, 2019, IN ORDER TO VOTE ON THIS TONIGHT WE WILL INVOKE RULE 3.01 ALLOWING THE COUNCIL TO CANCEL A MEETING BY RESOLUTION WITH A TWO THIRDS VOTE AND 7.01 SUBSECTION B WHICH ALLOWS COUNCIL TO PASS A RESOLUTION AT THE SAME MEETING IN WHICH IT WAS INTRODUCED WHEN PERTAINS TO ADMINISTRATIVE ACT OR FUNCTION OF THE COUNCIL. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? THANK YOU. MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER ENGEL AND SECONDED BY COUNCILWOMAN GREEN. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." THE AYES HAVE IT. ALREADING OF ITEM 22.

>> MR. CLERK: A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE LOUISVILLE MEETING CALENDAR, READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER VINSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILWOMAN DORSEY. THE RESOLUTION IS BEFORE US. ANY DISCUSSION? HEARING DONE, WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION THE VOTING IS CLOSING AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MR. CLERK: 24 YES VOTES AND TWO NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE RESOLUTION IS APPROVED.

THE NEXT ORDER OF BUSINESS IS THE CONSENT CALENDAR. THE CONSENT

CALENDAR COMPRISES ITEM NUMBERS 23 THROUGH 33. ARE THERE ANY

ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS? OKAY. WE'RE HAVING A SMALL TECHNICAL

DIFFICULTIES WITH OUR COMPUTERS. WHILE THE CLERK IS READING,

WE'RE GOING TO TRY AND REEXPORT THE AGENDA BACK INTO THE SYSTEM.

IT ONLY PICKED UP PART OF THE AGENDA. IF YOU COULD NOT USE YOUR

COMPUTER WHILE HE'S READING. SO THAT WE CAN GET THAT DONE, THAT

WOULD BE GREAT. OKAY. GOOD WITH THAT? IT WILL TAKE IT OUT WHEN

HE STARTS. ALL RIGHT. MR. CLERK, A SECOND READING OF THESE ITEMS

PLEASE.

>> MR. CLERK: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATE RATING \$5,400 FROM NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$1,000 FROM DISTRICT 13; \$750 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 12, 15, AND 25; \$500 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 1, 3, AND 14; \$400 FROM DISTRICT 21; AND \$250 FROM DISTRICT 17; THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, TO THE LOUISVILLE INDEPENDENT BUSINESS ALLIANCE INC. FOR OPERATING EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH ITS KEEP SOUTH LOUISVILLE WEIRD INITIATIVE AND PROGRAMMING EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH THE SOUTH POINTS BY LOCAL FAIR. AN ORDINANCE PROPOSE RATING \$18,000 IN DISTRICT 6 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO THE METRO PARKS DEPARTMENT WITH \$13,000 BEING APPROPRIATED FOR EXPENSES PERTAINING TO THE COMMUNITY EVENTS SURROUNDING CALIFORNIA DAY AND VICTORY PARK DAY, AND \$5,000 BEING APPROPRIATED FOR EXPENSES PERTAINING TO THE JAZZ IN CENTRAL PARK CONCERT. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATE RATING \$18,344.40 FROM DISTRICT 8 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FOR A LITTLE PICK UP AND STREET SWEEPING PROGRAM ALONG THE BARDSTOWN ROAD AND BAXTER AVENUE CORRIDOR FROM JUNE 15, 2019 TO SEPTEMBER 4, 2019. AN

ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$10,000 FROM DISTRICT 25 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO THE LOUISVILLE METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT THIRD DIVISION, TO FUND OVERTIME EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH CRIME REDUCTION, CRIME PREVENTION, AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$13,0363.95 FROM DISTRICT 26 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FOR COSTS RELATED TO JUNK PICK UP IN DISTRICT 26 AFTER THE CLANG IN ENFORCEMENT OF JUNK PICK UP POLICIES. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION FORWARDED TO THE BUDGET COMMITTEE. RESOLUTION OF OFFICIAL INTENT OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF CERTAIN CAPITAL PROJECTS OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT AND ITS AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS FROM THE PROCEEDS OF ONE OR MORE PROPOSED ISSUES OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND GENERAL OBLIGATION NOTES. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WAS FORWARDED FROM GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT AND AUDIT COMMITTEE. APPOINTMENT OF ANGELA EDWARDS TO THE ETHICS COMMISSION. TERM EXPIRES JUNE 30, 2021. APPOINTMENT OF MARLENE MEN TO THE DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT REVIEW OVERLAY DISTRICT COMMITTEE. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2020. APPOINTMENT OF CHARLES CLEPHAS, PROPERTY OWNER ELECT POSITION, TO THE BUECHEL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT BOARD. TERM EXPIRES JUNE 30, 2021. APPOINTMENT OF DOUGLAS SCOTT TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION. TERM EXPIRES JUNE 30, 2021. APPOINTMENT OF MARILYN HARRIS TO THE AFFORDABLE

HOUSING TRUST FUND BOARD. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2020. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WAS FORWARDED FROM LABOR AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES, APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING NON-COMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT FOR THE LIBRARY CONCERNING MAGAZINE AND NEWSPAPER SUBSCRIPTIONS AND OTHER MATERIALS, PROQUEST LLC FOR \$100,000. A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE GRANTING OF LOCAL INCENTIVES TO HAFENDORFER MACHINE, INC. AND ANY SUBSEQUENT ASSIGNEES OR APPROVED AFFILIATES THEREOF PURSUANT TO KRS CHAPTER 154, SUBCHAPTER 32. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES, APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT FOR LOUISVILLE METRO PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELLNESS CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH AND WELLNESS. TO THE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND INFORMATION SERVICES FOR \$123,077. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT \$125,408 OF ADDITIONAL FUNDING FROM THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET FOR CONTINUATION OF THE LOUISVILLE LOOP MULTI-USE PATH PROJECT ADMINISTRATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND ASSETS. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND OPERATING BUDGET APPROVING TO FUND THE NON-NEGOTIATED SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT FOR LOUISVILLE METRO PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELLNESS CONCERNING DATA COLLECTION STATE-MANDATED USE OF KENTUCKY'S

PATIENT SERVICES REPORTING SYSTEM AND ITS ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM TO CUT DATA PROCESS FOR \$71,000. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING NON-NEGOTIATED SOURCE CONTRACT FOR THE LIBRARY CONCERNING MAGAZINE AND NEWSPAPER SUBSCRIPTION AND OTHER MATERIALS FOR \$75,000. A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE GRANTING OF LOCAL INCENTIVES TO ANDERSON HARDWOOD PELLETS, LLC AND ANY SUBSEQUENT ASSIGNEES OR APPROVED AFFILIATES PURSUANT TO KRS CHAPTER 154, SUBCHAPTER 32. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FURTHER FUND THE FOLLOWING NON-COMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT FOR METRO SAFE FOR MAINTENANCE OF ITS NEWLY UPGRADED RADIO SYSTEM, MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS, INC. FOR \$623,681. A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LOUISVILLE METRO PLANNING COMMISSION CONDUCT A STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING REDUCTION OF MINIMUM PARKING REQUIREMENTS IN CERTAIN AREAS AS SUGGESTED IN PLAN 2040 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN. AN ORDINANCE REVIEWING AND OVERTURNING THE DECISION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION TO APPROVE THE REVISED DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT PLANT PROPOSED IN CASE 19 DEVELOPMENT PLAN 1003. AN ORDINANCE CLOSING A PORTION OF HEY COURT AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO. 1003. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? OF THE MOTION BY -- THE CONSENT CALENDAR IS MOVED AND SECONDED. CAN THE CLERK OPEN THE VOTING? WE'LL DO A SHOW OF

HANDS. ALL IN FAVOR, PLEASE RAISE YOUR HAND. ALL OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE IT. THE MINUTES ARE APPROVED. THE CONSENT CALENDAR IS APPROVED, I'M SORRY. THANK YOU, COUNCIL MEMBER PIAGENTINI FOR POINTING THAT OUT. ALL RIGHT. NEXT IS OLD BUSINESS. PLEASE READ ITEM 45.

>> MR. CLERK: AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM R-4
SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO R-6 MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ON
PROPERTY LOCATED AT 7717, 7727 AND 7727 ST. ANDREWS CHURCH ROAD
CONTAINING 0.7747 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO. CASE
NUMBER 19 ZONE 1036. AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM R-6
MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO R-8A MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ON
PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2217-2237 WEST MUHAMMAD ALI READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND?

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER

TRIPLETT. ANY DISCUSSION, COUNCIL MEMBER FLOOD?

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS IS A 3-ACRE SITE WITH

LESS THAN AN ACRE TO BE REZONED. THIS IS FOR A SENIOR LIVING

WITH 41 DWELLING UNITS. IT HAS PUBLIC SIDEWALKS AND PARK. THEY

WILL HAVE ACCESS TO THE PROPERTY. ALSO, CARDINAL OAK, WHICH IS A

PRIVATE DRIVE. IN COUNCILMAN DAVID YATES DISTRICT.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU.
- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THE MEETING WENT WELL.

 [INDISCERNIBLE] THE SUBDIVISION, I THINK IT WILL BE A POSITIVE

[INDISCERNIBLE] RETIREMENT COMMUNITY. RENDERING IT FITS THE NEIGHBORHOOD WELL.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

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

 CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING. WITHOUT OBJECTION THE VOTING IS

 CLOSING. THE VOTING IS CLOSED.
 - >> MR. CLERK: 24 YES VOTES AND TWO NOT VOTING.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES, MR.

 CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 46. AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING

 FROM R-6 MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO R-8A MULTI-FAMILY

 RESIDENTIAL ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2217-2237 WEST MUHAMMAD ALI

 BOULEVARD CONTAINING 1.29 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO.

 CASE NUMBER 18 ZONE 1059. READ IN FULL.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER TRIPLETT. THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US, ANY DISCUSSION? COUNCIL MEMBER FLOOD.
- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT, THIS PROJECT IS A THREE-STORY SENIOR LIVING FACILITY, LONG A MAJOR ARTERIAL ROAD. AVAILABLE AT THIS PROPERTY. THE DESIGN OF THIS PROPERTY WILL CLOSELY MIMIC THE EXISTING FACILITY AT 22NDAND MUHAMMAD ALI.
 - >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCIL MEMBER SEXTON SMITH.
- >> THANK YOU, COLLEAGUE ZION MANNER IS A BEAUTIFUL BUILDING AND SENIOR CITIZENS HAVE ENJOYED LIVING THERE. THIS IS A GREAT

EXAMPLE, THIS EXPANSION AND REZONING OF WHAT ONE PERSON WHEN
THEY GET EXCITED CAN DO BY RECRUITING AN ENTIRE COMMUNITY TO GET
BEHIND THIS DEVELOPMENT. PASTOR GERALD JOINER LED THE WAY. HIS
CHURCH IS LOCATED ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE MANNER. WE'RE
FORTUNATE HIS CHURCH HAS ACQUIRED A NUMBER OF PROPERTIES IN THE
AREA TO TRANSFORM THE NEIGHBORHOOD SO EVERYONE CAN THRIVE AND
GROW TOGETHER. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU COUNCIL MEMBER. WOULD THE CLERK OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

- >> MR. CLERK: 24 YES VOTES AND TWO NOT VOTING.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THE ORDINANCE PASSES, THANK YOU. A READING OF ITEM 47.
- >> AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM R-4 SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO C-2 COMMERCIAL AND CHANGING THE FORM DISTRICT FROM NEIGHBORHOOD FORM DISTRICT TO SUBURBAN MARKETPLACE CORRIDOR ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 4531 KERRICK LANE CONTAINING 1.75 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO, CASE NUMBER 19 ZONE 1022. READ IN FULL.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER BENSON SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SEXTON SMITH. THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. ANY DISCUSSION, COUNCIL MEMBER FLOOD?

- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS IS TO ALLOW SUPPLEMENTING
 A BUSINESS, STERN BURG AUTOMOTIVE. THERE IS ONE BUILDING REMOVED
 FROM THE PROPERTY. IF YOU LOOK A ON THE ZONING MAP IT'S
 SURROUNDING BY [INDISCERNIBLE] AS IT'S PRESENTLY PLOTTED OUT.
 THIS IS IN COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL'S.
 - >> PRESIDENT JAMES: DR. BLACKWELL.
- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. NO ONE SPOKE AGAINST THIS.

 PROBABLY BECAUSE IT'S BEEN SOMETHING THAT'S BEEN CONTEMPLATED

 FOR A BIT. THERE WAS TALK ABOUT DOING THIS VERY THING EARLIER.

 AND THEN THE PERSON WHO WAS ORIGINALLY GOING TO DO THAT DECIDED

 TO SELL THE PROPERTY. SO THERE HAS BEEN A LOT OF DISCUSSION

 ABOUT IT FOR A LONG TIME. NO OPPOSITION.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. ANY OTHER DISCUSSION, THIS IS REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE. CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING. WITHOUT OBJECTION THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.
 - >> MR. CLERK: 23 YES VOTES AND THREE NOT VOTING.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES. MR. CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 48.
- >> AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 117 OF
 LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT CODE OF ORDINANCES
 AND ENACTING A NEW SECTION FOR PEDESTRIAN AND TRAFFIC SAFETY,
 AMENDMENT BY SUBSTITUTION, AS AMENDED. READ IN FULL.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER PIAGENTINI. THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US, ANY DISCUSSION, COUNCIL MEMBER COAN.
 - >> THIS IS PUBLIC SATE.
 - >> PRESIDENT JAMES: I'M SORRY.
- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS ITEM PASSED OUT OF

 COMMITTEE UNANIMOUSLY LAST WEEK WITH SEVERAL AMENDMENTS. I DON'T

 KNOW IF I'M OUT OF ORDER OR IF I CAN MAKE A MOTION TO HAVE A

 DISCUSSION ON THIS. HOPEFULLY WE DON'T GO OVER.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: MAY I HAVE A SECOND. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY,
 "AYE." OF LIMITING DISCUSSION SAY AYE, ALL OPPOSED, THE AYES
 HAVE IT. COUNCIL MEMBER GREEN.
- >> TO PASS THE TO COUNCIL MEMBER BLACKWELL AND COUNCIL MEMBER MULVIHILL. THANKS.
 - >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCIL MEMBER BLACKWELL.
- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. SO THIS HAS BEEN MENTIONED
 WITH THE ZONING CASE THERE WAS WORK ON IT FOR A LONG TIME. THIS
 TOO HAS BEEN WORKED ON FOR A LONG TIME. WE STARTED ABOUT A YEAR
 AGO. ORIGINALLY, WE WERE LOOKING AT FROM OUR OFFICE, WE WERE
 LOOKING AT HOW DO WE -- WHAT CAN WE DO IN TERMS OF PEDESTRIAN
 SAFETY THAT ENHANCES PEDESTRIAN SAFETY ORIGINALLY FOR US, ON
 DIXIE HIGHWAY WAS THE LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAVE
 PUT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS INTO DIXIE HIGHWAY TRYING TO TRANSFORM
 IT INTO SOMETHING THAT IS SAFER FOR PEDESTRIANS AND THOSE IN

CARS AND BUSES. SO THAT WAS OUR ORIGINAL LOOK. AS WE STARTED LOOKING AT IT, OF COURSE, YOU CAN'T FIGHT THE LAW TO MAKE DIXIE HIGHWAY SAFER. WE STARTED LOOKING AT WHAT CAN WE DO. I WOULD LIKE TO THANK OUR COUNTY ATTORNEY OFFICE WHO HAS BEEN, I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW MANY HOURS WORTH OF WORK. ORIGINALLY OVER THE TIME WE PUT IT TOGETHER AND ALSO AND THEN MORE RECENTLY SINCE WE INTRODUCED IT AND HAD A COMMITTEE. AND I ALSO WANT TO THANK OUR COLLEAGUES. YOU HAVE RAISED SOME GREAT QUESTIONS. WE'VE TRIED TO, COUNCIL MEMBER MULVIHILL AND I, ESPECIALLY COUNCIL MEMBER MULVIHILL, HE ALSO HAS HIS LEGAL HAT. HE'S DONE A TON OF WORK TO TRY TO ADDRESS ALL THE ISSUES BEFORE US. WE HAD SOME AMENDMENTS IN THE COMMITTEE AND THEN WE HAVE, AGAIN, WE HAVE AN EYE ON A COUPLE OF AMENDMENTS AS WELL. WE'LL TALK ABOUT THOSE IN A SECOND HERE. I WANT TO THANK THE L.M.P.D. WE HAD A SPEAKER A MINUTE AGO WHO KIND OF IMPLIED WE WERE DROPPING SOMETHING ON L.M.P.D. THEY ALSO MAKE THE RUNS WHEN PEDESTRIANS GET HIT AND KILLED. I THINK THEY WOULD MUCH PREFER TO MAKE THE RUNS WHERE PEOPLE ARE STILL ALIVE. AND I WOULD ALSO LIKE -- THEY SUPPORT THE ORDINANCE. THE OTHER THING, OF COURSE THE PUBLIC WORKS HAS BEEN VERY INVOLVED. THEY HAVE DONE A LOT OF RESEARCH FOR US AS WELL. I WOULD BE REMISS NOT TO THANK MY LEGISLATIVE AID WHO HAS DONE A TON OF WORK. SHE'S HAD A CHILD RECENTLY. SO SHE'S PROBABLY NOT GOING TO WATCH THIS TONIGHT. I HOPE SHE IS NOT WATCHING THIS TONIGHT. BUT SHE WON'T -- AND ALSO, JUST A PLUG FOR A LOUISVILLE INTERNS WHO

WAS INVOLVED. THAT KIND OF HIS PROJECT WHEN HE WAS HERE. HE DID A TON OF WORK PUTTING TOGETHER THE ROADWAYS AND STATISTICS OF THE ROADWAYS AND THE RESEARCHING OF LEGAL FEES. IT'S BEEN A WORK IN PROGRESS. THE INTENT OF, IT'S BEEN CHARACTERIZED IN A LOT OF DIFFERENT WAYS. AND NO ONE THINKS THAT THIS LEGISLATION IS A PEDESTRIAN SAFETY ORDINANCE. AND IT WILL DO A LOT OF GOOD THINGS TO HELP PEDESTRIANS BE SAFE AND TO HELP THOSE PEOPLE WHO ARE DRIVING AROUND PEDESTRIANS IN THE STREET TO BE SAFE. WHILE IT ISN'T, THE AMENDMENT HELP OTHER COLLEAGUES FEEL MORE COMFORTABLE WITH THE ORDINANCE, HOPEFULLY, YEAH, WE WORKED ON THE IN THE BEGINNING. WE LIKED THE WAY IT STARTED. BUT THAT'S THE PROCESS. THE PROCESS IS TO TRY TO TAKE IN EVERYONE'S VIEWPOINT AND CONSIDERATION AND COME UP WITH SOMETHING WE CAN LIVE WITH AND STILL ACHIEVE THE OBJECTIVE. I THINK WE HAVE THAT TONIGHT. I THINK THERE IS A GROUP ANYWHERE OR ANY ONE OF US WHO, YOU KNOW, IS A PERFECT ORDINANCE, HOW THEY WOULD MAYBE DO IT IF THEY WERE IN A VACUUM. BUT WE AREN'T. SO IT'S A VERY GOOD ORDINANCE AND IT'S ONE THAT ADDRESSES THE ISSUED AND I THINK WE WILL SEE, I BELIEVE WE WILL SEE A DIFFERENCE ON DIXIE HIGHWAY. AND I THINK YOU WILL SEE IT IN OTHER AREAS AS WELL. I THINK AT THIS POINT IF WE COULD CALL ON COUNCIL MEMBER MULVIHILL, I BELIEVE HE CAN TALK TO THE AMENDMENT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: GREAT. COUNCIL MEMBER MULVIHILL.

>> THANK YOU, THANK YOU COUNCIL MEMBER BLACKWELL FOR EXPLAINING KIND OF THE PROCESS. AND I DO WANT TO THANK ALL OUR OTHER SPONSORS AS WELL. I'M GOING TO MAKE A FEW BRIEF REMARKS BEFORE I GET INTO THE MEAT OF THE CHANGES THAT HAPPENED IN THE COMMITTEE AND THE PROPOSED CHANGES BEFORE YOU TONIGHT. I KNOW SOME OF THE WHEREASES MAY NOT ENLIGHTEN OR TALK ABOUT NATIONAL STATISTICS. THIS IS A PROBLEM EVERYWHERE. LOUISVILLE HAS BEEN RANKED THE 35THDEADLIEST METRO AREA. THE CHIEF TALKED IN THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE SINCE JANUARY 1 TO I BELIEVE JULY 30, THERE HAS BEEN 614 VEHICLE/PEDESTRIAN COLLISIONS, ROUGHLY 80% OCCURRED ON THE ROADWAY. 5 IN MEDIAN, 98 CATEGORIZED AS OTHER. WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO NOTE ABOUT THE STATISTICS OF THESE COLLISIONS, 65% WERE LISTED AS THE PEDESTRIAN'S FAULT. THIS ORDINANCE TONIGHT IS NOT TO PICK ON PEDESTRIANS. THIS ORDINANCE HOPEFULLY IT TO HELP MAKE IT SAFER. AND I CAN'T SAY AND I CAN'T SIT HERE AND SAY WE DON'T HAVE A PROBLEM WITH DISTRACTED DRIVING. THAT'S ABUNDANTLY CLEAR. PEOPLE HAVE MUSIC UP TOO LOUD OR PLAYING ON CELLPHONES AND NOT PAYING ATTENTION. THE DIFFERENCE IN THIS BODY WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE AS WITH RESPECT TO PEDESTRIAN. UNFORTUNATELY, WE DON'T HAVE THE ABILITY, BECAUSE FRANKFORT SETS THE TRAFFIC LAWS. IF YOU GO TO OTHER JURISDICTIONS, THERE IS CAMERAS WHEN YOU CROSS AN INTERSECTION. THERE IS HANDS FREE COMMUNICATION WHILE YOU ARE DRIVING. WE DON'T HAVE THAT HERE. I DON'T WANT THIS TO BE MISCHARACTERIZED

WE PICKED ON PEDESTRIANS. WE'RE TRYING TO MAKE THEM SAFER. I WISH WE COULD DO THINGS IN FRANKFORT AND USING TECHNOLOGY TO MAKE IT SAFER FOR FOLKS WHILE DRIVING AND HOPEFULLY PAY A LITTLE MORE ATTENTION. I HAD TO SAY THAT. BUT THE THING I THINK THIS IS DOES AND I THINK YOU HAVE DO LOOK AT IT, THIS IS A PEDESTRIAN LAW IN FRANKFORT, 189570, IT IS THE TEMPLATE FOR WHAT WE MUST FOLLOW. THOSE ARE THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS WE MUST FOLLOW. THIS ORDINANCE IS NOT HERE TO CHANGE THAT. AND IT DOESN'T. IT'S REALLY HERE TO MAKE THOSE -- SOME OF THOSE REQUIREMENTS STRONGER. AND SO WHAT WE'VE TRIED TO DO IS TAKE AWAY 189570 AND MAKE IT STRONGER. ONE THING I WANT TO TALK ABOUT BRIEFLY, THERE HAS BEEN MISPERCEPTIONS ABOUT I CAN GO INTO THE ROADWAY WITH RESPECT TO FIRST AMENDMENT ACTIVITY. 189570 ATTEMPTS TO ADDRESS IT AND A COURT CASE THAT CAME OUT IN 1992 THAT TALKS ABOUT EXERCISING YOUR FIRST AMENDMENT RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROADWAY. AND THEY DIDN'T ALLOW THAT TO HAPPEN. THAT'S A SIXTH CIRCUIT CASE AND GOOD LAW. I JUST -- I THINK -- AND SO REALLY THE EXCEPTION ALLOWED BY THE KRS IS SOLICITING CONTRIBUTION THAT IS THEIR LAW. WE CAN ONLY ADOPT THAT. WE DID INCLUDE TWO ITEMS THAT WERE -- THESE WERE THE ONLY TWO AMENDMENTS IN COMMITTEE BUT WE TALKED ABOUT THE COLOR OF THE VEST. BECAUSE I THINK IT WAS COUNCIL MEMBER PEDEN THAT SAID, I THINK THERE IS MORE THAN ORANGE OR YELLOW. JEFF SAID FUCHSIA OR HOT PINK ARE AVAILABLE. WE CHANGED THAT ON PAGE 7, OF THE ORDINANCE TO SAY, PERSONS MUST WAY AND SCRATCHED OUT BRIGHT ORANGE OR YELLOW SAFETY VEST AS PRESCRIBED BY THE MANUAL AND UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES. WE WANTED TO ACKNOWLEDGE TIMES CHANGE. LET'S USE A MANUAL WE USE TO CONTROL TRAFFIC AND STATES RELIED ON IT SO WE CHANGED THAT. THE OTHER THING BROUGHT UP, AND I THINK COUNCIL MEMBER PIAGENTINI BROUGHT IT UP, AND THIS IS ON PAGE 7. IT'S LITTLE 7, WE HAD PREVIOUSLY WHEN WE WERE LOOKING AT WHETHER IT WAS SUNSET OR SUNRISE, WE USE THE JOURNAL. HE POINTED OUT. AND DARCIE, DON'T GET OFFENDED, THE JOURNAL MAY NOT BE HER FOREVER. WE DECIDED TO USE THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE. WHICH HOPEFULLY, IT WILL BE AROUND FOREVER. BUT WE DID CHANGE THOSE TWO AMENDMENTS. THOSE WERE THE TWO AMENDMENTS MADE IN COMMITTEE. BUT TONIGHT, AS WE --AND I WANT TO THANK MANY OF THE SAME FOLKS THAT COUNCIL MEMBER BLACKWELL TALKED ABOUT THEM. WE JUST DIDN'T MEET WITH INTERNAL PARTNERS. I THINK ALL THE COUNCILMEMBERS -- WE ALSO TALK AND HEARD FROM MANY OUTSIDE, INCLUDING THE COALITION FOR HOMELESS, THE CRUSADE FOR CHILDREN. I'M THANKFUL, I SEE ORGANIZED LABOR HERE. ALSO, THE ACLU. THEY ALSO STUDIED AND GAVE POSITIVE FEEDBACK. I THINK WE TRIED WITH EVERY BODY'S COMMENT TODAY MAKE CHANGES. I THINK COUNCIL MEMBER BLACKWELL SAID NOBODY GETS EVERYTHING THEY WANT. I BELIEVE WE DID THE BEST WE COULD TO ADDRESS EVERYBODY'S CONCERNS. BUT AT THE SAME TIME, WE WANT TO REMEMBER WHY WE'RE DOING THIS, FOR PEDESTRIAN SAFETY. WE HAVE TO BE COGNIZANT THAT PEOPLE HAVE FIRST AMENDMENT RIGHTS THAT WE

DON'T WANT TO INFRINGE UPON. MR. CHAIR, IF YOU INDULGE ME, I
WILL GO OVER THE CHANGES THAT WE'RE RECOMMENDING FOR TONIGHT
BASED ON FURTHER COMMENTS FROM BOTH COUNCILMEMBERS AND OTHER
PARTIES.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: PLEASE DO.
- >> THANK YOU. THE FIRST CHANGE, AT LEAST ON MY COPY IS ON PAGE 2, AT THE BOTTOM, A NEW WHEREAS WAS ADDED. COUNCIL MEMBER COAN, I APPRECIATE ALL HIS INPUT AND WORK. HE, I THINK MAYBE CONDUCTED THE STUDY OR REFERRED TO THIS STUDY. AND SO WE THOUGHT IT WAS IMPORTANT TO TALK ABOUT, YOU KNOW, OTHER THINGS HAPPENING. SO I WANT TO READ INTO THE RECORD. THE 2018 CORRIDOR SAFETY STUDY FOUND THERE WERE 49 PEDESTRIAN STRUCK BY VEHICLES ALONG THE CORRIDOR, AMOUNTED TO 27.54 STRIKES PER 100 VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED, THE HMVMT. COMPARED WITH THE LOWER STATEWIDE AVERAGE. MOVING ON, ON PAGE 3, WE DID WANT TO ADD ANOTHER WHEREAS. I DID REFER TO THIS JUST RECENTLY ABOUT THE SIXTH CIRCUIT AND ITS DECISION. IT DOES TALK ABOUT PEOPLE'S RIGHTS TO EXPRESS THEMSELVES BUT ALSO THE LIMITATIONS OF DOING IT IN ROADWAYS. I WANTED TO READ THAT INTO THE RECORD, WHEREAS THE SIXTH CIRCUIT OF THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS AS A NEUTRAL LAW BECAUSE THE STATUTE PROHIBITS PARTIES FROM DISTRIBUTING LITERATURE IN THE ROADWAY IF THE PRECAUTIONS SUBSECTION 21 ARE UNDERTAKEN, THE STATUTE APPLIES TO ALL THOSE WHO WISH TO DISTRIBUTE WIN MATERIALS OR SOLICIT. THE CASE ARMSTRONG F2D

SIXTH CIRCUIT, 1992. IT SOUNDS LIKE I'M IN LAW SCHOOL WRITING A BRIEF. THOSE WERE THE CHANGES AS FAR AS THAT GOES. BUT THEN AS WE GET INTO THE MEAT OF THE ORDINANCE, I WOULD HAVE YOU GO TO SECTION 3, 71.01 UNDER DEFINITIONS. WE DID MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF MEDIAN. JUST BRIEFLY, TO EXPLAIN OUR THOUGHT PROCESS, AGAIN IT WAS A COLLEAGUE, COUNCIL MEMBER COAN DID A VERY GOOD JOB OF DESCRIBING THE MEDIAN AT EASTERN PARKWAY AT BARRETT. THE SIDEWALK WAS ESSENTIALLY IN THE MIDDLE OF THE MEDIAN. THAT'S THE SAFEST APPROACH. SO TO INCORPORATE THAT, WE DID SAY I WILL READ THE ENTIRE DEFINITION OF MEDIAN. THE PART THAT IS -- BECAUSE WE CHANGED NOW ITALICIZED. IT SAYS MEDIAN THE AREA BETWEEN TWO ROADWAYS OF A DIVIDED HIGHWAY, WHICH INCLUDES MEDIAN REFUGE ISLAND. THE MEDIAN EXCLUDE SAID TURN LANES AND THAT PORTION OF A MEDIAN THAT CONTAINS A SIDEWALK BEYOND THE MARKED CROSSWALK IN WHICH IT'S NOT PART OF A MEDIAN REFUGE ISLAND. THE MEDIAN WIDTH MAYBE DIFFERENT BETWEEN APPROACHES OF THE SAME INTERSECTION. IN THAT DEFINITION, YOU HEARD THE USE OF THE WORD, MEDIAN REFUGE ISLAND. WE HAVE ADDED THOSE BECAUSE THEY TOO HAVE PLACES FOR PEOPLE TO USE TO STAND POTENTIALLY, WALK, USUALLY PART OF A CROSSWALK. WE DIDN'T WANT TO CONFUSE WE THOUGHT THAT WOULD BE A SAFE PLACE FOR PEOPLE TO STAY LONGER THAN IT TAKES FOR THE TRAFFIC TO PASS FOR THEM TO USE. WE DID ADD THE DEFINITION, PROTECTED SPACES PLACED IN THE CENTER OF A ARTERIAL ROADWAY, WHICH MAY INCLUDE A PORTION OF WALKING OR STANDING WHILE WAITING SAFE AND LEGAL CROSSING OF SUCH ROADWAY. WE DID MOVE THOSE CHANGES. THE NEXT AMENDMENTS OR NEXT AMENDMENT I WOULD LIKE TO MOVE OR READ INTO THE RECORD IS ON PAGE 6. IT IS NOW IN SECTION 4, IT'S 71.10 SUBPARAGRAPH C. IT READ OR I WOULD LIKE TO INTO THE RECORD, THE FIRST SENTENCE FIRST. NO PERSON OTHER THAN AN OCCUPANT OF A VEHICLE SHALL BE ON AN INTERIOR ROADWAY UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY LAW. WE ADDED THAT BECAUSE CLEARLY UNDER STATE LAW UNDER 189570 THEY SET A HIERARCHY. IF A ROADWAY HAS A SIDEWALK, THE PEDESTRIANS MUST USE IT. IF IT HAS NO SIDEWALK BUT A SHOULDER, IT PEDESTRIANS MUST USE A SHOULDER. IF A ROADWAY HAS NEITHER IS SIDEWALK OR SHOULDER, THEN THEY HAVE TO USE THE EDGE OF THE ROADWAY. WE DIDN'T MEAN TO TRUMP STATE LAW. THAT IS WHY WE USE THE WORD, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY LAW. AND THEN GOING ON, PEDESTRIANS, ARE PROHIBITED FROM APPROACHING A VEHICLE OPERATING ON SUCH ARTERIAL ROADWAY EXCEPT FOR THE ACTIONS CONTAINED IN SUBSECTION D. THE MAIN CHANGE WE HAD TO ADD, PEDESTRIAN COMMA WHILE ON AN ARTERIAL ROADWAY. WE ADDED THAT BECAUSE IT WAS BROUGHT TO MY ATTENTION BY MANY PEOPLE AND I THINK MAYBE COUNCIL MEMBER COAN BROUGHT IT UP TO ME FIRST. BUT WE HAVE MANY FOLKS WHO USE SIDEWALKS WHO IF YOU WOULD LIKE A CAR WASH AND SOMEONE IS DRIVING DOWN THE STREET, YOU WILL WALK TOWARDS THE CAR AND SAY COME ON IN. WE DIDN'T TELL WHERE THOSE PEOPLE WERE. WE DON'T WANT FOLKS IN THE ROADWAY WAVING PEOPLE ON. WE COULDN'T LIMIT THAT ACTIVITY IF SOMEONE IS ON THE

SIDEWALK. THE LITTLE CAESARS GUY. SOMEONE RUNNING FOR OFFICE. SO
WE REALIZE THAT WHEN IT'S OVER, WE IMPACT A LOT OF ACTIVITY WE
DIDN'T MEAN TO. WITH THAT BEING SAID, THE LAST CHANGE WOULD BE
PAGE 6, D4. BECAUSE WE HAD TALKED ABOUT WHERE PEDESTRIANS CAN
LEGALLY BE, WHICH ARE ON SIDEWALKS, THAT WAS UNNECESSARY I
CONFLICTING WITH WHAT WE HAD SAID IN C. AND MR. PRESIDENT, THOSE
ARE THE AMENDMENTS. AND I'M HAPPY WITH ANYBODY ELSE TO ANSWER
THOSE QUESTIONS. AND THANK YOU.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN FOR YOUR WORK.
- >> SECOND.
- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: MOTION HAS BEEN SECONDED. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THANK YOU. THE AYES HAVE IT. ANY OTHER DISCUSSION OF THE AMENDED ORDINANCE? COUNCIL MEMBER COAN?
- >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. AND I WANT TO THANK COUNCIL
 MEMBER MULVIHILL. HE MENTIONED I HAVE BEEN WORKING WITH HIM AND
 TRYING TO GET MY INPUT OVER THE PAST WEEK. I'M NOT ON THE PUBLIC
 SAFETY COMMITTEE BUT I WATCH THIS WITH INTEREST BECAUSE THE LAW
 IMPLICATED A LOT OF TOPICS THAT ARE OF INTEREST TO PEOPLE IN THE
 COMMUNITY, PEDESTRIAN SAFETY, FREE SPEECH, PANHANDLING, POVERTY,
 ALL THESE ISSUES WERE RAISED BY PEOPLE. AND I THOUGHT IT WAS AN
 IMPORTANT PIECE OF LEGISLATION FROM THE BEGINNING. I SAY NO ONE
 SHOULD HAVE DOUBT ABOUT THE INTENT OF THE SPONSORS. THIS IS
 INTENDED TO BE AN ORDINANCE TO PROMOTE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY. I KNOW
 THESE COLLEAGUES WELL. AND NOBODY IS TRYING TO UNDULY BURDEN OR

PREJUDICE OR MAKE LIFE HARDER FOR PEOPLE STRUGGLING. NOBODY IS TRYING TO CONSTRAIN PEOPLE'S FREE SPEECH. THEY HAVE A LEGITIMATE CONCERN ABOUT PEDESTRIAN SAFETY AND SO DO I. THAT'S WHY I ASKED FOR THE BARDSTOWN ROAD STUDY BE INCLUDED. I SPENT TIME WORKING ON PEDESTRIAN SAFETY ISSUES MYSELF. THAT SAID, I WOULD EITHER LIKE TO ASK FOLKS TO CONSIDER TWO OTHER SMALL AMENDMENTS OR ELSE I HAVE TO VOTE NO FOR THE ORDINANCE. AND I WANTED TO EXPLAIN MY REASONING. BECAUSE I THINK PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IS SO IMPORTANT. I HAVE AN ISSUE WITH SECTION B -- IN SECTION 4, IT GETS TO THE PROHIBITIONS OF -- 7110B, PEDESTRIANS ARE PROHIBITED FROM STANDING OR BEING ON A MEDIAN OR AN ARTERIAL ROADWAY, UNLESS YOU ARE IN THE PROCESS OF CROSSING THE ARTERIAL ROADWAY. THAT WAS COUNCIL MEMBER MULVIHILL. I MENTIONED EASTERN PARKWAY. PEOPLE ARE FAMILIAR WITH IT. THERE IS A PARK IN THE MIDDLE OF THE STREET. HE GRACIOUSLY REDEFINED MEDIAN TO ACCOUNT FOR THAT. THE MORE I LOOKED AT THE ARTERIAL ROADWAY IN DISTRICT 8, I REPRESENT, I REALIZE THERE ARE A LOT OF OTHER MEDIANS AND GORES, THEY ARE PUBLIC PLACES WHERE PEOPLE GO. FOR EXAMPLE, CASTLE WOOD AVENUE, THERE IS A BUS STOP PARKLET. CHEROKEE, A BROAD GREEN SPACE THAT IS LIKE A PARK SPACE AND PEOPLE ARE FREE TO BE THERE AND SPEAK AND THROW A FRISBEE OR WALK THEIR DOG. THE HIGHLANDS ISLAND, THE CORNER OF BAXTER AND WINTER, A PUBLIC GREEN SPACE. AND OTHERS. I GUESS MY POINT IS NOT ALL MEDIANS AND GORES ARE CREATED EQUALLY. IF YOU ARE ON A BUSY FOUR-LANE HIGHWAY WITH A

18-INCH STRIP OF CONCRETE, WE DON'T WANT PEOPLE STANDING THERE. I DON'T LIKE THE UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES OF SECTION B. OTHER PEOPLE AS THEY LOOK AT THE STREETS IN THEIR DISTRICT MAY BE ABLE TO LOOK AND SEE IF THERE ARE OTHER SPECIAL PLACES. I DON'T KNOW IF THERE IS A WILL ON THE PART OF THE SPONSORS TO RELOOK AT THAT. MY OTHER ONE IS ON PAGE 10. RIGHT BEFORE SECTION 5 IT TALKS ABOUT IN ADDITION TO THESE RULES APPLYING TO ARTERIAL ROADWAYS IT APPLIES TO ANY ROADWAY THAT INTERSECTS WITH AN ARTERIAL FOR THE FIRST 200 FEET. SPONSORED RESEARCHED. THEY DO IT IN LEXINGTON AND WISCONSIN. IF YOU LIVE ONE OR TWO HOUSES ON BARDSTOWN OUR BAXTER OR AND YOU PARK ACROSS THE STREET, YOU ARE EXPECT TODAY WALK TO THE CORNER AND CROSS IF YOU LIVE ON YOUR STREET, YOU WALK ACROSS THE STREET. THE 200-FOOT RULE DIDN'T SEEM RATIONAL. I WOULD OFFER 30 FEET AS SOMETHING I THINK MAKES SENSE. IN L.L.M.C.O. CHAPTER 72.035 THAT TELLS YOU WHERE YOU CAN AND CAN'T PARK. YOU CAN'T PARK 30 FEET FROM THE INTERSECTION. FOR ME, THAT'S THE BEST I CAN DO ON SHORT NOTICE TO THINK OF A DISTANCE THAT MAKES MORE SENSE THAN 200 FEET. AGAIN, IF ANYONE -- I CAN OFFER THESE IN AMENDMENTS. SECTION B DOESN'T WORK FOR ME AND 200-FOOT RULE DOESN'T WORK FOR ME. WITH RESPECT TO MY COLLEAGUES, THOSE ARE POLICIES PROBLEMS I CAN'T SUPPORT. THANKS.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCIL MEMBER. COUNCIL MEMBER HOLLANDER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. AND LIKE COUNCIL MEMBER COAN, I WANT TO THANK THE SPONSORS FOR THEIR WORK ON THIS. I KNOW IT'S BEEN VERY DIFFICULT. I THINK AT LEAST ONE SECTION THAT CHANGED IN PART BECAUSE OF MY SUGGESTION. BUT I CONTINUE TO HAVE CONCERNS ABOUT THIS. AND I WILL BE VOTING, NO. I HAVE CONCERNS ABOUT THE FIRST AMENDMENT RELATED ACTIVITIES. I DON'T BELIEVE AND I HAVE READ THE STATE STATUTE PRETTY CAREFULLY, I DON'T BELIEVE THE STATE STATUTE PROHIBITS SOMEONE FROM STANDING ON THE EDGE OF A ROAD. AND I'VE SEEN ACTIVITY WHERE THAT IS HAPPENING AND I THINK WE'RE MAKING THAT ILLEGAL BY MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE. AND IT CONCERNS ME. IN SOME CASES, THERE IS SIMPLY NO OTHER PLACE TO STAND. I ALSO HAVE CONCERNS ABOUT THE JAY WALKING PROVISIONS. THIS IS WHAT COUNCIL MEMBER COAN WAS TALKING ABOUT. I THINK EVERYBODY NEEDS TO UNDERSTAND IT SETS UP A HIERARCHY. YOU HAVE TO CROSS AT A CROSSWALK. IF THERE IS NO CROSSWALK, YOU CROSS AT A TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNAL. IF THERE IS NONE, THE ONLY PLACE YOU CAN CROSS WITHOUT BEING FINED IS AT AN INTERSECTION. I THINK, I KNOW IN MY DISTRICT THAT HAPPENS EVERY SINGLE DAY, EVERY NIGHT, EVERY HOUR, I HAVE HAD PEOPLE TELL ME THERE IS NO OTHER PLACE TO SAFELY CROSS, EXCEPT NOT AT AN INTERSECTION. I HAD PEOPLE IN WHEELCHAIRS. THAT'S CONCERNING TO ME. I HATE TO PASS AN ORDINANCE THAT I DON'T THINK THAT WILL BE ENFORCED. I DON'T THINK THAT CAN BE. AS TO THE FACT YOU ARE GOING DOWN THE STREET, I WILL SAY, FRANKFORT AVENUE IS AN ARTERIAL. SOUTH

PETERSON AVENUE IS ADJACENT TO THAT. I HAVE CERTAINLY WITHIN 200
FEET OF FRANKFORT AVENUE I HAVE A PARKING LOT FOR A CHURCH. AND
ACROSS THE STREET IS A FUNERAL HOME. AND PEOPLE PARK IN THE
CHURCH PARKING LOT TO GET TO THE FUNERAL HOME. THEY ARE NOT
GOING TO GO TO THAT INTERSECTION. WHEN PEOPLE DO THAT, THEY ARE
GOING TO BE VIOLATING THIS ORDINANCE AND SUBJECT TO A FINE AND
THAT CONCERNS ME. I THINK THERE ARE PLACES WHERE PEOPLE CROSS
THE ROAD TO GET THEIR MAIL ON THE ARTERIAL HIGHWAY AND THAT
CONCERNS ME, THEY WE'RE SAYING EVERY TIME YOU DO THAT YOU ARE
VIOLATING AN ORDINANCE WE CREATED. FOR THOSE REASONS, AGAIN I
APPRECIATE VERY MUCH THE WORK OF THE SPONSORS, BUT I WILL VOTE
NO.

- >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?

 HEARING DONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE.

 WOULD THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION THE

 VOTING IS CLOSING AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.
- >> MR. CLERK: 17 YES VOTES, 7 NO VOTES, AND TWO NOT VOTING.

 THE NO ARE COUNCIL MEMBER GREEN, SHANKLIN, PER VS., MCCRANEY AND HOLLANDER.
 - >> PRESIDENT JAMES: MR. CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 49.
- >> AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$4,410 FROM DISTRICT 15

 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS, THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT

 AND BUDGET, TO SAINT JOSEPH'S AREA ASSOCIATION, INC. FOR

 BEAUTIFICATION OF SEVERAL TRAFFIC ISLANDS. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. IS THERE ANY DISCUSSION, COUNCIL MEMBER BLACKWELL?

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. LET ME PULL THIS BACK UP HERE
WE HAD CORRECTIONS. ALL THE CORRECTIONS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED.

COUNCIL MEMBER TRIPLETT MAY WANT TO SPEAK TO IT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCIL MEMBER TRIPLETT.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT AND DR. BLACKWELL. AND ALSO,
APPROPRIATE, THIS IS AN APPROPRIATION THAT HAS TO DO WITH THE
BEAUTIFICATION OF RIGHT-OF-WAYS, EASEMENTS AND PLACES OF
CROSSWALK. COULDN'T HAVE PLANNED IT THAT WAY. IT SHOULD HAVE
BEEN THROUGH THE CONSENT CALENDAR. WHAT WE DID AT APPROPRIATIONS
WE HAD FOUND DOCUMENTATION WAS MISSING. THIS IS REALLY A
CLERICAL OR A PROBLEM WITH SOME DOCUMENTATION THAT CAME UP
SHORT. WE HAVE SINCE CALLED THE REQUESTING AGENCY BACK TO US.
AND THOSE DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN REPLACED. THEY HAVE IN THE SYSTEM
NOW. SO EVERYTHING LOOKS TO BE APPROPRIATE. THIS IS FOR THE
SAINT JOSEPH'S NEIGHBORHOOD FOR THE BEAUTIFICATION. MONEY IS
WELL SPENT FOR THE BEAUTIFICATION OF SOME RIGHT-OF-WAYS AND
EASEMENTS AND OUR RIGHT-OF-WAYS IN DISTRICT 15 LOOK FOR YOUR
SUPPORT. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION?
HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCES REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE.

WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION THE VOTING IS CLOSING AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MR. CLERK: 24 YES VOTES AND TWO NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES. THE NEXT ITEM IS NEW BUSINESS. MR. CLERK, PLEASE READ. PLEASE LEAVE QUIETLY SO THE CLERK CAN READ. I ASK THE COUNCILMEMBERS TO MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS AFTER NEW BUSINESS IS READ. NEW BUSINESS COMPRISES ITEMS 50 THROUGH 73. MR. CLERK, PLEASE READ. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION IS ASSIGNED TO THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 081, SERIES 2019, RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020 OPERATING BUDGET FOR LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT, BY TRANSFERRING \$15,000 FROM COUNCIL DISTRICT 14 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUND TO LOUISVILLE METRO PARKS AND RECREATION DISTRICT 14 PARK ACTIVITIES. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$30,000 FROM DISTRICT 8 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, TO DEVELOP LOUISVILLE, OFFICE OF ADVANCED PLANNING, FOR EXPENSES RELATED TO DEVELOPING A JOINT NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN FOR BONNYCASTLE AND CHEROKEE TRIANGLE NEIGHBORHOODS. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$17,500 FROM NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$12,500 FROM DISTRICT 8 AND \$5,000 FROM DISTRICT 9, THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, TO HIGHLAND COMMERCE GUILD INC. FOR GRAFFITI ABATEMENT. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$30,000 FROM DISTRICT 1 NEIGHBORHOOD

DEVELOPMENT FUNDS, THROUGH DEVELOP LOUISVILLE, TO THE METRO HOUSING RESOURCE CENTER FOR EMERGENCY HOME REPAIRS FOR LOW-INCOME RESIDENTS IN DISTRICT 1. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$7,000 FROM DISTRICT 12 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO BRIGHTSIDE FOR MAINTENANCE OF A BRIGHT SITE AT ROSE FARM PARK. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$10,000 FROM DISTRICT 6 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS TO THE METRO PARKS DEPARTMENT FOR EXPENSES PERTAINING TO METRO PARK SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES IN DISTRICT 6. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$7,000 FROM DISTRICT 6 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS, THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, TO THE FIRST GETHSEMANE CENTER FOR FAMILY DEVELOPMENT, INC. FOR EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH OPERATING ITS YOUTH PROGRAMS. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$5,950 FROM NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$1,500 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 12 AND 24; \$1,000 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 2 AND 10; \$500 FROM DISTRICT 15; \$250 FROM DISTRICT 17; AND \$200 FROM DISTRICT 21; THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET TO THE LEUKEMIA AND LYMPHOMA SOCIETY, INC., FOR PROGRAM EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH, "LIGHT IN THE NIGHT WALK" AND OPERATING EXPENSES. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING A TOTAL OF \$19,750 FROM THE FOLLOWING DISTRICT NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS: \$3,125 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, AND 25; AND \$1,000 FROM DISTRICT 1; THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, TO THE SOUTHWEST DREAM TEAM, INC. FOR THE SALARY OF AN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR POSITION TO SERVE

AS A LIAISON WITH LOUISVILLE FORWARD. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE BUDGET COMMITTEE. AN ORDINANCE CREATING A NEW SECTION IN THE LOUISVILLE METRO CODE FOR ORDINANCES CHAPTER 110 REQUIRING ELECTRONIC FILING OF TAX RETURNS AND REPORTS. AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING THE LEVY OF TEXAS WITHIN THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT AND THE LOUISVILLE URBAN SERVICES DISTRICT FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 082 SERIES 2019 RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020 CAPITAL BUDGET FOR THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT BY ALLOCATING \$323,000 OF COUNCIL DESIGNATED CAPITAL FUNDS TO PROJECTS UNDER PUBLIC WORKS AND ASSETS, PARKS AND RECREATION AND DEVELOP LOUISVILLE AS WELL AS TRANSFERRING PROJECT 46 RIVER VIEW PARK MASTER PLAN IMPROVEMENTS FOR \$500,000 FROM PARKS AND RECREATION TO WATERFRONT DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE. A RESOLUTION HONORING REVEREND FRED JOHNSON BY DEDICATING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 7THSTREET AND ALGONOUIN AS REVEREND FRED JOHNSON WAY IN HIS HONOR. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT AND AUDIT COMMITTEE. A RESOLUTION AMENDING POLICY AND PROCEDURES RELATED TO DIVERSITY TRAINING. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE LABOR AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE. A RESOLUTION DETERMINING TWO PARCELS OF REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2422 WEST

CHESTNUT STREET AND 2424 WEST CHESTNUT STREET AND OWNED BY LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT, "METRO GOVERNMENT" AS SURPLUS AND NOT NEEDED FOR GOVERNMENTAL PURPOSE AND AUTHORIZING THEIR TRANSFER TO THETA OMEGA, INC. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES, APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING NON-COMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT FOR L.M.P.D. CONCERNING A COORDINATOR FOR THE SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINER PROGRAM. UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER, INC., DBA UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE HOSPITAL/JAMES GRAHAM BROWN CANCER CENTER-\$46,000. A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE GRANTING OF LOCAL INCENTIVES TO KENTUCKIANA CURB COMPANY, INC., AND ANY SUBSEQUENT ASSIGNEES OR APPROVED AFFILIATES THEREOF PURSUANT TO KRS CHAPTER 154, SUBCHAPTER 32. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE PARKS AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE. A RESOLUTION FOR 100% RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY FOR METRO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS BY 2030. 100% CLEAN ENERGY FOR GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS BY 2035. AND 100% CLEAN ENERGY COMMUNITY WIDE BY 2040. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE AASSIGNED TO PLANNING AND ZONING. AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE STREET NAME OF FISK COURT TO FISK STREET AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO, CASE NUMBER 19 STREETS 1007. AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM R-6 MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO C-1 COMMERCIAL ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 998 GOSS AVENUE CONTAINING 0.132 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO CASE NUMBER 19 ZONE

1021. AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM C-2 COMMERCIAL AND R-4 SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO CM COMMERCIAL MANUFACTURING ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 6611 SHEPHERDSVILLE ROAD CONTAINING 15-POINT NONE ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO CASE NUMBER 19 ZONE 1023. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 15, SERIES 2008, THE COMPLETE STREETS POLICY AND ADOPTING THE POLICY AS AN AMENDMENT TO PLAN 2040, THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, CASE NUMBER 19AREAPLAN0001. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 123 OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO CODE OF ORDINANCE APPLICABLE TO PAWNBROKERS AND REMOVING JUNK AND SECONDHAND DEALERS FROM SECTION 115 AND INCORPORATING IT INTO SECTION 123. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE LOUISVILLE METRO CODE OF ORDINANCES SECTION 39.003 REGARDING THE NAMING OF METRO GOVERNMENT PROPERTY. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. NEXT WE HAVE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ARE THERE ANY COUNCILMEMBERS THAT HAVE ANNOUNCEMENTS? NO, SEEING

NONE. DISTRICT 6.

>> AT THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY CENTER AUGUST, THE 10, FROM
11 TO 2, A FREE BACK TO SCHOOL GIVE AWAY WITH BACKPACKS AND
NOTEBOOKS FROM 11 TO 2, AUGUST THE 10TH, WHICH IS A SATURDAY,
THIS SATURDAY AT THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY CENTER. AND THEN
AUGUST THE 31ST, AT THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY CENTER IS

CALIFORNIA DAY. AND WE INVITE EVERYBODY TO COME OUT FOR

CALIFORNIA DAY. LASTLY, IS AUGUST THE 25THIS JAZZ IN CENTRAL

PARK. INVITE EVERYONE TO COME OUT FROM 5:00 P.M. UNTIL 8:00 P.M.

FOR JAZZ IN THE PARK. AND THAT CONCLUDES ALL OF THE

ANNOUNCEMENTS. OUR NEXT METRO COUNCIL MEMBER IS AUGUST 22ND,

2019 AT 6 P.M. WITH NO FURTHER BUSINESS WITHOUT OBJECTION WE

STAND ADJOURNED.