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>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL FOR DECEMBER THE 12, 2019, WILL PLEASE COME TO ORDER. PLEASE RISE FOR THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG. [PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: MADAM CLERK, A ROLL CALL PLEASE.

>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILWOMAN GREEN. COUNCILWOMAN SHANKLIN. COUNCILWOMAN DORSEY. COUNCILWOMAN SEXTON SMITH.

>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILWOMAN PURVIS FOSTER. PRESIDENT JAMES.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: HERE.

>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILWOMAN MCCRANEY. COUNCILMAN COAN. COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER. COUNCILWOMAN MULVIHILL. COUNCILMAN KRAMER. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

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>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILMAN FOX.

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>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILWOMAN

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>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT.

>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILMAN REED. COUNCILMAN WINKLER.

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>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILWOMAN PARKER. COUNCILMAN PIAGENTINI.

>> HERE.

>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILMAN BENSON. COUNCILWOMAN GEORGE. COUNCILWOMAN ENGEL. COUNCILMAN PEDEN.

>> HERE.

>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> HERE.

>> MADAM CLERK: COUNCILMAN YATES. COUNCILMAN ACKERSON. COUNCILMAN ACKERSON. MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 23 AND A QUORUM.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: LET THE RECORD REFLECT, COUNCIL MEMBER SHANKLIN HAS AN EXCUSED ABSENCE. COUNCIL MEMBER WINKLER, I BELIEVE YOU HAVE SPECIAL GUESTS.

>> IT'S MY HONOR TO RECOGNIZE OUR PAGES, TWO LADIES, I KNOW VERY WELL. LIBBY, IF YOU WANT TO STANDUP. ELIZABETH WINKLER, LIBBY, IS A SECOND GRADER AT ANCHORAGE SCHOOL. SHE LOVES READING, FIELD HOCKEY. SHE LIKES RUNNING CROSS COUNTRY. AND SHE LOVES ACTING AND SINGING. WHICH SHE GROWS UP, SHE WANTS TO BE A SINGER AND OWN AN ICE CREAM SHOP. HER SISTER, EMMA A FOURTH GRADER AT ANCHORAGE, LOVES MATH, FIELD HOCKEY, ACTING AND SINGING. IN THE BEST CHRISTMAS PAGEANT EVER. THE NEXT TWO SATURDAYS AND DURING THE SCHOOL DAY. WHEN SHE GROWS UP SHE WANTS TO BE THE PRESIDENT AND CEO OF A FORTUNATE 100 COMPANY. THOSE ARE MY TWO. I WOULD BE REMISS IF I DIDN'T RECOGNIZE MY SON BEN, WHO IS IN THE AUDIENCE WHO TODAY IS 5 YEARS OLD. HAPPY BIRTHDAY, BEN. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE] >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCIL MEMBER WINKLER. AND WELCOME, LADIES. COUNCILWOMAN DORSEY, YOU BELIEVE YOU HAVE A SPECIAL GUEST.

>> REALLY EXCITED ABOUT TODAY. I HAVE THE PRIVILEGE AND HONOR OF ACKNOWLEDGING ONE OF THE GIANTS IN OUR COMMUNITY. MR. CHARLES BUD DORSEY. FOR THOSE THAT ASKED ME EARLIER -- YES, APPLAUSE, PLEASE. [APPLAUSE]

>> I'M TRULY HONORED AND HUMBLED. WE'RE GOING TO FIND OUT WE'RE RELATED. WE'RE WORKING ON THAT. I WANTED TO READ THIS PROCLAMATION INTO THE RECORD. AND THEN AFTER I WANTED TO INVITE MY COLLEAGUES WHO WANTED TO SPEAK TO DO AS SUCH. TO WHOM ALL THESE LETTERS SHALL COME. KNOW YE, THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL RECOGNIZING AND HONORS THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF CHARLES BUD DORSEY. AND RECOGNITION OF HIS LIFE ACHIEVMENTS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN RECORDING THE LOUISVILLE HISTORY THROUGH OUR CULTURE, LIFESTYLE AND SPECIAL EVENTS, AND SOCIAL INJUSTICES FOR OVER 50 YEARS. WHEREAS BUD DORSEY WAS BORN IN 1941 AND GREW UP IN WEST LOUISVILLE. WHEREAS, BUD DORSEY ATTENDED CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL ALONG WITH THE GREATEST OF ALL TIME MOHAMMED ALI. HIS INTEREST IN PHOTOGRAPHY DEVELOPED AND EVOLVED UNDER THE MENTORSHIP UNDER AUTHOR EVANS JUNIOR. IN 1964 AFTER SERVING IN THE NAVY, HE BECAME A FREE LANCE PHOTOGRAPHER FOR THE CURIER JOURNAL AND LOUISVILLE DEFENDER NEWSPAPER. HE STARTED THE WEST END PHOTOGRAPHER CLUB FOR KIDS WHERE PARTICIPANTS WON TYPE

PRIZES AT THE STATE LEVEL. HIS SKILLED PHOTOGRAPHER EYE ENRICHED AND INFLUENCED THE MASSES ACROSS THE GLOBE. HE HAS DOCUMENTED AND RECORDED THROUGH PHOTO NUMEROUS AFRICAN AMERICAN EVENTS SHOWCASING AND HIGHLIGHTING HIS TALENTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL WE HEREBY CONFER AND PAY TRIBUTE TO HIM BY WAY OF THIS PROCLAMATION. WITH ALL RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES IN TESTIMONY WE HAVE CAUSED THESE LETTERS TO BE MADE AND SEAL OF THE METRO GOVERNMENT TO BE HERE UNTO AFFIXED. THIS DAY OF DECEMBER, SIGNED BY MYSELF AND ALL OF LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL. [APPLAUSE]

>> I WANT TO GIVE MR. DORSEY THE OPPORTUNITIES TO SAY ANY KNOWLEDGE, AND COLLEAGUES FEEL FREE.

>> I'M NOT A MAN OF A LOT OF WORDS. BUT A LOT IMAGES, I APPRECIATE THIS. I HOPE ONE DAY WE CAN FIND OUT IF WE'RE RELATED. AGAIN, I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE COUNCIL FOR RECOGNIZING ME TONIGHT. AND HELPS ME TO LEAVE A LEGACY FOR MY GRANDKIDS AND GREAT GRANDKIDS AND THOSE TO FOLLOW. AGAIN, I APPRECIATE THIS. AND THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MR. DORSEY, IF YOU WOULD STAND, I KNOW SOME COLLEAGUES WANT TO SAY A COUPLE OF WORDS.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCIL MEMBER GREEN.

>> IT'S AN HONOR AND PLEASURE TO HAVE YOU HERE, MR. BUD. HE REALLY TRULY IS AN ICON. SO DOWN THROUGHOUT THE YEARS, A LOT OF US IN WEST LOUISVILLE HAVE NOT HAD MAIN STREAM MEDIA TO COME AND TO TELL OUR STORY. BUD DORSEY WOULD ALWAYS BE THERE EVERY EVENTS, EVERY COMMUNITY CENTER TELLING OUR STORY IN THE WAY WE WANTED IT TO BE TOLD AND MAKING SURE THE WORLD KNOWS ABOUT ALL OF THE RICHNESS AND HISTORY WE POSSESS IN WEST LOUISVILLE. I WANTED TO PERSONALLY THANK YOU FOR JUST BEING LIVING HISTORY AND FOR ALWAYS JUST DOING THE JOB OF TELLING THE HISTORY FOR ALL OF US. SO THANK YOU AND CONGRATULATIONS. [APPLAUSE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: AND COUNCILWOMAN SEXTON SMITH.

>> YES, THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. AND BUD, IT IS SO WONDERFUL TO GET TO SEE YOU HERE IN THE CHAMBER TONIGHT. I LIKE EVERYONE SEES YOU EVERYWHERE. YOU ARE AT EVERY EVENT, EVERY LOCATION, MORNING, NOON AND NIGHT THROUGHOUT THE COMMUNITY. I'M NOT SURE IF EVERYONE UNDERSTANDS OR KNOWS THE INTERNATIONAL IMPACT OF YOUR WORK. THE MAN STANDING RIGHT HERE WITH US TONIGHT. AND I DID READ ABOUT YOU BEFORE YOU AND I SHARED AS JUDGES ON ONE OF THE INTERNATIONAL PHOTO COMPETITIONS AT THE MOHAMMED ALI CENTER TOGETHER. AS A YOUNG CHILD, I CAN ONLY IMAGINE WHAT IT WAS LIKE FOR YOU, BECAUSE YOU TALK ABOUT LISTENING TO YOUR FATHER TELL STORIES ABOUT TRAINING IN WEST AFRICA FOR FIGHTING THE GERMANS DURING WORLD WAR II AND HOW YOU FELT WHEN THE DREAM CAME TRUE. YOU GOT TO GO TO SENEGAL AND TAKE THOSE PHOTOS. WE'RE GRATING BECAUSE YOU CARRIED THAT LENS EVERYWHERE YOU GO. AND AVAILABLE LIGHT OF THE LOUISVILLE STORY PROGRAM THAT MANY FOLKS IF NOT EVERY COUNCIL MEMBER HAS IN THEIR OFFICE, THE BEAUTIFUL BLACK AND WHITE COVERED BOOK OF THE LOUISVILLE STORY PROGRAM. YOU MADE US ALL BETTER, THANKS, BUD, CONGRATULATIONS. [APPLAUSE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: AND COUNCILWOMAN MCCRANEY.

>> YES, THANK YOU, MR. CHAIR. BUD; I CERTAINLY WOULD NOT LET THE DAY GO BY WITHOUT SAYING THANK YOU. YOU ARE A GIANT IN YOUR COMMUNITY. I HAVE ENJOYED THE MANY, MANY YEARS I HAVE BEEN IN YOUR COMPANY AND HAVE WITNESSED THE WORK YOU HAVE DONE, PARTICULARLY FOR THE LOUISVILLE DEFENDER. I CAN TELL YOU THAT YOU HAVE ON MANY OCCASIONS MADE ME AND SO MANY OTHERS LOOK BETTER THAN WHAT WE DO. THANK YOU FOR YOUR WORK AND WE JUST WISH YOU GOD SPEED. [APPLAUSE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: AND COUNCILWOMAN PERCENT.

>> I WANTED TO SAY THANK YOU FOR LETTING THE COMMUNITY AND ART BE THE HISTORY IN OUR WORLD. IT MEANS SO MUCH. THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, COLLEAGUES AND MR. DORSEY.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN. COUNCILMEMBERS FOWLER AND KRAMER, I THINK YOU HAVE SPECIAL GUESTS.

>> GOOD EVENING. I AM HERE TONIGHT TO CELEBRATE AND TO RECOGNIZE OUR PGA PROFESSIONAL AT LONG RUN COURSE, GOLF COURSE. HE HAS BEEN RECENTLY INDUCTED INTO THE HALL OF FAME. KENTUCKY HALL OF FAME PGA. I'M SO PROUD. WE DIDN'T WANT THIS TO GO BY WITHOUT YOU UNDERSTANDING HOW MUCH IT MEANS TO THE COMMUNITY FOR WHAT YOU'VE GIVEN. I HAVE A LITTLE READ I WANTED TO SAY FOR YOU. MOE WENT TO SAINT JOE'S GRADE SCHOOL AND TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL WHERE HE GRADUATED 1960 AFTER LEAVING THE SHAMROCKS GOLF TEAM TO THEIR FIRST STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. AFTER HIGH SCHOOL, AMATEUR LEVEL, WON NUMEROUS TOURNAMENTS TAKING HIS GAME TO THE PROFESSIONAL CIRCUIT IN CLEVELAND, OHIO. HE WON TITLES THERE AND RETURNED TO HIS HOME TOWN IN KENTUCKY, LOUISVILLE. HEAD GOLF PROFESSIONAL AT SHAWNEE GOLF COURSE HE HONED HIS CRAFT IN THE GOLF INDUSTRY AS A MENTOR AND TEACHER TO THOUSANDS IN THE WORLD OF GOLF. MANY OF HIS PROTEGES FOLLOWED HIS PATH TO PROFESSIONAL GOLF. SEVERAL LANDED JOBS AS HEAD PROFESSIONALS IN THE LOUISVILLE AREA AND OTHERS FOUND SUCCESS ON THIS PROFESSIONAL TOUR. SOME OF THE NOTABLE PROFESSIONALS WHO STARTED AND LEARNED UNDER HIM INCLUDE EDDY MUD, MARK TEMPER, DELBERT PALMER, JOHNNY, MIKE LOWEN, PATRICK VADDEN, AND CHRIS WILSON AND BABA CLEMENT. TOOK THEIR TALENT AS STUDENTS UNDER HIS TEACHINGS. THESE ARE A HANDFUL OF INDIVIDUALS HE HELPED OVER HIS 50 PLUS YEARS IN THE GOLF COMMUNITY. HE NOT ONLY ASSISTED PROFESSIONALS BUT HELPED GROW THE GAME OF GOLF FOR ALL PEOPLE. HE WAS THE FIRST TO TASK THE INNER-CITY AREA AND INTRODUCE YOUNG KIDS FROM LESS-FORTUNATE BACKGROUNDS INTO THE GAME OF GOLF. MANY KIDS AS WELL AS ADULTS FROM PORTLAND AND SHAWNEE NEIGHBORHOODS WERE GIVEN JOBS THROUGH HIS GUIDANCE AND INTEREST. HE INSISTED ON GIVING THEM AN OPPORTUNITY AT BEING SUCCESSFUL AND HAVING A BETTER LIFE. ONE PROGRAM THAT MOE CREATED WITH A FEW FRIENDS WAS THE T BUMPER

INTRODUCING NUMEROUS KIDS FROM THE WEST END OF LOUISVILLE TO THE GAME OF GOLF. MOST OF THEM CHILDREN, MOST OF THESE CHILDREN WOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO THE GAME IF NOT FOR THIS. AND MANY STILL PLAY GOLF WITH THEIR CHILDREN. THE T BUMPERS WAS A SPRINGBOARD FOR WHAT BECAME THE FIRST T OF LOUISVILLE, WHICH PROVIDES OPPORTUNITIES TO KIDS IN ALL AREAS AND BACKGROUNDS. IN 1971 HE WON EVERY TOURNAMENT HE ENTERED INCLUDING THE KENTUCKY OPEN, WITH A 40-FOOT BIRDIE ON THE HOLE TO CATCH A TITLE. WOW. THE PLAYING CAREER MOE PUT TOGETHER IS REMARKABLE WITH APPEARANCES IN THE PGA CHAMPIONSHIP AND SOUTH AMERICAN TOUR IN HIS EARLY PROFESSIONAL DAYS. '97 HE LEFT SHAWNEE TO TAKE THE HEAD PROFESSIONAL POSITION AT SENECA GOLF COURSE AND LEFT FOR LONG RUN WHERE HE IS TODAY. THROUGHOUT FIVE DECADES HE DEVOTED TO LOUISVILLE PUBLIC GOLF COURSES AND TOUCHED COUNTLESS LIVES. HE HAS BUILT DRIVING RANGES AND OVERSEEN CLUBHOUSE RENOVATIONS, JUNIOR PROGRAMS AND THOUGHT THOUSANDS HOW TO SWING A GOLF CLUB. NOT A DAY GOES BY HE'S NOT BRAINSTORMING HOW TO GROW THE GAME. I'M SO PROUD AND EXCITED TO BE ABLE TO HONOR YOU TONIGHT FOR YOUR PGA, ALL OF YOU ACCOMPLISHMENTS. COUNCILMAN KRAMER, WOULD YOU LIKE TO SAY A WORD?

>> I DON'T HAVE A WHOLE LOT TO ADD. CINDY TOOK THE WHOLE LIST. I WILL SAY, AND THIS IS NOT TO DISCREDIT MOE, I HAVE HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF SWINGING CLUBS AT IROQUOIS. I MEAN AT LONG RUN. IF YOU HAVE SEEN ME WITH CLUBS, THEY KNOW -- ACTUALLY PLAYING GOLF. MOE TOOK AN EFFORT TO CHANGE THAT. UNFORTUNATELY, IT'S STILL TRUE, I DON'T PLAY GOLF WELL. I APPRECIATE THE WORK HE'S PUT IN. CINDY HAS READ THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS, I WOULD LIKE TO READ THE PROCLAMATION THAT WE HAVE CREATED. TO WHOM ALL THESE LETTERS 1458 COME, GREETINGS, THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL HONORS AND RECOGNIZES MOE FOR HIS TREMENDOUS CONTRIBUTION TO GOLF. HE IS AN INVALUABLE MEMBER OF COMMUNITY. DEVOTES HIS LIFE AND CAREER TO THE GAME OF GOLF. NO ONE IS MORE DESERVING THAN HE TO BE INDUCTED TO THE PGA HALL OF FAME. WE CONFER THIS IS IN RECOGNITION WITH RIGHTS, BRINGS AND RESPONSIBILITIES. IN TESTIMONY WHERE WE HAVE CALLED THESE LETTERS TO BE SIGNED AND THE SEAL OF THE METRO GOVERNMENT HERE UNTO AFFIXED. I WAS PROUD TO BE AT THE HALL OF FAME DINNER WHEN MOE WAS INDUCTED. VERY PROUD OF WHAT HE'S ACCOMPLISHED. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, MOE DEMLING. [APPLAUSE]

>> WOW. NEVER EXPECTED, I PROMISE YOU. LET ME PULL THIS UP TO TAKE A LOOK AT THIS FOR A SECOND IF YOU ALL DON'T MIND. I DON'T -- FIRST OF ALL, THANK YOU ALL SO MUCH. I KNOW YOU GOT A BUSY EVENING TONIGHT. I WAS HIRED HERE IN 1968, BY YOUR LAST REPUBLICAN MAYOR. HE WAS A LITTLE, SHORT, STOCKY GUY. HE OWNED THE FURNITURE STORE ON MARKET STREET. A FRIEND OF MINE KNEW HIM. AND HE INTRODUCED ME AND HE HIRED ME. THAT WAS THE GREATEST THING TO HAPPEN IN MY LIFE. I ENJOYED GOLFING LOUISVILLE, ENJOYED TEACHING KIDS AND ADULTS. A QUICK STORY, ONE OF YOUR COUNCILMEMBERS, HE PLAYS AT LONG RUN WITH US. GLEN STUCKEL, SHE CAME -- HE CAME TO ME, HOW ABOUT A LESSON. SURE. WE WENT TO THE DRIVING RANGE, ABOUT 45 MINUTES. HE SAID, WHAT DO YOU THINK? GLEN, TAKE TWO ASPIRINS AND QUIT. [LAUGHTER]

>> TRUE STORY. I LOVE HIM. DON'T TELL HIM THAT. THIS IS A TERRIFIC HONOR FOR ME TONIGHT, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN. I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT TO SAY. I'M OVERWHELMED. I WAS OVERWHELMED WHEN THEY PUT ME IN THE HALL OF FAME. I DIDN'T PLAY GOLF TO BE THERE. IT JUST HAPPENED. THE GUYS BEHIND ME, THEY ARE HERE TONIGHT. I LOVE YOU GUYS. LOVE YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> AND WE ALL WORKED AT A TEAM. WE HAVE FOR MANY YEARS AS CINDY TALKED ABOUT. PAUL SHUCK HEART, I THINK HE'S BEEN INVOLVED 49 YEARS. MARK HAS BEEN 42 MAYBE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR HARD WORK IN TRYING TO KEEP US AND YOUR GOLF COURSES GOING WITH LOCAL GOLF PROFESSIONALS. WE DO OUR BEST TO DO THE BEST FOR THE CITY AND GOLF. AND I JUST CERTAINLY APPRECIATE THIS. I'M OVERWHELMED. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MOE --

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCIL MEMBER PIAGENTINI.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WANTED TO THANK, MOE, MYSELF. LONG RUN GOLF COURSE, A WONDERFUL PLACE AND PARK IN DISTRICT 19. LONG RUN IS THE EAST END. IT'S A GREAT PARK AND COURSE, MOE. WE HAVE ONLY KNOWN EACH OTHER A SHORT TIME SINCE I WAS ELECTED, ON BEHALF OF THE CITIZENS AND RESIDENTS OF DISTRICT 19, THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR WORK. THANK YOU.

>> [OFF MIC] [LAUGHTER]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCILWOMAN DORSEY.

>> I WANTED TO SAY AS HE WAS TALKING ABOUT SHAHNY, I WAS A T BUMPER. I THOUGHT, MAN THAT GENTLEMAN LOOKS FAMILIAR. I WAS A T BUMPER FOR THREE YEARS. I PERSONALLY WANT TO THANK YOU AND SHOW YOU WHAT YOUR WORK AND LEGACY LEADS TO. SO THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE] -- SHAWNEE --

>> I'M UP AGAIN. AND SO WE HAVE THREE PROFESSIONALS THAT ARE GOING OUT. THEY HAVE EITHER RETIRED OR THEY HAVE MOVED ONTO OTHER VENTURES. WE WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE THOSE RIGHT NOW. BARRY BONNEVILLE, PAUL ISSUE GUARD AND MARK KEMPER. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO COME UP PLEASE. [APPLAUSE]

>> THIS YOUNG MAN IS BARRY BON FIELD. AND HE WAS THE GOLF PROFESSIONAL UNTIL, WHAT ABOUT A MONTH AGO? SIX WEEKS, THEREABOUT AT CRESTON HILL. I WOULD LIKE TO READ THE PROCLAMATION. TO WHOM ALL THESE LETTERS SHALL COME, GREETINGS, KNOW YE THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL HONORS AND RECOGNIZES BARRY BONFIELD, HAS SERVED THE JEFFERSON COUNTY COMMUNITY AS A GOLF PROFESSIONAL FOR THE PAST 15 YEARS. WHEREAS, MR. BONFIELD SERVED ON THE PGA BOARD OF DIRECTORS, SPECIAL AWARDS AND HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE. WHEREAS BARRY WAS AWARDED THE KENTUCKY SENIOR OPEN TITLE IN 2018. WE HEREBY CONFER THIS RECOGNITION WITH THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES THEREUNTO AS PERTAINING IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF WE CAUSED THE LETTERS TO BE MADE WITH THE SEAL OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL HERE UNTO AFFIXED. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> I WANT TO THANK THIS BODY FOR YOUR WORK FOR THE COMMUNITY OF LOUISVILLE. IT'S A TOWN I DEARLY LOVE. I LOVE THE METRO PARKS AND I WISH EVERYONE IN THE METRO PARKS CONTINUED SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: NEXT UP IS THE GOLF PRO, THE COURSE NEAREST TO DISTRICT 11.

>> THERE ARE NO PARKS IN DISTRICT 11, EVEN LITTLE LEAGUE. MARK KEMPER HAS BEEN THE PRO AT CHARLIE VETNER SINCE I WAS BEEN OUT THERE AGAIN, SWINGING CLUBS, NOT PLAYING GOLF. IT IS THE HARDEST COURSE IN THE SYSTEM, ANYONE THAT KNOWS ANYTHING ABOUT GOLF. VERY WELL TAKEN CARE OF. MARK RUNS A GREAT PROGRAM. I WANT TO READ THE PROCLAMATION. TO WHOM ALL THESE LETTERS SHALL COME, GREETINGS, KNOW YE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL RECOGNIZES MARK KEMPER, BEGAN HIS 45 FIVE YEAR WITH LOUISVILLE GOLF AS AN ASSISTANT AT SHAWNEE SERVING FOR SIX YEARS. IROQUOIS FOR THREE YEARS AND PROFESSIONAL CHEROKEE FOR 21 YEARS. HE SERVED THE JEFFERSON COUNTY COMMUNITY AT CHARLIE VETNER FOR THE PAST 15 YEARS. WE HEREBY CONFER THIS RECOGNITION WITH THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES THEREUNTO PERTAINING, CAUSED THE LETTERS TO BE MADE AND THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL SEAL HERE UNTO AFFIXED, MARK KEMPER. [APPLAUSE]

>> COUNCIL, THANK YOU ALL. I'M A LITTLE HORSE. I LIKE TO THANK THE COUNCIL FOR EVERYTHING YOU ARE DOING FOR GOLF LOCALLY, A SPECIAL THANKS TO CINDY AND KEVIN FOR ALL THEY DONE. MOE WAS SAYING HE WAS HIRED WAY BACK WHEN. MAYOR HARVEY SLOAN HIRED ME. IF YOU KNOW HIM. SOMEBODY WHO -- LUKE BYRON WAS ON THE PARK'S BOARD. SOMEBODY MIGHT REMEMBER, THEY MAY NOT. IT SEEMS LIKE IT'S GONE BY FAST. THERE ARE SO MANY PEOPLE I COULD THANK. I WANT TO THANK MOE FOR GIVING ME A JOB AT SHAWNEE AS AN ASSISTANT. I WANT TO THANK PAUL FOR GIVING ME A JOB AT IROQUOIS AS AN ASSISTANT. AND MAYOR ABRAMSON WHO HELPED ME MOVE FROM CHEROKEE OR INFLUENTIAL WHERE THE MOVE, TO CRESCENT HILL, I MEAN, CHARLIE VETNER GAVE ME THAT OPPORTUNITY. 1992, I THINK IT WAS, THEY CREATED A GOLF DIRECTOR. AND THAT PERSON, MARTY STORCH WAS HELPFUL IN ADVISING AND HELPING ME THROUGHOUT MY CAREER. I THINK HE MAY BE IN THE BACK OF THE ROOM. I WANT TO THANK HIM. ALL MY GOLF PROS BACK THERE, THEY ARE GREAT. WE WORK TOGETHER. AND SOMETHING THAT MAYBE PEOPLE MIGHT WANT TO THINK ABOUT IN THE COMMUNITY. WINSTON CHURCHILL, WE MAKE A LIVING -- A LIFE BY GIVING. THESE GUYS, ALL OF THEM HAVE GIVEN SO MUCH OF THEIR TIME AND EFFORT AND EVERYTHING TOWARD GOLF AND TOWARD THE COMMUNITY IN OTHER WAYS. I WOULD BE SILLY BUT THE DRIVING FORCE BEHIND ME HAS BEEN PEOPLE, THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE, I LOVE THIS CITY WHERE

I GREW UP. FOR 45 YEARS, I'VE BEEN DOING IT. IT TAKES A SPECIAL PERSON TO BE ABLE TO LIVE WITH YOU FOR 45 YEARS. MY WIFE, DIANE, SHE'S BACK THERE WITH ONE OF MY GRANDKIDS. I WANT TO THANK HER FOR EVERYTHING SHE'S DONE THROUGHOUT MY CAREER. IT'S JUST BEEN GREAT. 45 YEARS OF SEEING YOUR HUSBAND LEAVE ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY MORNINGS ALL THE TIME, AS THE GOLF PROS KNOW, IT CAN GET OLD QUICK. IT'S BEEN GREAT TO BE ABLE TO SERVE THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE. AND I THINK THE COUNCIL VERY MUCH. [APPLAUSE]

>> I LAST BUT NOT LEAST IS MR. PAUL SHACART. HE'S AN EARTHQUAKE. I'M GOING TO READ THIS TO YOU. FELT TO WHOM ALL THESE LETTERS SHALL COME. KNOW WE THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL HEREBY HONORS AND RECOGNIZES PAUL SHAGUARD. HE BEGAN HIS CAREER WITH LOUISVILLE GOLF AS AN ASSISTANT ADD SHAWNEE SERVING FROM 1970 TO 1977. AND WHEREAS PAUL SERVED AT THE CHEROKEE FROM 1977 TO 1981. JEFFERSON COUNTY COMMUNITY AS A GOLF PROFESSIONAL AS IROQUOIS FOR THE PAST 38 AND A HALF YEARS. THEREUNTO PERTAINING IN TESTIMONY WHERE OF WE CAUSED THE LETTERS TO BE MADE AND THE SEAL OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL HERE UNTO AFFIXED SIGNED BY COUNCIL MEMBER FOWLER AND COUNCILMAN [INDISCERNIBLE]. THANK YOU.

>> FIRST OF ALL, I WANT TO THANK COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER AND COUNCILMAN KRAMER. THEY HAVE BEEN GREAT THROUGH THE PROCESS. AND THE COUNCIL ALSO. IT'S BEEN A TOUGH RIDE THE LAST SIX MONTHS. BUT WANT TO THANK YOU FOR THAT. THANK YOU FOR THE PROCLAMATION. MARK STOLE A LITTLE BIT OF MY THUNDER. I AM GOING TO THANK MOE AGAIN. BECAUSE -- WAIT A MINUTE, LET ME BACK UP. I'M GOING TO THANK CAROLYN FIRST. I'M NOT GOING TO DO WHAT MARK DID. SHE'S GOING TO BE FIRST. THEN MOE COMES. OKAY. IN MY TIME, IT WAS CALLED THE 7THWARD STARTED BACK THEN. THERE WAS DENVER BUTLER WHO CAME INTO THE PRO SHOP ONE DAY AND SAID, WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU? SO I PINCHED MYSELF AND LOOKED AROUND AND SAID, ARE YOU TALKING TO ME? HE SAID, WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU? NEVER MET THE MAN BEFORE. HE CAME UP. WE WENT AROUND THE GOLF COURSE. HE SAW THE THINGS WE NEEDED. THAT DAY FORWARD, IROQUOIS GOLF COURSE BECAME A BETTER PLACE. LET'S SEE. DOUG WICKS, I TOLD HIM AT CHEROKEE. THE ASPECTS IN LIFE THAT MOE GAVE ME ABOUT CARING AND GIVING DOUG WICK GAVE ME THE OTHER END OF THE SPECTRUM OF THE BUSINESS, KNOWING HOW TO TREAT PEOPLE, HOW TO MAKE THINGS GO FROM 7:00 IN THE MORNING TO 10:00 AT NIGHT. GREAT GOLF PROFESSIONAL. I WANT TO THANK ALL MY EMPLOYEES FROM OVERALL THE YEARS. IT'S CINDY AND SHE SAW THEM THE OTHER NIGHT. IT'S LIKE 9 MILLION. THEY ARE ALL GREAT PEOPLE AND TURNED OUT TO BE GOOD. AND IT'S NICE THAT THE EMPLOYEES ARE THERE FOR YOU DAY IN AND DAY OUT. I WANTED TO THANK MARTY STARTS ALSO. I SAVED HIS LIFE ONE TIME. IN DOING SO, I THINK I -- [LAUGHTER] -- I BREATHED A LITTLE BIT TOO MUCH AIR INTO HIM. HE DOESN'T KNOW WHAT THE WORD BREVITY IS. BUT THANKS, MARTY FOR ALL YOU DONE FOR METRO GOLF AND ALL THE PROGRAMS WE'VE STARTED. AND IT'S BEEN A GREAT HONOR AND PLEASURE TO SERVE THE PEOPLE OF JEFFERSON COUNTY. HAPPY HOLIDAYS. AND

GREAT GOLFING TO EVERYONE IN JEFFERSON COUNTY IN 2020. [
APPLAUSE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: AND COUNCILMAN FOX.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. EXCUSE ME, GENTLEMEN, IF I COULD HAVE JUST A MINUTE. I TOOK ABOUT A THREE-YEAR HIATUS BETWEEN MY GIGS IN PUBLIC SERVICE. IN THAT HIATUS I WORKED FOR PAUL AT IROQUOIS GOLF COURSE. I LEARNED A LOT ABOUT GOLF AND RUNNING A SMALL BUSINESS. AND I LEARNED A LOT ABOUT THE PASSION THAT YOU SHARE FOR THE GAME. I KNOW YOUR COLLEAGUES DO AS WELL. I'LL SAY ONE THING TO MARK KEMPER, MARK, WHEN YOU SAID YOU WERE A LITTLE HORSE, PAUL REACHED FOR HIS POCKETS AND PUT A \$6 BOX ON YOU. THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU.

>> I WOULD LIKE TO SAY ONE MORE THING. THERE HAS BEEN A LOT OF TALK ABOUT GOLF, OVER THE LAST SEVERAL MONTHS AND LAST COUPLE OF YEARS THAT TONIGHT IT JUST COMES HOME TO KNOW THESE GUYS AND FAMILY. THEY WORK TOGETHER AND HAVE WORKED TOGETHER FOR YEARS AND YEARS. YOU CARE AND LOVE THE COMMUNITY. I'M SO IMPRESSED FOR WHAT YOU HAVE DONE FOR THE COMMUNITY AND THE GOLFERS AND NONGOLFERS. WHEN YOU DO A GOLF SCRAMBLE, THEY JUST PITCH IN, THERE ARE SO MANY LIVES YOU TOUCH. I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR THAT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

>> I WANT TO TAKE A SECOND TO THANK ALL OF YOU. ESPECIALLY PAUL, I I HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO WORK WITH HIM ON A NUMBER OF

GOLF SCRAM POSITION. I'M NOT A GOLFER. BUT EVERY TIME I COME TO A SCRAMBLE, I SPEND A LOT OF SUMMERS DAYS DO THAT, THE ATTENTION TO DETAIL. HOW IMPORTANT THAT EVERY GROUP HAS A GREAT EXPERIENCE. HOW IMPORTANT TO YOU IT IS THAT EVERY GROUP THAT COMES OUT HAS A SUCCESSFUL SCRAMBLE. AND ALSO FOUND OUT HE MAKES THE WORLD-FAMOUS GREEN BEAN, AWESOME. THE SCRAMBLE I'VE ATTENDED EVEN KNOW I'M NOT A GOLFER HAS BEEN FIRST CLASS. AND ALWAYS THE SPICE OF THAT IS YOUR CARE FOR THE COMMUNITIES. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. [APPLAUSE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: AND COUNCILMAN PIAGENTINI.

>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MR. PRESIDENT. KEEPING ON THE THEME OF OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE AND YOU KNOW, THE FOLKS AND CITIZENS OF THIS COMMUNITY THAT MAKE IT A WONDERFUL PLACE TO LIVE, I HAVE BEHIND ME HERE JACKSON ARNOLD. JACK AS HIS FRIENDS AND FAMILY CALL HIM. HE VOLUNTEERED AT BARRY TOWN CENTER IN DISTRICT 19. HE GOES DO ANCHORAGE IN DISTRICT 17. THERE YOU GO, MARKUS. HE VOLUNTEERED AT BARRY TOWN COMMUNITY CENTER BETWEEN FRESHMAN AND SOPHOMORE YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL. HE NOTICED A BUNCH OF EMPTY BOOK SHELVES, A SITTING AREA, AND A LOT OF SHELVES THERE. THEY WERE PRACTICALLY BARE. THE BOOKS WERE OUTDATED. HE LOVES TO READ AND BOOKS ARE SOME OF HIS MOST PRIZED POSSESSIONS. HE WANTED TO BUILD A -- HE BEGAN MAKING FLIERS ASKING NEIGHBORS TO DONATE BOOKS. HE SPOKE TO ANCHORAGE PRESBYTERIAN AND ASKED THEM TO HELP. IT IS A FREE SELF CHECK OUT LIBRARY, YOU CAN KEEP THE BOOKS AS LONG AS YOU WANT OR FOREVER. THAT'S THE WAY IT WORKS. IT'S SO MUCH FUN DOING THE PROJECT, AND THIS IS WHERE HIS EFFORTS EXPANDED BEYOND THE BORDERS OF DISTRICT 19. HUNDREDS OF BOOKS HAVE BEEN COLLECTED AND NOW DONATED BOOKS TO THE CHURCHILL, SHAWNEE MIDDLE SCHOOL, SHAWNEE HIGH SCHOOL, AND HOPES CLOSET. AND WORKING ON ANOTHER READING LAB AT MARY T. AQUATIC CENTER BEFORE THE SUMMER OF 2020. I HAVE A PROCLAMATION. AND THEN WE'LL LET YOU MAKE COMMENTS. TO ALL WHOM THESE LETTERS SHALL COME GREETINGS, THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL HEREBY HONORS AND AWARDS JACKSON ARNOLD FOR OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE, AND APPRECIATION OF OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS AND SERVICE, AND THE READING LAB AT BARRY TOWN RECREATION CENTER. WE CONFER THIS HONOR WITH THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES THEREUNTO PERTAINING. HE TOOK UPON HIMSELF TO START A READING LAB AT THE BARRY TOWN RECREATION CENTER. HE COLLECTED CLOSE TO 2,400 BOOKS, HE HAS COLLECTED HUNDREDS OF ADDITIONAL BOOKS AND DONATED DO THE BARRY TOWN LAB, CHURCHILL, SHAWNEE MIDDLE SCHOOL, HIGH SCHOOL, AND HOPES CLOSET. WHEREAS THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL RECOGNIZES DECEMBER 12, 2019 AS JACKSON ARNOLD DAY. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF WE CAUSED THESE LETTERS TO BE MADE IN THE SEAL OF THE LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL HERE UNTO AFFIXED DONE IN LOUISVILLE THIS 12THDAY OF DECEMBER, 2019. DISTRICT 19 COUNCILMAN PIAGENTINI. JACK, THANK YOU SO MUCH. [APPLAUSE]

>> THANK YOU SO MUCH. I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO THANK ME FAMILY AND OTHER GENEROUS MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY WHO DONATED THEIR TIME AND BOOKS DO HELP ME CREATE THE READING LAB. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> THANK YOU. WE APPRECIATE IT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. MADAM CLERK, ARE THERE ANY ADDRESSES TO COUNCIL?

>> MADAM CLERK: YES, SIR.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: REMIND THOSE ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL REFRAIN FROM USING PROFANITY OR DEROGATORY STATEMENTS TO COUNCILMEMBERS. MADAM CLERK, PLEASE BRING THEM FORWARD.

>> MADAM CLERK: ALEX SHULL.

>> HELLO. MY NAME IS ALEX SHULL. I'VE LIVED IN LOUISVILLE ALMOST MY ENTIRE LIFE. I HAVE A WIFE AND TWO KIDS AND PARTNER AT A SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY. I LIVE THE CITY AND WANT TO RAISE MY KIDS HERE. I'M CONCERNED HOW THE CITY IS MANAGED FROM WHAT I'VE SEEN THE CITY HAS DONE NOTHING SERIOUS TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE. THERE IS A CLIMATE CRISIS AND YOU HAVE DONE NOTHING SERIOUS TO REDUCE OUR CONTRIBUTION TO THIS OR EMISSION. TO PREPARE THE CITY FOR THE TRAGEDY COMING. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR HOW THE CITY IS RESPONDING. YOU HAVE THE POWER TO DO SOMETHING AND SO FAR, YOU HAVE DONE NOTHING. YOU CAN'T CLAIM YOU DIDN'T KNOW. SOME PEOPLE TOLD ME I NEED TO EDUCATE YOU ABOUT THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY. I THINK IF YOU READ THE NEWS, IT'S EASY TO SEE THE ARCTIC ICE CAPS ARE MELTING, THE FORESTS ARE BURNING. WE'RE FACING A SERIOUS CRISIS AND YOU ARE NOT DOING ANYTHING ABOUT IT. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE HOW THE CITY RESPONDS TO THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY. I KNOW SOME OF YOU WILL SAY YOU'VE DONE SOME THINGS. AND SOME EFFORTS SEEM LIKE THEY ARE GOING THE RIGHT DIRECTION. I USED TO LIVE IN ANCHORAGE WITH A VERY NICE TREE ORDINANCE. THE TREE ORDINANCE I HAVE SEEN FOR THE CITY IS TOOTHLESS GARBAGE. COULD HAVE BEEN WRITTEN BY A REAL ESTATE LOBBYIST. I KNOW THERE ARE OTHER EFFORTS BUT THEY ARE NOT SERIOUS OR FAST ENOUGH. I HAVE SEEN TRANSPORTATION PLANS. BUT I'VE TRIED TO RIDE MY BICYCLE AROUND THE CITY, DANGEROUS. YOU PUT YOUR LIFE AT RISK IF YOU TRY TO BE A BICYCLE COMMUTER. THE WORLD IS ON TRACK TO BECOME ALMOST UNINHABITABLE BY THE END OF THE CENTURY IF WE DON'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT. SOME OF THE GREATEST IMPACTS CAN BE MADE BY CITIES WHO TAKE THE EMERGENCY SERIOUSLY. I DON'T WANT TO LOOK AROUND AND PRETEND IT'S A COMPETITION. ASK YOURSELF WHETHER YOUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN DESERVE A LIVEABLE PLANET AND CITY. WHEN MY CHILDREN SEE THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY WAS STARING US IN THE FACE, I WANT THEM TO KNOW DOCTOR TRIED TO DO SOMETHING. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR HOW THE CITY RESPONDS TO THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY. WHAT LEGACY DO YOU WANT TO LEAVE? WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO ABOUT THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY? THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MADAM CLERK: JAMES LEGION. JAMES LEGION. MR. LEGION. NANCY TIERNEY.

>> GOOD EVENING. MY NAME IS NANCY TIERNEY. AND I'M A RESIDENT OF DISTRICT 9. REPRESENTING THE 100% REAL GROUP. I WANT TO EXPRESS MY SUPPORT FOR THE RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOLUTION. IN FAVOR OF THE RESOLUTION YOU HEARD ABOUT THE SCIENCE BEHIND CLIMATE CHANGE AND ABOUT THE CONSEQUENCES OF IGNORING THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY. YOU HAVE LEARNED ABOUT THE 146 U.S. CITIES THAT FORMALLY COMMITTED TO TRANSITIONING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES. YOU HEARD OF THE TREMENDOUS JOB GROWTH IN RENEWABLE ENERGY REPORTED TO BE THREE TIMES THE NUMBER OF JOBS IN FOSSIL FUEL INDUSTRIES. YOU LISTENED TO YOUNG PEOPLE FROM SUNRISE MOVEMENT AND THE KENTUCKY STUDENT ENVIRONMENTAL COALITION AND MANY GRAYED-HAIRED FOLKS LIKE ME SPEAK IN FAVOR OF THIS. WE MAY NOT BE ALIGNED ON THE TIMEFRAME, SOME ARGUE THE PROPOSED DAYS AND CURRENT RESOLUTION AREN'T AGGRESSIVE ENOUGH. IMPORTANTLY WE AGREE WE SHARE THE SAME GOAL. THE EFFORT TO DEVELOP THE CURRENT RESOLUTION, VERSION 3, SPANNED SEVERAL YEARS AND CONSIDERABLE RESEARCH INTO WHAT OTHER CITIES AND STATES HAD DONE. IN CONVERSATIONS WITH MANY OF PEOPLE IN GOVERNMENT, PRIVATE INDUSTRY AND ACADEMIA, THE RESULT, WHILE SOLID AND GROUNDED IN THIS RESEARCH IS A RESOLUTION ONLY. THE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN HAS YET TO BE FORMULATED. TO GUIDE US, WE'VE EXPERIENCED AROUND THE COUNTRY TO DRAW FROM AS WELL AS THE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

LIKE BONNYCASTLE, BEACHMONT, SECOND STREET AND OTHERS. IN KENTUCKIANS WE FOCUS ON CONNECTING THE URBAN AND RURAL PARTS OF THE STATE. OUR FRIENDS IN APPALACHIA LOBBIED HARD TO RENEW LANDS DEVASTATED BY COAL. TO RESTORE BLACK LUNG BENEFITS, DELIVER CLEAN WATER TO HOUSEHOLDS. EFFORTS CAN SEEM REMOTE. YET WE URBAN DWELLERS HAVE RELIED ON COAL, THE SOURCE OF THE PROBLEMS FOR ENERGY. AS AN ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE MATTER IT'S INCUMBENT FOR US TO JOIN TO TRANSITION TO A HEALTHIER LIFE. LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL IS PURSUING A PLAN TO REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS AND A TREE ORDINANCE. RENEWABLE ORDINANCE RESOLUTION, WE'RE MAKING A DEAL TO DEAL WITH THE LOOMING CLIMATE CRISIS AND IMPROVE PUBLIC HEALTH. THE FILM, CURRENT REVOLUTION TELLS THE STORIES OF TWO U.S. COMMUNITIES, ONE SERVED BY THE ARIZONA CORPORATION AND THE OTHER GEORGIA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, TRANSITIONING TO SOLAR ENERGY FOR REASONS OF RESILIENCE, RELIABILITY AND AFFORDABILITY. IN THE WORDS OF THE DOCUMENTARY FILM MAKERS, CLEAN AIR AND WATER IS A CIVIL RIGHTS ISSUE OF OUR TIME. I'M STUMPED TO COME UP WITH A REASON WHY THIS COMMUNITY WOULD NOT COMMIT TO RENEWABLE ENERGY. THANK YOU.

>> MADAM CLERK: HEATHER THUM-GERBER.

>> GREETINGS. I WAS SHOCKED WHEN I MOVED HERE FROM MICHIGAN TO LEARN THAT SAFETY ZONES WERE NOT IN PRACTICE. I MOVE HERE IN AUGUST. SEEING DOWNTOWN IN FRONT OF THE MEDICAL CLINIC IS ALARMING. A FEW YEARS AGO, MY HUSBAND AND I WERE STILL LIVING IN MICHIGAN AND MADE THE DECISION THAT WE WERE DONE HAVING KIDS AND WANTED TO MAKE A PERMANENT PRECAUTION. WE SOUGHT CONTRACEPTION IN THE FORM OF A VASECTOMY AT A PLANNED PARENTHOOD. THE CITY OF ANN ARBOR SAW A NEED TO SEEK PROTECTION FOR IN FRONT OF THE CLINIC. THE CITY ESTABLISHED A BUFFER ZONE IN FRONT OF THE BUILDING. THIS SAFETY ZONE ALLOWSES FOR CLIENTS TO SAFELY ENTER THE BUILDING AS WELL AS ALLOWS FOR FREE EXPRESSION OF THOSE WISHING TO EXERCISE THEIR RIGHT TO FREE SPEECH. I AM ONE OF THE RECIPIENTS OF THIS BENEFIT AS WELL AS AN ARBORIST SCHOOLS. SAFETY ZONES ARE NOT A NEW SOLUTION. THEY ARE EFFECTIVE. I WALKED BY A PICKET LINE FOR APPLY HUSBAND'S MEDICAL CARE. I ASK YOU TO RECOGNIZE THE HUMANITY OF THOSE WALKING PAST PROTESTERS FOR HEALTH CARE. IT'S INTIMIDATING TO WALK THROUGH A CROWD CONDEMNING YOU. LET ALONE WALKING THROUGH THE HOSTILITY AND RISK HARM. SEE THE NEED FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY. WHETHER ONE IS SEEKING TREATMENT FOR INFERTILITY, CONCEPTION, VACCINATION OR HEALTH CARE, IT'S OUR DUTIES AS CITIZENS IN THIS IS COMMUNITY TO PROTECT ALL PERSONS REGARDLESS OF THEIR POSITIONS OR OURS ON VARIOUS ISSUES. PLEASE ENACT SAFETY ZONES IN FRONT OF ALL MEDICAL FACILITIES IN LOUISVILLE SO WE CAN BE A SAFER COMMUNITY TOGETHER. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MADAM CLERK: BARBARA PARRIS.

>> GOOD EVENING. MY NAME IS BARBARA PARRIS IN DISTRICT 9. THE LOUISVILLE SAFETY ZONE, IF APPROVED WOULD GRANT SAFE ACCESS TO COMMUNITY MEMBERS SEEKING HEALTH CARE. ALL MEMBERS I THINK WE WOULD AGREE, WHETHER ON A LOCAL, STATE OR NATIONAL LEVEL DESERVE THE RIGHT TO ACCESS HEALTHCARE FACILITIES SAFELY WITH DIGNITY AND RESPECT. THIS RIGHT IS BEING DENIED TO MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY AS WE SPEAK. IMAGINE PARKING YOUR VEHICLE OUTSIDE OF A HEALTHCARE FACILITY, OPENING YOUR DOOR AND IMMEDIATELY BEING GREETED BY A DEPLORABLE SEEN OF HATRED, PATIENTS SEEKING HEALTH CARE ARE MET IMMEDIATELY BY PROTESTERS. HATRED AND BIGOTRY WILL FOLLOW THE PATIENTS UNTIL THEY REACH THE DOOR. ALL THE WHILE INVADING THE PERSONAL SPACE OF THESE PATIENTS. IMAGINE THAT FOR A MOMENT. NOT BEING ABLE TO WALK TO THE DOOR OF THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE WITHOUT PROTESTERS INSIDE YOUR SPACE. NO NEED TO INFORM THIS GROUP, THIS SCENE IS ALL TOO OFTEN A REALITY. THESE PROTESTS ARE PROTECTED UNDER THE FIRST AMENDMENT. AND WE AT THE LOUISVILLE SAFETY ZONE NEVER SEEK TO DENY THAT RIGHT TO ANYONE. NAY. WE SEEK ONLY TO CREATE A SAFETY BUFFER, A ZONE THAT PROTECTS THE SAFETY OF PEOPLE ENTERING AND EXITING HEALTHCARE FACILITIES. WHICH I THINK WE CAN AGREE MAKES SENSE. THE LOUISVILLE SAFETY ZONE IS NECESSARY FOR OUR COMMUNITY TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC, THE PATIENTS AND HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS. AND WE ARE ASKING THE COUNCIL TO ALLOW THE SAFETY ZONE, TO SIMPLY ESTABLISH A 10-FOOT ZONE IN FRONT OF ENTRANCES TO HEALTHCARE FACILITIES THAT WOULD ALLOW PATIENTS A SAFE ENTRY AND EXIT TO AND FROM THE HEALTHCARE FACILITY. ALLOWING LAW

ENFORCEMENT, A CLEAR AND STEADY LINE TO ALLOW FOR PEACE WHILE NOT IMPENDING ON THE FIRST AMENDMENT RIGHTS OF FREE SPEECH. BEFORE IT RESULTS IN HARASSMENT, THREATS AND VIOLENCE. THE LOUISVILLE SAFETY ZONE WOULD BENEFIT THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY IN A POSITIVE AND CONSTRUCTIVE WAY CONDUCIVE TO PROTECTING THE RIGHTS OF SAFETY FOR ALL. THE SAFETY ZONE IS COMMONSENSE. DON'T WE ALL WANT A SAFE WAY TO SEEK HEALTH CARE IN OUR COMMUNITY? THAT'S ALL WE'RE ASKING FOR TONIGHT. SO PLEASE CONSIDER THE THOUGHTS. AND SAY, HASHTAG TO YES SAFETY. SHEMEAKA SHAW

>> GOOD EVENING, COUNCIL. I'M HERE ON BEHALF OF TRYING TO GET A CLEAN HANDS ORDINANCE. AND FOR PEOPLE WHO DO NOT KNOW WHAT THAT IS, IT REPRESENTS LANDLORDS CANNOT EVICT WHEN THEY HAVE OPEN COMPLAINTS WITH THE CITY. AND THAT HELPS PROTECT US TENANTS. I'M A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE WEST END. AND I'VE FALLEN TO BEING EVICTED. A LOT OF PEOPLE KNOW MY NAME. SHAMEEKA SHAH. I WOULD HAVE NEVER FELL TO MARK HANDY. I WOULD HAVE NEVER FELL TO PEOPLE LIKE PROPERTY. THESE ARE MAJOR, MAJOR LANDLORDS IN OUR CITY. WHO HOLD A LOT OF PROPERTY. AND WHO ARE KNOWN TO BE VIOLATERS AND KEEPING THEIR PROPERTIES UP TO CODE. AND OUR OWN CITY IS NOT HOLDING THEM ACCOUNTABLE. YOU HAVE RECIPIENTS ON SECTION 8 BEING EVICTED BECAUSE THEY ARE MAKING COMPLAINTS. I LIVED IN A HOUSE THAT CAUGHT ON FIRE. FOUR INSPECTIONS IN SECTION 8, THE CITY SAID THE HOUSE WAS NOT IN COMPLIANCE, I STILL LIVED THERE AND WE ALMOST LOST OUR LIVES BECAUSE KNOWN IS HOLDING THE LANDLORD ACCOUNTABLE. THESE ARE OPEN CODE VIOLATIONS THERE PRIOR TO US BEING PUT INTO THE PROPERTIES. THE CITY FAILED THEIR OWN INSPECTION FOR FAILURE TO MAKE PROPERTY MANAGERS PROPERTY OWNERS MAINTAIN PROPER MAINTENANCE. I WANT MY KIDS TO LIVE SAFE LIKE YOU DO. MY KIDS DESERVE NOT TO LIVE WITH RODENTS, EXPOSED WIRING. NOT TO WATCH THEIR MOTHER BE LOCKED UP FOR SIX DAYS FOR BURGLARY ON HER OWN HOUSE. I CAME TO PICK UP MY STUFF BECAUSE I WAS MOVING. I GOT LOCKED UP FOR SIX DAYS BECAUSE THE LANDLORD WAS MAD. WE SPENT 8 MONTHS HOMELESS BECAUSE NOBODY STOOD UP FOR US. EVERYBODY KNOWS MY NAME. THERE IS ARTICLES, NEWSPAPER, A PAPER TRAIL. I CALLED COUNCILMEMBERS. I HAVE TEXT MESSAGES. I STOOD IN COUNCILMEMBERS FACES TO SPEAK UP FOR MYSELF AND THE PEOPLE OF THE WEST END. THIS IS CONSTANTLY GOING ON. WE NEED A CLEAN HANDS EVICTION ORDINANCE. BECAUSE I LIVE IN THE WEST END, DOES NOT MEAN WE DO NOT DESERVE TO LIVE IN HOMES THAT ARE NOT FIRE HAZARDS. WE DESERVE COUNCILMEMBERS TO STANDUP FOR US, WHATEVER DISTRICT IT IS. THERE IS NO EXCUSE. FLIP THE TABLE. FLIP THE TABLE. FLIP THE TABLE. CLEAN HAND ORDINANCE. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MADAM CLERK: STEPHEN STEVEN SCHWEINHART. JOSH POE.

>> GOOD EVENING, EVERYONE. THANK YOU FOR HAVING ME. MY NAME IS JOSH POE, AN URBAN PLANNER, A GEOGRAPHER. I'M HERE AS A PRIVATE CITIZEN. I STUDIED GENTRIFICATION. AND ATTENDED THE HOUSING JUST METHODOLOGY, IN THE INSTITUTE WITH 30 SCHOLARS FROM AROUND THE WORLD. AND I WAS SHOCKED AT HOW DIRE OUR HOUSING SITUATION IS IN LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, COMPARED TO BARCELONA, BRAZIL, AND OTHER PLACES GLOBALLY. I'M HERE TO SUPPORT THE CLEAN HANDS EVICTION ORDINANCE ALWAYS. BUT MAINLY BECAUSE WE'VE HAD A SERIES OF REPORTS AND NOT NOT RESPONDING TO THOSE WITH A BUDGETARY RESPONSE. WITH A POLICY RESPONSE. IN 2018, RELEASED A STUDY THAT SAID LOUISVILLE HAD AN EVICTION RATE DOUBLE THE NATIONAL AVERAGE, THE 7THHIGHEST IN THE COUNTRY. BUT WE HAVEN'T HAD POLICIES TO PROTECT TENANTS IN LIGHT OF THIS. WE HAVE A HOUSING NEEDS ASSESSMENT WE'RE 36,000 UNITS SHORT. AT THE GREATEST NEED OF 30% MEDIAN INCOME. WE ALLOCATED \$22,000 FOR AFFORDABLE. WE BUILT THREE UNITS AT 30% AMI. I'M GOING TO LET THAT SINK IN FOR A SEC. IF IT'S A \$10 MILLION INVESTMENT, WE INVESTED 5 MILLION. ABOUT 4 MILLION AT 80% AMI, THAT IS MARKET RATE HOUSING. WE'RE CONTINUING TO INVEST IN MARKET RATE HOUSING IN THE WEST END, MEANWHILE WE KNOW IT'S GOING TO DRIVE UP RENTS. 2016 STUDY THAT IN THE STREET HOMELESSNESS REPORT, ALLOCATED \$50,000 FOR, SAID A \$100 INCREASE IN MEDIAN RENT IS ASSOCIATED WITH A 15% INCREASE IN HOMELESSNESS. IN LARGER CITIES, THE PRIVATE SECTOR IS DRIVING DISPLACEMENT. LIKE LOUISVILLE, IT'S THE PUBLIC INVESTMENT DRIVING DISPLACEMENT. THE PUBLIC SECTOR HAS A RESPONSIBILITY TO PROTECT. THAT'S WHY WE NEED A CLEAN HANDS ORDINANCE. A LANDLORD CAN'T EVICT WITH A CODE VIOLATION. I WOULD LIKE TO PUSH IT FORWARD. TO SAY, THEY COULD NOT HAVE A

PUBLIC SUBSIDY BECAUSE THEY -- THERE IS A DISINCENTIVE. TENANTS ARE NOT REPORTING CODE VIOLATIONS FOR FEAR OF EVICTION. IF YOU GO TO EVICTION COURT, TENANTS TO WANT HAVE TO BE PRESENT TO BE EVICTED. I ASK YOU TO SPEND A DAY THERE TO WATCH FIVE OR SIX LANDLORDS THEY ARE ABLE TO EVICT TENANTS, 30 OF THEM BEFORE LUNCH. PLEASE PASS THE CLEAN HANDS ORDINANCE, THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> MADAM CLERK: DENITA WRIGHT.

>> MY NAME IS DENITA WRIGHT. THE INTERIM CHAIR OF THE KENTUCKY ALLIANCE AGAINST RACIST AND POLITICAL REPRESSION. TO SAY OUR ORGANIZATION SUPPORTS OUR LOCAL ADVOCACY GROUPS WHO ARE WORKING HARD TO ENSURE THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE DOES ITS PART IN ADDRESSING AND PRODUCING EFFECT EFFORTS IN THE AREA TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE. WE LIVE ON A PLANET. MORE SPECIFICALLY, PLANET EARTH. WE LIVE ON THIS PARTICULAR PLANET, NOT BECAUSE WE CHOOSE TO BUT BECAUSE WE HAVE TO. WE ARE CONNECTED TO IT. IT IS OUR LIFE-SUPPORT SYSTEM. DON'T BELIEVE IT? STOP READING. CUT YOURSELF OFF AND STOP BREATHING. CUT OFF THAT LIFE LINE BY SIMPLY HOLDING YOUR BREATH. NOW, I SAY THIS NOT BECAUSE I DON'T THINK THAT YOU ALL DON'T KNOW IT. BUT BECAUSE SOMETIMES ESPECIALLY AT TIMES LIKE THESE, YOU NEED TO HEAR IT OUT LOUD IN ORDER FOR IT TO TRULY REGISTER THAT WITHOUT THIS PLANET, THIS LIFE LINE, YOU WILL NO LONGER HAVE A LIFE. YOU WILL CEASE TO EXIST. THE WORLD IS WATCHING NEW DELHI, A PLACE OVER IN INDIA.

THEY HAVE HEADLINES THAT READ, WE'RE RUNNING OUT OF AIR. ONE OF INDIA'S HOLIEST RIVERS IS COVERED IN TOXIC FORM. COME OVER HERE TO OUR CITY OF LOUISVILLE. WE FIND THE AIR QUALITY THAT COMES OUT OF THE WEST LOUISVILLE DIRECTLY AFFECTS CLIMATE CHANGE. THE PARK POND IS A HOT SPOT. BUT THERE ARE OTHERS AROUND IN THIS AREA. SOME FOLKS ARE TOLD, YOU CAN GROW VEGETABLES. YOU CAN GROW A VEGETABLE GARDEN. YOU JUST CAN'T EAT THE VEGETABLE. SO THE TOXICITY IS IN THE AIR AND SURROUNDING LAND. LIVING IN WEST LOUISVILLE WILL REDUCE YOUR LIFESPAN. SOME ELEMENTS THAT SUSTAIN LIFE: FOOD, WATER AND AIR. THINK ABOUT THIS. IMAGINE LIVING IN A WORLD WHERE YOU HAVE TO PAY FOR FOOD. YOU CAN'T GROW IT. OH, WAIT. WE'RE GETTING THERE. OKAY, THEN THINK ABOUT THIS. IMAGINE LIVING IN A WORLD WHERE YOU HAVE TO PAY FOR WATER. OH, WAIT, WAIT A MINUTE, WE DO THAT ALREADY TOO. OKAY HOW ABOUT THIS. IMAGINE A WORLD WHERE YOU HAVE TO PAY FOR AIR. IT'S CALLED BREATHING. IT'S CALLED LIVING. BUT THIS THING CALLED CLIMATE CHANGE COULD END IT ALL. SO RIGHT HERE, RIGHT NOW WE'RE SAYING TO THIS METRO COUNCIL, THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE NEEDS TO DO MORE AND DO ITS PART TO CONTROL CLIMATE CHANGE. [APPLAUSE]

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

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK. NEXT WE HAVE APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MEETINGS NOVEMBER 21, 2019. ANY CORRECTIONS OR DELETIONS? THANK YOU, MINUTES WERE PROPERLY MOVED AND SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER TRIPLETT AND SYMPATHYEN. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." THE MINUTES ARE APPROVED AS WRITTEN. NEXT WE HAVE APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE MINUTES. REGULAR: COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE - NOVEMBER 21, 2019. REGULAR: LABOR AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 3, 2019. SPECIAL: PLANNING AND ZONING COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 3, 2019. REGULAR: PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 3, 2019. REGULAR: GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT AND AUDIT - DECEMBER 3, 2019. REGULAR: HEALTH AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 4, 2019. REGULAR: PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 4, 2019. REGULAR: APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 4, 2019. REGULAR: PARKS AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 5, 2019. REGULAR: BUDGET COMMITTEE - DECEMBER 5, 2019. REGULAR: COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES - DECEMBER 10, 2019. ARE THERE ANY CORRECTIONS OR DELETIONS? MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER BENSON, SECOND BY FOX. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE IT. THE MINUTES ARE APPROVED AS WRITTEN. COLLEAGUES, WE HAVE A CONTRACT THAT NEEDS TO BE VOTED ON THIS EVENING. AS IT IS AN ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTION OF COUNCIL, WE'LL INVOKE RULE 7.01 SUBSECTION B, ADMINISTRATIVE ACT OR FUNCTION OF THE COUNCIL MAYBE PASSED AT THE SAME MEETING IT'S INTRODUCED. MAY I HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND? MOTION BY COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." THE AYES HAVE IT. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATION. A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE

APPROPRIATION TO FUND AN ANNUAL CONTRACT WITH HR ALLIANCE FOR WORKPLACE INVESTIGATION SERVICES NOT TO EXCEED \$20,000.00.

>> MADAM CLERK: READ IN FULL.

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU IT'S BEEN PROPERLY MOVED AND SECONDED. SPONSOR COUNCILWOMAN GREEN.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT, BACK IN 2017, WE CHANGED THE ORDINANCE RELATED TO THE UNANIMOUS TIP LINE AND INCLUDED LANGUAGE WE NEEDED TO BE ABLE TO HAVE AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR TO HAVE AN UNANIMOUS TIP LINE IF THERE WERE ISSUES OF HARASSMENT OR SEXUAL HARASSMENT. THE CONTRACT IS COMING TO AN END. WE'RE ASKING TO GO AHEAD SO WE CAN RENEW THAT CONTRACT BECAUSE IT HAS BEEN ACTUALLY LONGER THAN A YEAR AT THIS POINT. SO TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE COLLEAGUES. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL CALL FOR VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 23 YES VOTES AND THREE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE RESOLUTION PASSES. NEXT ORDER OF BUSINESS IS THE CONSENT CALENDAR. IT PRICES ITEMS 20 THROUGH 43. ARE THERE ANY ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS? NUMBER 41. MOVED TO OLD BUSINESS. THANK YOU. MADAM CLERK, A SECOND READING.

>> MADAM CLERK: A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE JEFFERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S 2020 BUDGET. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING YEAR-END OPERATING BUDGET TRANSFERS BETWEEN VARIOUS AGENCIES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019 AND TO PROVIDE VARIOUS TRANSFERS AS DETAILED HEREIN AND AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 081, SERIES 2019 RELATING TO THE 2019-2020 OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT. APPOINTMENT OF CARRYE JONES TO THE NULU REVIEW OVERLAY DISTRICT COMMITTEE. TERM EXPIRES FEBRUARY 26, 2023. APPOINTMENT OF SCOTT HOWE TO THE NULU REVIEW OVERLAY DISTRICT COMMITTEE. TERM EXPIRES FEBRUARY 26, 2022. ITEM 24. APPOINTMENT OF MARCELLUS MAYES TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 25. APPOINTMENT OF DONNA FOX TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 26. APPOINTMENT OF RAYMOND ALEXANDER CLAYWELL TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 27. APPOINTMENT OF ALEX SCHOLTZ TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 28. APPOINTMENT OF LEMUEL MASON TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 29. APPOINTMENT OF MARTHA MUNOZ-DRUMMOND TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 30. APPOINTMENT OF KELLEY GANNON TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 30.

APPOINTMENT OF AMY VERST TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 32. APPOINTMENT OF JOI MCATEE TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 33. APPOINTMENT OF DIA ERPENBECK TO THE COMMISSION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 12, 2023. ITEM 34. APPOINTMENT OF AARON MILLER TO THE LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMISSION. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2020. ITEM 35. APPOINTMENT OF MICHELLE LEPORATTI TO THE TREE ADVISORY COMMITTEE. TERM EXPIRES NOVEMBER 29, 2022. ITEM 36. REAPPOINTMENT OF CAROL CLARK TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND BOARD. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2022. ITEM 37. REAPPOINTMENT OF CHRISTOPHER HARAGAN TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND BOARD. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2022. ITEM 38. APPOINTMENT OF J.D. CAREY TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND BOARD. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2022. ITEM 39. APPOINTMENT OF KATHARINE DOBBINS TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND BOARD. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2022. ITEM 40. APPOINTMENT OF KIM SICKLES TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND BOARD. TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2022. ITEM 42. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT \$2,100 FROM THE KENTUCKY HERITAGE COUNCIL TO FUND THE LOUISVILLE-JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT LANDMARKS BROCHURE PROJECT TO BE ADMINISTERED BY DEVELOP LOUISVILLE. ITEM 43. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT \$290,000 OF ADDITIONAL FUNDING FROM THE COMMONWEALTH

OF KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET FOR THE A.B. SAWYER PARK SHARED-USE PATH CONNECTOR TO BE ADMINISTERED BY PUBLIC WORKS & ASSETS. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. WE HAVE A MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER BENSON AND A SECOND BY COUNCIL MEMBER TRIPLETT. IT'S BEEN PROPERLY MOVED AND SECONDED. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING. WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, 24 YES AND TWO NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, THE CONSENT CALENDAR PASSES. OUR NEXT ITEM OF BUSINESS IS OLD BUSINESS. NOTE THE PRIMARY SPONSOR ON ITEM NUMBER -- COUNCIL MEMBER DORSEY, WHAT IS THAT ITEM NUMBER? I WANT TO MAKE SURE I'M RIGHT. ON ITEM 53, HAS WITHDRAWN THEIR SPONSORSHIP. SO WE WILL NOT BE DISCUSSING THAT IN OLD BUSINESS. AND THE SPONSORS FOR ITEMS 45 AND NUMBER 50 HAVE REQUESTED THEY BE HELD AT THE COUNCIL LEVEL. AND WE WILL BE BRINGING THOSE BACK UP LATER. BUT I THINK WE'RE GOING TO DISCUSS THAT A LITTLE BIT WHEN WE GET TO THAT, CORRECT? MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM NUMBER 44.

>> MADAM CLERK: A RESOLUTION OVERTURNING THE DECISION OF THE LANDMARKS COMMISSION DESIGNATING THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2914 S. 3RD STREET AND 2911 S. 4TH STREET IN LOUISVILLE METRO AS A LOCAL LANDMARK (CASE NO. 19DESGNATION1000). READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU.

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: WE HAVE A MOTION AND SECOND. THE RESOLUTION IS BEFORE US. ANY DISCUSSION? COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS WAS ORIGINALLY WAS ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR. BUT IT WAS MOVED TO OLD BUSINESS TO ALLOW DOCTOR, COUNCIL MEMBER BLACKWELL TO ABSTAIN SINCE HE WORKS FOR THE ARCHDIOCESE OF LOUISVILLE. WE MAY BE IN DISCUSSION, I'LL GO OVER WHAT WAS GOING ON WITH THIS PIECE OF PROPERTY. THERE IS FIVE BUILDINGS ON THIS PROPERTY. THE HOLY NAME COMPLEX AND THEY HAD -- WERE IN THE PROCESS OF ACTUALLY EXPANDING CATHOLIC CHARITIES ON THIS PROPERTY. AND KEEP BUILDING ONE, WHICH IS THE CHURCH. BUILDING 2, 3, 4, 5, WHICH IS THE GYM WOULD HAVE BEEN DEMOLISH TOED TO ALLOW EXPANSION OF CATHOLIC CHARITY. THEY WERE IN THE PROCESS OF DOING THIS, THERE WERE FOLKS WHO ACTUALLY DECIDED TO TRY TO DESIGNATE THE PROPERTY. AND PART OF THE THINGS THAT WERE BROUGHT OUT IN THE LONG, LENGTHY RECORD IS THE PROPERTY OWNER WAS SEEKING TO REMOVE NON-INCOME PRODUCING RELIGIOUS BUILDINGS TO CONSTRUCT ANOTHER NON-INCOME PRODUCING RELIGIOUS BUILDING ON ITS RELIGIOUS PROPERTY. IT WAS STATED THE PROPERTY ON THE CAMPUS HAS AN ACTIVE PARISH AND NEEDS THE PARCEL TO HAVE SERVICES. THE PASTOR STATED THE PARISH MEMBERS TESTIFIED TO THE NEED TO DEMOLISH THE BUILDING AND NEW STRUCTURES ON THE PROPERTY IN ORDER FOR THE PARISH TO THRIVE AND SURVIVE. TO ALLOW THE PARISH AND CATHOLIC CHARITIES TO EXPAND THEIR RELIGIOUS MISSION. THIS IS IN COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT'S DISTRICT. I WOULD LIKE TO INVOKE RULE 5.11E THAT LIMITS DEBATES TO 90 MINUTES.

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: A MOTION BY COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD, SECONDED BY COUNCILWOMAN ENGEL. THE AYES HAVE IT. COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT AND COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD. A LOT OF DISCUSSION AND DEBATE ON THIS ISSUE THAT'S BEEN BREWING FOR SOME TIME. THE WHOLE ISSUE AND DISCUSSION BEGAN BACK IN THE SUMMER. MUCH DEBATE ABOUT THIS. SO IT'S SIGNIFICANT THAT WE GET IT RIGHT. THAT'S THE MOST IMPORTANT THING I WANT TO DO IS TO MAKE SURE WE GET IT RIGHT. AND COLLEAGUES, I'M ASKING FOR YOUR YES VOTE IN THE AFFIRMATIVE FOR A RESOLUTION TO OVERTURN THE LANDMARK DECISION. AND I DON'T HAVE TO GO OVER MUCH. BUT THE FACT THIS IS SIGNIFICANT AND BECAUSE OF ALL THE DISCUSSION THAT STARTED DURING THE SUMMER, THIS IS AN AREA AND A NEIGHBORHOOD WHERE THERE WAS NO DISCUSSION. THERE WAS NO INTEREST. NO ONE WAS CONCERNED ABOUT THE HEALTHS, THE VITALITY AND WELL-BEING OF THE CITIZENS THAT LIVE HERE. I DARE SAY, NO ONE EVEN CONSIDERED THIS NEIGHBORHOOD, EXCEPT MYSELF AND DAVID JAMES AND CATHOLIC CHARITIES ARE THE ONLY PEOPLE THAT'S EVER CONSIDERED THE NEIGHBORHOOD WHERE THIS IS LOCATED AND THE PEOPLE THAT LIVE

THERE. CATHOLIC CHARITIES OFFERS DOZENS OF CRUCIAL SERVICES TO THESE AREAS. THIS IS A VERY TROUBLED NEIGHBORHOOD, FOLKS, I THINK YOU ARE FAMILIAR WITH IT. CATHOLIC CHARITIES IS THE ONLY STABILITY A LOT OF THESE PEOPLE HAVE. THEY ARE THE ROCK OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD OFFERING THE VIOLATE SOCIAL SERVICES THEY DEPEND ON WHICH BUDGET CUTS ARE SO SEVERE. SOCIAL SERVICES ARE ALWAYS THE FIRST IT CUT. HERE WE HAVE A PARTNER IN CATHOLIC CHARITIES THAT OFFERS THEM. IT'S A LIFE BLOOD TO MANY. NOW, THE BUILDINGS THAT CATHOLIC CHARITIES HAS OCCUPIED IT'S BEEN CLEARLY STATED THEY ARE DILAPIDATED IN SO MUCH CATHOLIC CHARITIES BROUGHT IN PROFESSIONAL ARCHITECTS AND DESIGNERS. AND THEY HAVE CONCLUDED AND EVEN TESTIFIED THE BUILDINGS ARE INADEQUATE TO SUPPORT LOADING REOUIREMENTS FOR USE AND THE PROPERTY WAS DETERMINED TO BE ECONOMICALLY INFEASIBLE TO REHAB. IT'S IMPORTANT TO KNOW CATHOLIC CHARITIES HAS A TRACK RECORD OF REPURPOSING PROPERTY AND OTHER BUILDINGS. THEY HAVE DONE IT IN THE PAST. A MILE AND A HALF AWAY AT MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT IN DISTRICT 15 THEY DID IT. AND THEY WILL DO IT AGAIN. THEY WILL DO IT AGAIN IN THIS INSTANCE THEY CANNOT. IT'S ECONOMICALLY UNSOUND. THEY SIMPLY CAN'T DO IT. AS LONG AS THIS LANDMARK DECISION STAYS, CATHOLIC CHARITIES, WE LOSE THEM. IT'S THAT SIMPLE. IF WE LOSE THEM, AND THE PEOPLE THAT LOSE THOSE SERVICES, THAT MEANS WE HAVE FIVE VACANT BUILDINGS TO DEAL WITH. SO I FOR ONE, WOULD LIKE TO SEE CATHOLIC CHARITIES BE ALLOWED TO FULFILL THEIR MISSION. FULFILL

THEIR MISSION OF PROVIDING SOCIAL SERVICES THAT SO MANY HAVE DEPENDED UPON. LET'S TALK ABOUT THE LANDMARK DECISION. IN AND OF ITSELF IT WAS IRRESPONSIBLE TO LANDMARK THESE BUILDINGS. NOTHING HISTORIC HAPPENED THERE. THEY FAILED TO CONSIDER THE COMMISSION THAT IS, FAILED TO CONSIDER THE ECONOMIC HARDSHIP THAT REHABBING THE BUILDINGS WOULD PUT ON CATHOLIC CHARITIES. THEY IGNORED IT. THEY ARE NEGLIGENT AND THAT WAS IRRESPONSIBLE. LANGUAGE IN THE ORDINANCE THAT MAY OR MAY NOT BE AMBIGUOUS OR UNCLEAR, NONETHELESS THEY CHOSE TO IGNORE THE HARDSHIP PRESENTED BY THE CATHOLIC CHARITIES AND MADE THEIR DECISION, WHICH I THOUGHT WAS IRRESPONSIBLE. AND SO COLLEAGUES, I AM LOOKING FOR YOUR VOTE IN THE AFFIRMATIVE ON THIS RESOLUTION TO OVERTURN THIS DECISION AND ALLOW CATHOLIC CHARITIES TO FULFILL THEIR MISSION IN A MUCH-NEEDED NEIGHBORHOOD. THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE]

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. COUNCILMAN COAN.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I CERTAINLY DON'T DISPUTE THIS COUNCIL HAS THE AUTHORITY TO OVERTURN A LANDMARK DESIGNATION. COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT'S RESOLUTION OFFERS ALTERNATIVE FINDINGS OF FACT BASED ON THE CRITERIA THE LANDMARK IS SUPPOSED TO CONSIDER WHEN MAKING THE DESIGNATIONS. I THINK IT'S IMPORTANT TO UNDERSTAND SINCE WE'VE GONE THROUGH A LOT OF CHANGES WITH RESPECT TO DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS. THE COUNCIL IS UNDERSTANDING THE PROCESS. IF YOU CHOOSE TO OVERTURN THE DESIGNATION, IT'S NOT BECAUSE OF THE ECONOMIC ISSUE. BECAUSE THE ECONOMIC HARDSHIP

ISSUE IS NOT ONE OF THE CRITERIA FOR DESIGNATING A LANDMARK. IT'S A SEPARATE PROCESS. AND SO IF YOU CHOOSE TO VOTE TO OVERTURN THIS DESIGNATION, WHICH I AM NOT, IT NEEDS TO BE ON THE FACTS THAT ARE SPELLED OUT IN COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT'S RESOLUTION THAT TALK ABOUT WHAT HE FINDS TO BE THE INSUFFICIENCIES OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THE ARCHITECT, THE INSUFFICIENCIES OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS BUILDING IN THE CONTEXT OF THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY'S CONTRIBUTION TO THIS COMMUNITY, NOT SIMPLY BASED ON ECONOMIC HARDSHIP, THAT THE CATHOLIC CHARITY'S ORGANIZATION MIGHT HAVE. WE MADE CHANGE TODAY THE LANDMARK'S ORDINANCE SO WE COULD ESTABLISH A RECORD ON ECONOMIC HARDSHIP AT THE LANDMARK'S COMMISSION LEVEL SO THE COUNCIL COULD PROPERLY CONSIDER THAT WHEN THE TIME COMES AND ALSO THE ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW COMMITTEE CAN EXPEDITE THEIR REVIEW. IT'S NOT THE REASON IN AND OF ITSELF TO DESIGNATE SOMETHING. I THINK IT'S IMPORTANT AS A MATTER OF PRECEDENT AS THESE KINDS OF CASES CONTINUE AND THE LANDMARK'S COMMISSION GETS BETTER AT APPLYING THE NEW RULES AND WE GET BETTER AT UNDERSTANDING THE NEW LAWS THAT WE DO IT THE RIGHT WAY. THIS IS SIMILAR TO I'M SEEING THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT ADJUSTING ITSELF TO THE 600-FOOT RULE WITH SHORT-TERM RENTALS. I HAD A FEW, I SENT THEM TO COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT IN MY HANDWRITING. HE MIGHT NOT HAVE BEEN ABLE TO READ THEM. THERE ARE A HANDFUL OF FRIENDLY AMENDMENTS I THINK ARE IMPORTANT TO CLARIFY THE LAW ON ECONOMIC HARDSHIP. I'M HAPPY TO READ THEM ONE

AT A TIME. AND I WOULD MOVE THEM. THEY ARE PRETTY STRAIGHTFORWARD. ON PAGE 2 OF THE ORDINANCE, COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT, DO YOU HAVE IT IN FRONT OF YOU? ON PAGE 2 OF THE ORDINANCE IN THE FIRST WHEREAS, IT SAYS, WHEREAS OUR NEW LANDMARKS LAW ALLOWS THE LANDMARKS COMMISSION TO CONSIDER WHETHER OR NOT THE OWNER OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY QUALIFIES FOR THE HARDSHIP. I SIMPLY WANT TO CHANGE IT TO SAY, WOULD QUALIFY FOR THE HARDSHIP. THEY CAN'T ACTUALLY MAKE THE DETERMINATION RIGHT HERE IN THIS PROCEEDING. THAT'S PRETTY STRAIGHTFORWARD. QUALIFIES TO WOULD QUALIFY. DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THAT, COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT OR ANYONE ELSE? THE SECOND IS IN THE VERY NEXT WHEREAS ON PAGE 2. IT CURRENTLY READ, WHEREAS IN THIS CASE, THE OWNER OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY REQUESTED AN ECONOMIC HARDSHIP EXEMPTION AND SO ON. THEY DIDN'T TECHNICALLY REQUEST ONE, AND THEY CAN'T IN THIS HEARING. THEY PRESENTED EVIDENCE OF ONE. THEY HAVE TO REQUEST IN A SEPARATE MATTER. I WANTED TO MAKE THIS SAY, WHEREAS IN THIS CASE, THE OWNER OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY REQUESTED EVIDENCE OF AN ECONOMIC HARDSHIP -- I'M SORRY, REQUESTED CONSIDERABLE EVIDENCE OF AN ECONOMIC HARDSHIP, SHOULD THE SUBJECT PROPERTY BE ADJUDGED APPROPRIATE TO DESIGNATE AS LOCAL LANDMARK AT THE PUBLIC HEARINGS HELD ON AUGUST 29, AND SEPTEMBER 19, 2019. I'M USING THE SAME LANGUAGE JUST CLARIFYING IT DIDN'T REQUEST AN ECONOMIC HARDSHIP EXEMPTION. THE NEXT ONE IS SIMPLER ON PAGE 3. IN SUBSECTION 1B IT TALKS ABOUT ONE OF THE CRITERION FOR LANDMARK'S DESIGNATION INSTEAD IT RESTS UPON THE THIRD SUB-ELEMENT AS THE WORK OF ARCHITECT WHOSE INDIVIDUAL WORK INFLUENCED THE CITY, COMMON WEALTH OR NATION. I WANTED TO ADD THE WORD SIGNIFICANTLY INFLUENCED FOR THE REASON YOU COULD ARGUE ANYTHING IS INFLUENTIAL. WHEN WE CHANGED THE LAW, WE ADDED SIGNIFICANTLY INFLUENCED. THE THIRD IS ADDING THE WORD SIGNIFICANTLY. THE FOURTH, THERE ARE ONLY FIVE, COLLEAGUES. THE FOURTH ON PAGE 5 IN SUBSECTION 2. THIS ONE IS PROBABLY THE MOST IMPORTANT TO ME BECAUSE WHAT THE CURRENTLY SAYS IS THAT WITH RESPECT COMMISSIONER'S COMMENT, ECONOMIC HARDSHIP WAS NOT CONSIDERED TO DESIGNATE THE LANDMARK. IT SHOULD NOT BE PART OF THE MOTION TO DESIGNATE. ALTHOUGH, I AGREE WITH COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT IT SHOULD HAVE BEEN CONSIDERED. WHAT I PROPOSE THE LANGUAGE SAYS IS THAT IN SECTION 2, WITH RESPECT TO THE ORDINANCE, THE COMMISSIONER'S COMMENT THE METRO COUNCIL'S IGNORANCE THAT ECONOMIC HARDSHIP WAS NOT CONSIDERED AND NO FINDING MADE WITH RESPECT THERE TO. PERIOD. THIS CLARIFIES IT'S NOT THE REASON WE'RE OR THOUGHT YOU MIGHT CHOOSE TO VOTE TO REVERSE IT. THE LAST ONE IS ON PAGE 6. AT THE VERY TOP IN SUBSECTION C. FOR NON-INCOME PRODUCING BUILDING NONECONOMIC HARDSHIP SHOULD BE GRANTED. I WANT TO CHANGE THAT TO MAYBE GRANTED. I KNOW -- AND I KNOW THESE ARE SORT OF TECHNICAL SOUNDING AND TAKING UP OUR TIME HERE. IN THE EVENT THESE CASES

ARE CHALLENGED IN THE COURTS, AND ALSO TO SET A PRECEDENT, I THINK IT'S WORTH OUR TIME TO MAKE THE SMALL CHANGES.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: WE HAVE A SECOND BY COUNCILMAN YATES. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? MADAM CLERK, WOULD YOU PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING. WE'RE VOTING ON THE AMENDMENTS OFFERED BECAUSE IT WAS KIND OF A TIE. SO WE'RE --

>> I THINK --

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> I WOULD LIKE TO OPINION OF OUR COUNTY ATTORNEY WHO WORKED ON THIS, IF THAT'S NEEDED OR NOT.

>> [OFF MIC]

>> CHANGES, I DON'T KNOW THEY INHERENTLY CHANGE. THERE WAS ONE OR TWO SPECIFIC WORDS, THE SUBSTANTIAL AND PARTICULAR. IT IS IN QUOTES, PROBABLY PROMOTE TO INCLUDE. I DON'T THINK ANYTHING NEGATIVELY IMPACTS THE POSED RESOLUTION ITSELF. I DON'T KNOW IF THAT ANSWERS YOUR QUESTION OR NOT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILMAN YATES, CAN YOU EXPLAIN?

>> IN DRAFTING THE ORIGINAL ORDINANCE, WE WANT TO AVOID NECESSARY APPEALS. I THINK WHAT BRANDON, COUNCILMAN COAN DID IS TRY TO CLARIFY THIS COUNCIL IF CHOSE TO VOTE, TO OVERTURN WITHIN THE PARAMETERS SET. I DON'T THINK IT CHANGES WHAT COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT IS TRYING TO DO OR THE RESOLUTION IT CLARIFYING THIS METRO COUNCIL ONLY CONSIDERS WHAT WE'RE PROMOTED TO.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: TO ACCEPT THE AMENDMENTS PUT FORTH BY COUNCILMAN COAN AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN YATES. WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 19 YES VOTES. FOUR NO VOTES. TWO ABSTENTIONS AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE AMENDMENT PASSES. COUNCILMAN COAN, WAS THERE MORE?

>> NO, THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: WE'RE BACK TO THE MAIN ORDINANCE NOW. AND COUNCILMAN REED.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I'M NOT SURE WHO THE QUESTION GOES TO. WHEN WE REVISED THE ORDINANCE LAST TIME, WE SAID THE LANDMARKS COMMISSION MUST CONSIDER FINANCIAL HARDSHIP, CORRECT OR NOT?

>> MAY CONSIDER FINANCIAL HARDSHIP. AND PREVIOUSLY, THE OWNER DID NOT HAVE THE ABILITY OR RIGHT TO DO THAT. DO BRING IT FORWARD.

>> THAT'S GENERALLY CORRECT. I CAN READ THE SUBSECTION THAT IS RELEVANT TO CLARIFY THE LANGUAGE. SUBSECTION F. ADDITIONALLY, AND CONSIDERING THE DESIGNATION OF INDIVIDUAL LANDMARK, THE COMMISSION MAY DETERMINE WHETHER THE STRUCTURE OR SITE OWNER WOULD QUALIFY FOR ECONOMIC HARDSHIP EXEMPTION, PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION FROM ANY EXTERIOR ALTERATION SPECIFIED IN 32 SUBSECTION C.

>> ESSENTIALLY WHAT IT SAYS THEY MAY CONSIDER BUT THEY DIDN'T NECESSARY SAY -- DON'T NECESSARILY HAVE TO IN LAYMAN'S TERMS.

>> CORRECT.

>> OKAY. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I'LL EXPLAIN MY VOTE. I'M GOING TO VOTE AGAINST THIS RESOLUTION. AND IT'S FOR THE SAME REASON I VOTED FOR OTHER RESOLUTIONS OVERTURNING LANDMARK'S DECISIONS. I THINK WHAT WE TEND TO DO IS DEAL WITH THE ECONOMIC HARDSHIP ISSUE, WHICH IS NOT BEFORE US. AND THERE HAS BEEN VIRTUALLY NO DISCUSSION AT THE COUNCIL LEVEL ABOUT THE REAL HISTORIC RELEVANCE OF THESE BUILDINGS. PEOPLE ARE INCLINED TO VOTE ON ECONOMIC HARDSHIP. SO I'LL BE VOTING NO.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I'M JUST VERY CONCERNED ABOUT HOW THE LANDMARK COMMISSION USES THIS DESIGNATION PROCESS AS A TOOL TO BLOCK DEVELOPMENTS THEY MAY NOT WANT. IT HAPPENED SEVERAL TIMES SINCE I BEEN ON COUNCIL. I DON'T UNDERSTAND WE STICK OUR NOSE INTO SOMETHING THAT IS REALLY NOT PERTINENT TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD, TO THE SURROUNDING BUSINESSES. THIS IS A PLIGHTED AREA THAT NEEDS THIS DEVELOPMENT. I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY WE ARE GETTING IN THE MIDDLE OF A CHURCH, A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION. I MEAN, WHAT ARE WE DOING TRYING TO TELL A CHURCH ORGANIZATION HOW THEY CAN DO THEIR BUSINESS? SO I JUST, I WILL BE VOTING, YES. I HOPE TO WORK ON SOMETHING TO STOP THEM FROM USING THIS AS TOOL. BECAUSE THEY ARE DOING IT ALL THE TIME.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN. COUNCILWOMAN GORGE.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WANT TO SAY, TO GO ON THE RECORD SAYING I WILL BE A NO VOTE TONIGHT. AND I WANT IT TO BE NOTED IT'S NOT BECAUSE I DON'T RESPECT THE PERISHNERS OF HOLY NAME OR VALUE THE IMPORTANT WORK. AS A SOCIAL WORKER, I DO. IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T UNDERSTAND THE MAINTENANCE AND CHALLENGES THAT EXIST WITH A BUILDING OVER 100 YEARS OLD. AS A SOUTH END RESIDENT, I VALUE THE HISTORICAL INTEGRITY. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT THE CURRENT FACILITY IS ONE OF THE MOST INTACT MIXED-USE LOTS THAT WE HAVE. I'M NOT CONVINCED THE DEMO, THE HISTORIC BUILDING IN FAVOR OF A PARKING LOT IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF OUR COMMUNITY. I'LL BE A NO VOTE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN. COUNCILMAN WINKLER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WOULD LIKE TO ECHO THE COMMENTS OF COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD MADE THE SAME POINT IN PLANNING AND ZONING. LAND PARKING SHOULD NOT BE A WEAPON. WHEN YOU WEAPONIZE LANDMARKING, IT CREATES A DANGEROUS PRECEDENT AND CHEAPENS THE PROCESS. YOU START MIXING THINGS THAT ARE TRULY SIGNIFICANT LANDMARKS TO THE COMMUNITY AND THOSE THAT AREN'T. I THINK IT'S PROBLEMATIC. I THINK COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD MADE THE POINT IN PLANNING AND ZONING THAT IF YOU ARE CONCERNED THAT A STRUCTURE HAS HISTORIC SIGNIFICANCE YOU SHOULD REQUEST THE LANDMARKING IMMEDIATELY. DON'T WAIT UNTIL A DEVELOPMENT PLAN IS STARTED. I THINK IT RISKS UNDERMINING THE PROCESS.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN MCCRANEY.

>> I WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WOULD LIKE TO MOVE TO TABLE THIS SO WE CAN HAVE A BETTER DISCUSSION AND UNDERSTANDING OF THIS VERY TOPIC. I THINK WE'RE SPLIT. AND I THINK THAT MORE DISCUSSION IS IN ORDER.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. BEFORE WE DO THAT, ADVICE FROM THE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE. DO WE HAVE A TIME LIMITATION?

>> IT'S 120 DAYS FROM THE DATE THE COMMISSION APPROVED THE MINUTES. I BELIEVE IT'S ON THE RESOLUTION. PERFECT. APPARENTLY, FEBRUARY 14TH. I DON'T KNOW WHAT DATE THE FEBRUARY MEETING IS. MAYBE THE CLERK CAN FILL US IN. NOT OFFICIALLY SCHEDULED?

>> MADAM CLERK: IT IS, IT'S THE 9TH.

>> THERE IS ONE ADDITIONAL MEETING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU VERY MUCH. WE HAVE A MOTION FOR TO TABLE. DO WE HAVE A DATE SPECIFIC TO TABLE, COUNCILWOMAN? TIME SPECIFIC TO TABLE?

>> NEXT MEETING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: WHICH WOULD BE JANUARY THE 9TH, I BELIEVE. THANK YOU, WE HAVE A MOTION TO TABLE. DO WE HAVE A SECOND?

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: WE HAVE A SECOND. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE MOTION TO TABLE FAILED. COUNCILWOMAN, WERE YOU FINISHED, COUNCILWOMAN MCCRANEY? THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I THANK YOU TO MY COUNCILMAN FRIEND MARKUS WINKLER WHO REITERATED WHAT WAS SAID DURING THE COMMITTEE MEETING. I WANTED TO STATE IF YOU READ THE RESOLUTION YOU WILL SEE THERE ARE ALL TYPES OF DIFFERENT FINDINGS OF FACT THAT TALKS ABOUT THE ORIGINAL ARCHITECT AND THE CONDITION OF THE BUILDINGS AND THERE WAS A LOT OF TESTIMONY ABOUT WHY TWO VISITS WOULD NOT MEET SOME OF THE CRITERIA FOR LANDMARKS. READ THE RESOLUTION IN THE ENTIRETY.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. WE NEED A PROCESS IN PLACE. I THINK IT'S BEING WORKED ONTO IDENTIFY DIFFERENT PLACES WITHIN OUR COMMUNITY THAT ARE REALLY SIGNIFICANT TO THE HISTORY OF THE CITY. AND I JUST CAN'T HOPE ANY FURTHER THAT THIS WOULD GO FASTER THAN IT'S BEING DONE. BECAUSE I WILL CONTINUE TO SUPPORT GETTING THESE THINGS OVERTURNED IF THEY CONTINUE TO USE THEM AS A PROCESS TO ELIMINATE WHAT THEY DON'T WANT. SO THANK YOU. >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN. COUNCILMAN YATES.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. IT WASN'T THAT LONG AGO THIS CHAMBER DID NOT HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO HAVE THIS DECISION. AND WE PASSED THE LANDMARK, THE REASON WE FELT ANY APPOINTED COMMITTEE SHOULD HAVE OVERSIGHT. AND THAT WAS THE IDEA. AND AT THE SAME TIME, WE SAID IF YOU KNOW THE METRO COUNCIL WILL HAVE THE TIME TO LOOK OVER IT BUT ALSO WEIGH OUT WHAT IS THE BEST INTEREST OF YOUR CENTER AND CITY. THERE MAY BE THINGS THAT MEAD CERTAIN CRITERIA THAT HURT OTHER THINGS. THOSE HAVE TO BE CONSIDERED. IN DRAFTING THE VERSION, ULTIMATELY, THE FALLS ON THIS BODY AS ELECTED OFFICIALS BY THE PEOPLE. I THINK THAT IS KIND OF WHAT WE DO TO FIX THIS. AND I THINK THE IDEA IS THAT IF THE COUNCIL CONTINUES TO OVERTURN LANDMARK DECISIONS FOR CERTAIN REASONS HOPEFULLY THAT WILL SEND A MESSAGE TO LANDMARK. IT DOES KIND OF WORKOUT. THE PEOPLE WORKING ON THE COMMISSION ARE NOT GETTING A BIG PAYCHECK. THEY ARE DOING IT BECAUSE THEY CARE ABOUT THE COMMUNITY. AND THE LAST THING I WANT TO DO IS -- THERE ARE A LOT OF GREAT TREASURERS THROUGHOUT METRO GOVERNMENT AND METRO LOUISVILLE. I THINK COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER IS RIGHT TO HAVE THE LIST AND GROW. THERE HAS BEEN SEVERAL THINGS, IT'S BEEN FIVE YEARS AGO. THAT WE PUT IT IN PLACE. AND THINGS HAVE BEEN LANDMARKED. NOT ONLY DO THEY SAY IT'S HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND HOW CAN I PRESERVE IT? WHO IS GOING TO MAKE SURE IT'S DONE.

IT'S ONE THING TO RUBBER STAMP AND LET IT FALL DOWN ON ITSELF. ANOTHER TO MAKE SURE -- IT'S NOT AN EASY FIX. I THINK THIS IS THE PROCESS. I KNOW IT'S LONG. IT'S TROUBLESOME. A LOT TO GO THROUGH. BUT THERE IS THE PROCESS THAT SOMEONE HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO APPEAL TO THIS BODY AND MAKE A DECISION BASED ON THE LANGUAGE HERE. I SECONDED COUNCILMAN COAN'S AMENDMENT. IF THERE IS AN APPEAL, WHAT THE APPEAL WILL LIKELY SAY IS THAT WE GO WITHOUT THAT. FOR THE RECORD, IF WE'RE VOTING TO OVERTURN THIS, WE'RE VOTING TO OVERTURNING IT ON THE RECORD.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I'M NOT SURE HOW MUCH TIME WE HAVE BUT I'LL EXPLAIN MY ABSTENTION. I JUST POINT OUT I'M GOING TO ABSTAIN. I DO NOT WORKER FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES. I FEEL LIKE I COULD MAKE A DECISION BASED ON THE RECORD, I KNOW I COULD. BUT FOR THE SAKE OF APPEARANCES, BECAUSE I WORK FOR THE ARCHDIOCESE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. AND COUNCILMAN KRAMER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. AND TEACH AT MERCY ACADEMY. I'M IN ABUNDANCE OF CAUTION AND ABSTAIN. I DON'T BELIEVE IT'S NECESSARY BUT AGAIN, FOR PERCEPTION SAKE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. IS THERE ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE. THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED. STANDBY. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL. VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: YOU HAVE 19 YES. FOUR NO, TWO ABSTENTION AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THE ORDINANCE PASSES, THE RESOLUTION IS APPROVED. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 45.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, WE'RE GOING TO READ 46. APPROPRIATING \$16,900 FROM CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$10,000 FROM DISTRICT 22; \$1,000 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 7, 16, 20, AND 25; \$500 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 13, 14, AND 18; \$250 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 4, 8, 9, AND 19; AND \$200 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 6 AND 21; TO LOUISVILLE METRO PARKS TO DEMOLISH EXISTING BATHROOMS AND BUILD ADA COMPLIANT BATHROOMS IN FERN CREEK PARK. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. WE HAVE A MOTION BY COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN ENGEL. ANY DISCUSSION? COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

>> THIS ITEM WAS APPROVED IN APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE. WE KNOW THAT COUNCILMAN ENGEL OBTAINED ADDITIONAL SPONSORS, INCLUDING DISTRICT 12. I NEED TO MOVE THE ITEM, BECAUSE IT IS A CIF, AND USUALLY DOES NOT COME BEFORE THE COUNCIL, I NEED TO MOVE THAT THE ITEM BE RECONSIDERED AND AND HAVE ONE OF MY COLLEAGUES THAT VOTED IN FAVOR OF THE CIF IN THE COMMITTEE LIKE MAYBE COUNCILMAN PEDEN, SECOND THAT MOTION AND THEN WE CAN MOVE FORWARD AND IT.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN PEDEN. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE IT. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

>> YES. I THINK IF YOU CAN PASS IT ONTO COUNCILMAN ENGEL, HE KNOWS THE SPONSORS HE NEEDS TO ADD OR MAY BE IN THE QUEUE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILMAN ENGEL.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT AND APPROPRIATIONS CHAIR AND THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE FOR HEARING, SENDING THIS TO THE COUNCIL FOR RECONSIDERATION. AS WE'RE DOING THIS, BECAUSE IT'S NOT AN NDF, IT'S A CIF, THAT'S WHY WE'RE RECONSIDERING IT. I'M GRATEFUL TO MANY OF YOU IN THIS COUNCIL. WE HAD OVER 13 COUNCILMEMBERS ONLY THE FRONT END OF THIS. ADDITIONAL MEMBERS CALLING AND EMAILING TO CONTRIBUTE TO THIS. I WANT TO THANK ALSO COUNCILMEMBERS THAT HAVE LAUNCHED VARIOUS LEVELS OF THE MIRACLE LEAGUE THROUGHOUT METRO LOUISVILLE AT VARIOUS PARKS IN DIFFERENT AREAS. YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE. HOWEVER, THIS MIRACLE LEAGUE IS A MASSIVE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP WITH OVER A MILLION AND A HALF DOLLARS OF PRO BONO WORK PUT ON BY LOUISVILLE PAVING AND SUCH TO BUILD A WHEELCHAIR FRIENDLY, STATE OF THE ART TURF FIELD FOR PERSONS OF DISABILITY AT FERN CREEK PARK. DUG OUTS AND A SCORE BOARD, THIS IS A VERY PROFESSIONAL PROJECT, FOLKS. AND IN ADDITION, DELTA DENTAL PUT UP \$200,000 AND BUILT A BEAUTIFUL PLAY PARK. AND THE PLAYGROUND EOUIPMENT IS OUTSTANDING AND SECOND TO NONE. YOU'VE RECEIVED A HANDOUT, I THINK WE ALSO HANDED OUT AT THE 515 MEETING. ON PAGE 2 IT SHOWS ZIP CODES EACH OF THE COUNCILMEMBERS THAT HAVE PLAYERS ALREADY IN THIS LEAGUE AT FERN CREEK PARK. IT IS A TRUE METRO PROJECT. SECONDLY, THE LAST THING I WANT YOU TO LOOK AT IN THE PACKET IS THE BEFORE AND AFTER OF THE BATHROOMS. I CAN TELL YOU THOSE THAT HAVE COME TO FERN CREEK PARK, OVER 25 YEARS AGO, MY DAUGHTER PLAYING T-BALL, THE BATHROOMS HAVE NOT CHANGED. THEY ARE DEPLORABLE. SO THIS IS A BIG PROJECT. AND I'M ASKING FOR YOUR SUPPORT. I WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THAT COUNCIL MEMBER GEORGE BROUGHT A GREAT QUESTION TO THE 515, ABOUT THE LIMITS TO THE AMOUNT OF PLAYERS THAT CAN PLAY IN THIS LEAGUE. THE ANSWER IS NO LIMIT. WE RECEIVED THAT INFORMATION FROM THE LEAGUE. THE LEAGUE LAUNCHED THIS PAST SUMMER. THEY REQUESTED A FALL LEAGUE. THIS IS WIDE OPEN TO EACH OF YOU, COLLEAGUES, TO YOUR PERSON OF DISABILITY ORGANIZATIONS IN YOUR DISTRICT. BRING THEM ON BECAUSE THE LEAGUE IS GOING TO EXCEL TO SPRING, SUMMER, FALL OF 2020. SO I THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME. AND I WILL YIELD BACK TO MY COLLEAGUES WHO LOOK TO ADD TO THIS. THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILMAN PEDEN. DISTRICT 23, \$1,000.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: DISTRICT 23, \$1,000. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> DISTRICT 24 WOULD LIKE TO ADD \$1,000. AND ALSO, LITTLE LEAGUE HAS IF YEARS HAD PROBABLY THE FIRST FIELDS THEY PUT IN WERE FOR THE CHALLENGED LEAGUES. THEY AT ONE TIME WERE THE ONLY LEAGUES THAT ALLOW ANY ONE FROM WE USED TO SAY ONE TO 100 BECAUSE THEY HAD INSURANCE THAT COVERED ADULT PEOPLE IN THE CHALLENGED LEAGUE AND THEY HAVE DONE IT FOR YEARS. THEY ARE ONE OF FIRST TO START THE BUDDY SYSTEM WHERE THEY ACTUALLY HAVE OTHER PLAYERS WHO HELPED PUSH WHEELCHAIRS AROUND TO THE BASES SO THAT THE FOLKS COULD ENJOY THEIR SEVERALS. THERE IS ONE IN OKLAHOMA THAT'S BEEN THERE FOR YEARS.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. AND COUNCILMAN MULVIHILL.

>> DISTRICT WILL CONTRIBUTE 500-DOLLAR.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: 500 FROM DISTRICT 10. COUNCILWOMAN GREEN.

>> [OFF MIC] FOR YEARS AND JUST WONDERFUL PROGRAM. AND SO I'M EXCITED TO BE ABLE TO SUPPORT ANOTHER PROGRAM LIKE THIS. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN. COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. AND COUNCIL MEMBER ENGEL. WE WILL LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCIL MEMBER FOWLER.

>> \$500 PLEASE FROM DISTRICT 14.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN. AND COUNCILWOMAN DORSEY.

>> THANK YOU, MR. CHAIR. DISTRICT 3 WOULD LIKE TO ADD \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: \$500 FOR DISTRICT 3. THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN. AND COUNCILMAN FOX.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WOULD LIKE TO COMMEND ME FRIEND AND COLLEAGUE, COUNCIL MEMBER ENGEL AND INCREASE DISTRICT 13'S DISTRICT BY \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: INCREASE TO \$500. THANK YOU, COUNCIL MEMBER. AND COUNCIL MEMBER KRAMER.

>> 500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: 500 FROM DISTRICT 11. COUNCIL MEMBER WINKLER.

>> 250 FROM DISTRICT 17.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: 250 FROM DISTRICT 17. COUNCILMAN ENGEL.

>> COUNCILWOMAN SHANKLIN WANTED TO PUT \$500. SHE'S NOT HERE BUT SHE WANTED ME TO MAKE SURE THAT WAS ON THERE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCILWOMAN SHANKLIN, \$500. THANK YOU. AND COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

>> DISTRICT 12, \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: DISTRICT 12, \$500.

>> INCREASE TO \$1,000 PLEASE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: INCREASE FROM 250 TO 750. ADDING \$500 FROM THE DISTRICT. THANK YOU.

>> MADAM CLERK: \$24,900.

>> MR. PRESIDENT, I WOULD LIKE TO MOVE THOSE AMENDMENTS.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MOTION BY COUNCILMAN ENGEL, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN PEDEN. ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE AMENDMENT, SAY AYE. OPPOSED. THE AYES HAVE IT. THE AMENDMENT IS ON THE FLOOR. ANY DISCUSSION ON THE AMENDED ORDINANCE? HEARING NONE, 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.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, 24 YES, AND TWO NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES.

>> THANK YOU, COLLEAGUES, VERY MUCH. APPRECIATE IT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 47. A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE JEFFERSON COUNTY CLERK'S 2020 BUDGET.

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: WE HAVE A MOTION BY COUNCILMAN FOX, SECOND BY COUNCILMAN BENSON. WE HAVE A MOTION BEFORE US. COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER FOR DISCUSS.

>> THIS IS THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE JEFFERSON COUNTY CLERK, WE HAVE A HOUSING KEEPING MATTER. WE APPROVED THIS UNANIMOUSLY, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR. BUT WE APPROVED THE BUDGET PRIOR TO IT BEING AMENDED BY THE CLERK. CLERK HAD SEND THIS OVER, WE HAD AMENDMENT BY ASSUMPTION IN THE SYSTEM BUT DIDN'T APPROVE IT. IF YOU GO TO YOUR SYSTEM, YOU WILL SEE PROPOSED R-163-19 MOTION BY ASSUMPTION. I RECOMMEND WE SUBSTITUTE FOR WHAT WE'RE APPROVING,

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>> PRESIDENT JAMES: A SECOND BY COUNCILMAN PEDEN. ANY DISCUSSION ON THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT? ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE AMENDMENT PASSES. COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER.

>> THIS IS THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY CLERK. WE APPROVE THAT BUDGET AVENUE YEAR. WE APPROVE THE JEFFERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S BUDGET. I WOULD KFOR APPROVAL OF THIS BUDGET AS WELL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE, THIS IS A RESOLUTION. WE CAN DO A VOICE VOTE. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE IT. THE RESOLUTION PASSES. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 48.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT REQUIRING THE PARKING AUTHORITY OF RIVER CITY, INC. ("PARC") TO ISSUE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR A CONSULTANT TO STUDY THE EXPANSION OF ON STREET PARKING METERS SPECIFICALLY EVALUATING IMPLEMENTATION BY PRIVATIZATION PUBLIC OPERATION AND PARTNERSHIP THEREOF; AND TO STUDY COMPLETE PRIVATIZATION OF CURRENT AND PROPOSED EXPANSION OF ON STREET PARKING METERS. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MOTION BY COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER. COUNCILMAN YATES.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS A AN ORDINANCE WE'VE BEEN DISCUSSING FOR QUITE SOME TIME. THE ONE BEFORE US IS A VERY SMALL DISCUSSION. BEFORE US IS REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL OF CONSULTANT TO GIVE US THE INFORMATION WE NEED IN ORDER TO MAKE A DECISION ON WHETHER OR NOT WE SHOULD BE EXPANDING PARKING METERS IN CERTAIN AREAS. THIS ORDINANCE WILL REQUIRE A CONSULTANT TO STUDY EXPANSION OF ON-STREET PARKING METERS, OFF STREET, AND COMBINATION OF THE TWO AND WHETHER OR NOT IT SHOULD BE A PRIVATE COMPANY OR A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO. AND SO WE'VE DISCUSSED IT. WE ARE GOING TO HAVE A SCOPE OF WORK. IF THERE ARE A COUPLE OF SMALL CHANGES THAT I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE. THE FIRST IS UNDER SECTION 5, EVERYONE SHOULD HAVE A PRINT OUT. IT MAKES IT EASY. THIS IS JUST ON THE ORDINANCE. UNDER SECTION 4, IT'S GOING TO STATE, PARKS SHALL REVIEW AND CONSULTANT WITH METRO COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND CHAIR OF LABOR AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE IN DETERMINATION OF THE ACCEPTANCE OR REFUSAL OF EACH SUBMITTED BID. THAT IS SIMPLY, SOMETHING WE KNOW WE TALKED ABOUT. CONSULTING TALKING ABOUT. WE PULLED BACK AND SAID WE'RE NOT GOING TO HAVE THAT AS A REQUIREMENT. THERE WAS WORRY ABOUT THE COMMUNICATION. I'VE TALKED TO AN ADMINISTRATION ON IT. I DON'T

THINK IT'S GOING TO BE AN ISSUE BUT PEACE OF MIND. FOR EACH BID THAT SAID NO, THIS COUNCIL HAS A COMMUNICATION AND UNDERSTANDING. AND WHICH BID IS ACCEPTED AS WELL. OTHER PARTS WILL BE AN AMENDMENT PROPOSED. AND THIS WILL BE UNDER THE ATTACHED SCOPE OF WORK ON THE LIST. AND THIS WAS FROM AN EMAIL IN DISCUSSION BY COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER. THE FRIENDLY AMENDMENT. THIS WILL BE UNDER THE SCOPE OF WORK. AND THERE WILL BE ADD A NEW PARAGRAPH TO TASK ONE, THE REQUEST PROPOSAL SCOPE OF WORK. IT WILL SIMPLY SAY, RECEIVE INPUT FROM BUSINESSES, BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS AND NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATIONS WHERE NEW METER AND NEW METERED SPACES ARE CONTEMPLATED REGARDING IMPACT, SUPPORT, OPPOSITION AND QUESTIONS RELATED TO THE METERS. COUNCILMAN HOLLANDER REQUESTED IT. MOSTLY TO MAKE SURE THE BUSINESSES AND THOSE AROUND ARE CONSULTED AND I THINK THAT WE ALL AGREE THE CONSULTANT WOULD PROBABLY DO THAT ANYWAY. BUT I THINK FOR TO MAKE SURE THE CONSTITUENTS WHO WILL BE IMPACTED WILL HAVE SAY SO. AND AT LEAST BE CONSULTED. ANOTHER ONE ADDING A NEW PARAGRAPH 4 TO TASK ONE OF THE REOUESTED SCOPE OF WORK. TO IMPLEMENTATION OF DYNAMIC PRICING, COUNCIL MEMBER COAN HAD BROUGHT THAT UP SEVERAL TIMES. IT'S SOMETHING WE EXPECT TO BE IN THE SCOPE OF WORK. OUT OF CAUTION, WANTED THAT WRITTEN IN. A NEW SUBSECTION C, PARAGRAPH 5. TO TASK ONE OF THE REQUEST OF PROPOSAL SCOPE OF WORK. WOULD FALL IN LINE BY SAYING 5. B, TO MAKE THE CLEAR TO AS PRESENTED. THE FINAL PART WOULD BE IN ADD A NEW PARAGRAPH 2 TO TASK 2 OF THE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL SCOPE OF WORK. THIS IS AGAIN COUNCILMAN COAN HAD BROUGHT IT UP IN OUR COMMITTEE IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE TO EXAMINE EXISTING DATA ON MUNICIPALITIES THAT HAVE INSTITUTED PARKING BENEFIT DISTRICTS, PROVIDE EXAMPLES OF MUNICIPALITIES THAT HAVE BOTH NON-PRIVATIZED AND PRIVATIZED PARKING METERS AND PARK BENEFIT DISTRICTS. THEY PROVIDE THAT INFORMATION SO WE CAN MAKE A DECISION. WITH THAT, MR. PRESIDENT, I WOULD MOVE THAT AS AN AMENDMENT.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: MOVE BY COUNCILMAN YATES, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN PEDEN. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE AMENDMENT? ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE IT FOR THE AMENDMENT. COUNCILMAN YATES.

>> COLLEAGUES, I'M NOT GOING TO BELABOR THIS. I KNOW WE DISCUSSED IT AT LENGTH. THIS WILL GIVE US THE INFORMATION WE NEED TO FIND WAYS TO GENERATED MUCH-NEEDED REVENUE. NO ONE LIKES ANY KIND OF TAXES AT ALL. IT'S AN INCONVENIENCE TO HAVE PARKING METERS BUT WE'RE MAKING TOUGH CHOICES AND TRYING TO AVOID A TAX DISCUSSION AT THIS COUNCIL LEVEL. A LONG TIME AGO, IT SEEMS LIKE, MR. PRESIDENT, WITH THE COMMITTEE, HAD TO FIND WAYS TO GENERATE REVENUE. THIS IS THE LOWEST HANGING FRUIT TO GENERATE A FEW MILLION DOLLARS YEAR IN AND YEAR OUT. I THINK IT'S IT WOULD BE A START DECISION FOR THIS COUNCIL TO GET THE INFORMATION WE NEED TO MAKE AN INFORMED DECISION. I WOULD ASK FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? COUNCILWOMAN SEXTON SMITH.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WANT TO THANK MY COLLEAGUES FOR THE INTENSE EFFORTS PUT INTO THIS. AND WITH THESE ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS. DISTRICT 4 THAT I REPRESENT, NOT ALL BUT THE VAST MAJORITY ARE A LARGE PORTION OF THE METERED PARKING IN THIS DISTRICT. ALTHOUGH, I HAD A NUMBER OF QUESTIONS AS WE CAME THROUGH THAT, I AM GOING TO BE VOTING IN FAVOR OF THIS THIS EVENING. HOWEVER, AS WE THINK ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF PUBLIC PARKING BENEFITS, THE QUESTION I WONDER IS HOW WILL THIS EFFECT IF WE DO ALLOCATE THE REVENUE OR PORTIONS THEREOF TO ANY NEW METERS, WILL WE BE TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION WHERE THE REVENUE GOES FROM THE EXISTING METERS? CURRENTLY, I'M INCLINED TO THINK WE NEED TO BE THINKING ABOUT THE OVERALL LOUISVILLE METRO BUDGET. IF WE STAND TO GENERATE SEVERAL MILLION DOLLARS, I HOPE WE FIND A WAY TO LOOK AT THAT HOLISTICALLY WITH ENTIRE BUDGET. I WAS A LITTLE BIT SURPRISED IT WAS STATED THIS HAS THE POSSIBILITY OF A FEW MILLION DOLLARS IN REVENUE, WHICH I SIMPLY REPEATED NOW IN MY COMMENT. BECAUSE I THOUGHT THE WHOLE PURPOSE OF THIS WAS TO HAVE A STUDY TO HELP US KNOW WHAT THE POSSIBILITIES WOULD BE. SO I THINK IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT FOR ANYONE WHO IS LISTENING TO UNDERSTAND THAT WE AS A BODY DON'T

YET KNOW WHAT THE ADDITIONAL REVENUE WOULD OR WOULD NOT BE. I'LL MAYBE REGRET REPEATING THE COMMENT. I'M TRYING TO BE AS TRANSPARENT AND HELP EVERYONE UNDERSTAND WHO IS LISTENING. I THINK THIS COULD GENERATE A LOT OF CONVERSATION IN THE COMMUNITY. THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, 25 YES VOTES, AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 49.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF INTERNAL AUDIT OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL IMPACT STATEMENT OF THE PARKING AUTHORITY OF RIVER CITY INC. ("PARC") REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR A CONSULTANT TO STUDY THE EXPANSION OF ON STREET PARKING METERS, SPECIFICALLY EVALUATING IMPLEMENTATION BY PRIVATIZATION, PUBLIC OPERATION AND PARTNERSHIP THEREOF AND TO STUDY COMPLETE PRIVATIZATION OF CURRENT AND PROPOSED EXPANSION OF ON STREET PARKING METERS. READ IN FULL.

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. WE HAVE A MOTION BY COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN ENGEL. COUNCILMAN YATES FOR DISCUSSION.

>> WE FILED THIS IN CAUTION IN CASE THERE WAS IMPACT. I THINK THE FINANCIAL IMPACT MAYBE NECESSARY ONCE CONSULTANT COMES BACK WITH THE INFORMATION SO WE COULD HAVE -- WITH THAT, I'LL WITHDRAWAL MY SPONSORSHIP.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: ITEM 49 HAS LOST SPONSORSHIP. AND IT WILL DIE. WE'LL NOT VOTE ON IT. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 50.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM R-6 RESIDENTIAL MULTI-FAMILY AND OR-2 OFFICE-RESIDENTIAL TO C-2 COMMERCIAL ON PROPERTY LOCATED --

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THIS WAS THE ONE THAT -- RIGHT. SO WE AT THE REQUEST OF THE SPONSOR, WE'RE GOING TO HOLD THIS AT THE COUNCIL LEVEL. AND THEN WE'LL GET MORE INFORMATION AND MOVE FORWARD WITH THAT. OKAY. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 51.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM C-2 COMMERCIAL TO PDD PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2294, 2300, 2338, (TB 74A LOTS 12 & 15), & 2340 LEXINGTON ROAD & 2501, 2503, 2509, 2511, & 2515 GRINSTEAD DRIVE CONTAINING 3.523 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO (CASE NO. 16ZONE1044) (AS AMENDED). READ IN FULL. >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. WE HAVE A MOTION BY COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN PEDEN. UP FOR DISCUSSION. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS IS -- THIS CHANGE IN ZONING THAT STARTED IN 2016 WAS IN THE 12 NEIGHBORHOOD MEETINGS FROM JUNE OF '16 TO APRIL OF 2019. TWO PUBLIC HEARINGS. ONE WAS A NIGHT HEARING THAT LASTED WAY UP UNTIL ABOUT MID-NIGHT. 46 PEOPLE SPOKE. 31 AGAINST. THE COMMISSION WAS 4-0. ONCE IT GOT TO OUR COMMITTEE, WE CHANGED A FEW BINDING ELEMENTS. I WOULD LIKE TO GO OVER THOSE SO THAT PEOPLE THAT ARE WATCHING TONIGHT WILL KNOW. BINDING ELEMENT NUMBER 7, THE FIRST SENTENCE, THERE WAS AFTER OR RENTED ADDED IN COMPARABLE AND ALL RESPECT TO THE MARKET RATE UNITS SHALL COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING. THAT HAS TO DO WITH THE 5% AFFORDABLE HOUSING UNITS THAT SHALL BE AVAILABLE ON THAT PROPERTY. AND DOWN IN THE VERY LAST PARAGRAPH. AFTER AFFORDABLE UNITS, COMMA, SHALL CERTIFY THE DEVELOPER, OWNER SHALL MAKE A GOOD FAITH EFFORT TO VERIFY THE TENANT PURCHASERS WERE INCOME LEVEL AT THE TIME OF RENTAL OR PURCHASE. A FOLLOW LAST SENTENCE ADDED TO THAT PARAGRAPH THAT READ, PRIOR TO FILLING ANY AFFORDABLE UNITS THE DEVELOPER/OWNER SHALL WORK WITH PLANNING AND DESIGN TO DEVELOP PROVISIONS THAT WILL COVER SUBSEQUENT TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP FOR 15 YEARS FROM THE DATE OF CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY FOR SUCH UNITS AGREE AGREED TO PRIOR TO. BINDING 11 AS IT REFERS TO A COPY OF SURVEY INCLUDING

PHOTOGRAPHS, WE ADDED AND VIDEO AND A BRAND-NEW BINDING ELEMENT 12, ANY CHANGES IN THE BINDING ELEMENT SHALL REQUIRE A PUBLIC HEARING AT THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND FINAL APPROVAL BY THE METRO COUNCIL. THIS IS IN COUNCILMAN COAN'S DISTRICT, WHO DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE DISCUSSION. HE ACTUALLY LEFT THE COMMITTEE WHEN WE WERE DISCUSSING IT AND DID NOT RETURN BACK UNTIL AFTER WE HAD DISCUSSED IT. SO I DON'T THINK, THERE IS NO ONE TO REFER TO FOR THIS PROPERTY.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. I THINK COUNCILMAN COAN WISHES TO SPEAK.

>> YEAH, THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. AND THANK YOU, COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD. I INTEND TO ABSTAIN FROM THIS AND THE NEXT ITEM, THAT WE'LL BE CONSIDERING. PRIOR TO MY TIME IN OFFICE, I PERFORM WORK FOR THE DEVELOPERS, ON THE SUBJECT PROPERTIES. SO I'M RECUSING MYSELF FROM DEBATE OR VOTE IN ORDER TO AVOID THE APPEARANCE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILMAN PIAGENTINI.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. COLLEAGUES AND FELLOW CITIZENS, THIS ORDINANCE FOR ME IS A RARE MOMENT WHERE WE HAVE A PIECE OF LEGISLATION. WE'RE SENT A MESSAGE LARGER THAN THE SIMPLE ACT OF VOTING AND APPROVING IT AND VOTING AYE OR NAY. I MADE NO SECRET OF STRATEGIC GOALS SINCE I WAS ELECTED TO PREPARE THIS CITY FOR THE FUTURE. THAT INCLUDES MAKING THE CITY AN EASY PLACE TO DO BUSINESS AND A PLACE WHERE WE GROW BOTH COMMERCIALLY AND RESIDENTIALLY AS WE PREPARE FOR THE FUTURE. AS I PURSUED THIS GOAL AND I THINK THIS PERTAINS TO SOME OF THE PREVIOUS CONVERSATIONS AROUND THE LANDMARK'S COMMISSION, I HAVE BEEN HONESTLY APPALLED BY THOSE WHO FIGHT AGAINST ANY SEMBLANCE OF CONSTRUCTIVE DEVELOPMENT MASKED UNDER ALTERNATIVE PREFIXED. WHETHER IT'S SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENTS OR NEW ENTERTAINMENT CENTERS, THERE IS A SMALL MINORITY OF RESIDENTS, SHORT ON SOLUTIONS. INSTEAD OF INVESTING THEIR OWN MONEY, OR INCREASE RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT TO RETAIN THE WORKFORCE OF THE FUTURE, THEY SIMPLY COMPLAIN AND BLOCK CRITICAL GROWTH TO CREATE THE CITY OF THE FUTURE. WHEN I THINK OF THE INVESTS WHO RISK MILLIONS OF DOLLARS TO IMPROVE OUR COMMUNITY, WHO PAY SALARIES, WHO BUY EQUIPMENT, WHO DO ALL OF THAT, PAY EVERYBODY ELSE, AND BENEFIT EVERYBODY ELSE BEFORE THEY RECEIVE \$1 OF REVENUE. THESE ARE THE PEOPLE CREATING SOLUTIONS TO IMPROVE OUR CITY. PUBLIC INPUT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT. AND SHOULD ALWAYS BE PART OF THE PROCESS. WE AS LEADERS, MUST NOT LET THIS VOTE GO THROUGH. I'M SENDING THE MESSAGE AND I HOPE MY COLLEAGUES JOIN ME, THAT SAYING FOR THE FUTURE, THIS CITY IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS. I WANT TO SAY, WELCOME, TO ANY INVESTOR LOOKING TO INVEST IN THIS CITY. I HOPE IN THE NEAR FUTURE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE ADMINISTRATION, WE CAN TAKE A HARDER LOOK AT THE PROCESS BUSINESSES HAVE TO GO THROUGH, PARTICULARLY SMALL AND LOCAL BUSINESS, AND DEMONSTRATE THROUGH ACTION AS WELL AS WORDS THE CITY IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS

AND ACKNOWLEDGE RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL GROWTH AS THE KEY TO OUR FUTURE. WE ACKNOWLEDGE INVESTORS AND RISK TAKERS ARE CRITICAL TO OUR FUTURE. AND I'M GOING TO BE IN SUPPORT OF THIS. THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. IS THERE ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE CALLING FOR A ROLL CALL VOTE. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, 24 YES VOTES AND ONE ABSTENTION.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF 41.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AN UNNAMED ALLEY EAST OF ETLEY AVENUE AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO, CASE NUMBER 18STREETS1021.

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> THIS IS A COMPANION PIECE. THE CLOSING ON UNNAMED ALLEY. WE NEED TO ALLOW COUNCILMAN COAN TO ABSTAIN. >> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT AND MADAM CHAIR. FOR THE SAME REASONS THAT I EXPRESSED IN THE LAST ORDER, I WILL REPEAT MY ABSTENTION. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE. CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING. WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 24 YES, ONE ABSTENTION AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. READING OF ITEM 52.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING FROM R-4 RESIDENTIAL MULTI-FAMILY AND OR-2 OFFICE-RESIDENTIAL TO C-2 COMMERCIAL ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 768, 810, AND 850 BARRET AVENUE AND 1236 EAST BRECKENRIDGE STREET CONTAINING 9.6742 ACRES AND BEING IN LOUISVILLE METRO (CASE NO. 19ZONE0046) (AS AMENDED). READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MOTION BY COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN TRIPLETT.

>> TO ALLOW A 46,000 SQUARE FOOT MINI STORAGE AREA WITH A SMALL OFFICE LOCATED AT THE REAR OF AN EXISTING ACTIVITY CENTER. OBTAINED THROUGH A CROSS OVER AGREEMENT ON WEST PORT ROAD. ACCESS TO THE ROAD WILL BE GATED WITH RESTRICTED GATES AT TWO POINTS. ONLY ALLOWED FOR EMERGENCY VEHICLES TO ENTER THE PROPERTY. AND THIS IS IN COUNCILMAN WINKLER'S DISTRICT, WHO OFFERED TWO BINDING ELEMENTS AT THE COMMITTEE LEVEL. YOU CAN REFER TO HIM.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCILMAN WINKLER.

>> WHILE ZONED RESIDENTIAL, IT'S A HEAVY COMMERCIAL DISTRICT. ISSUE MOVING IT FORWARD. THE BINDING ELEMENT BASICALLY ARTICULATE ANY SIGNIFICANT CHANGES TO WHAT IS PROPOSED IT WILL COME BACK BEFORE COUNCIL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: OKAY. THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? I LIKE YOUR ARTWORK, COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER. HEARING NO DISCUSSION. THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. CLERK, PLEASE OPEN THE ROLL CALL FOR VOTING. WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 25 YES VOTES. AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 54.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING [\$5,100] \$7,100 IN NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$3,600 FROM DISTRICT 17; \$1,000 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 10 AND 15; \$500 FROM DISTRICT 25 AND \$250 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 8, 9, 14, AND 21; TO CAMP KESEM NATIONAL IN SUPPORT OF THE NEW CAMP CHAPTER AT BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY TO SERVE CHILDREN OF CANCER PATIENTS (AS AMENDED). READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU.

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: A MOTION BE COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY TRIPLETT. THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

>> THIS ORDINANCE WAS PASSED IN COMMITTEE AND SENT TO OLD BUSINESS TO ADD ADDITIONAL SPONSORS. COUNCILMAN IS THE WINKLER. WE'RE AT 7100.

>> AS COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL MENTIONED, THE ORGANIZATION THAT PROVIDES FREE CAMP, THEY CONNECT COLLEGE STUDENTS TO CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS ARE SUFFERING FROM CANCER. IT'S A GREAT ORGANIZATION. THERE IS A CHAPTER AT UK CURRENTLY. THE NUMBER OF KIDS FROM JEFFERSON COUNTY GO TO UK. THEY ARE WAIT LISTED BECAUSE OF DEMAND IN LEXINGTON. I WOULD ASK FOR ADDITIONAL SUPPORT.

>> \$500 FROM DISTRICT 22.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: 500 FROM DISTRICT 22. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. \$1,000 FROM DISTRICT 24.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. AND COUNCILMAN PIAGENTINI.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. \$1,000 FROM DISTRICT 19.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: \$1,000 FROM DISTRICT 19. AND COUNCILMAN BENSON.

>> 500 FROM DISTRICT 20.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, SIR. AND COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WOULD LIKE TO INCREASE MINE TO \$250 FOR A TOTAL OF \$500.

>> INCREASE FOR A TOTAL OF 500 FOR COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: MADAM CLERK, WHERE DOES THAT LEAVE US? >> MADAM CLERK: \$10,350.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. AND COUNCILMAN WINKLER, IS THAT IN THE FORM OF A MOTION?

>> MOTION.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: SECOND. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THE AYES HAVE IT. THE AMENDED ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. IS THE FURTHER DISCUSSION? HEARING NONE, THIS IS AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, THERE ARE 25 YES VOTES AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. THE ORDINANCE PASSES. MADAM CLERK, A READING OF ITEM 55.

>> MADAM CLERK: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING [\$4,000] \$11,050 FROM NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$4,000 FROM DISTRICT 14; \$2,000 FROM DISTRICT 9; \$1,000 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 1, 15, AND 25; \$800 FROM DISTRICT 21; \$500 EACH FROM DISTRICTS 4 AND 12; \$250 FROM DISTRICT 8; THROUGH THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, TO LOUISVILLE ASSET BUILDING COALITION, INC. FOR OPERATING EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH COORDINATING THE VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (VITA) (AS AMENDED). READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. MOTION BY COUNCILMAN BENSON, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN PEDEN. THE ORDINANCE IS BEFORE US. COUNCILMAN BLACKWELL.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS TOO WAS AMENDED IN COMMITTEE TO ADD ADDITIONAL SPONSORS. SO IT GOES TO OLD BUSINESS. THE CURRENT AMOUNT IS 11050, AND THE REQUESTED WAS \$30,000. COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER IS THE PRIMARY SPONSOR AND MAY WANT TO SPEAK TO THIS.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. AS YOU MAY OR MAY NOT KNOW, I HAVE BEEN A VOLUNTEER WITH THE PROGRAM FOR 15 YEARS. AND IT HAS BEEN A WONDERFUL EXPERIENCE. AND I SEE EVERY TIME I DO ONE OF THEIR RETURNS HOW MUCH IT MEANS TO THE PEOPLE THAT DON'T HAVE TO SPEND \$300 TO GET THEIR TAXES DONE. AND IT IS JUST A WONDERFUL PROGRAM. AND I REALLY WOULD APPRECIATE ANY AND ALL CONTRIBUTIONS YOU CAN MAKE TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT. THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN FLOOD.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. DISTRICT 24 WOULD LIKE TO PUT IN \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: \$500 FROM DISTRICT 24. THANK YOU, MA'AM. AND COUNCILMAN MULVIHILL.

>> DISTRICT 10, \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, COUNCILMAN. AND COUNCILMAN PIAGENTINI.

>> DISTRICT 19 WILL CONTRIBUTE \$250 PLEASE.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: DISTRICT 19, \$250, THANK YOU, SIR. COUNCILMAN WINKLER.

>> DISTRICT 17 FOR \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, SIR. COUNCILMAN FOX.

>> MR. PRESIDENT, \$500, DISTRICT 13.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: \$500 FOR DISTRICT NUMBER 13. THANK YOU, SIR. COUNCILMAN ENGEL.

>> \$500 FROM DISTRICT 22.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, SIR. AND COUNCILWOMAN MCCRANEY.

>> YES, I WOULD LIKE DISTRICT 7 WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE \$500.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. \$500 FROM DISTRICT 7. THANK YOU, MA'AM. AND COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

>> YES. COUNCILWOMAN SHANKLIN WANTED ME TO ASK FOR \$500 TO BE ADDED FROM DISTRICT 2 PLEASE. >> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER, \$500 FOR DISTRICT 2. THANK YOU. AND COUNCILMAN BENSON.

>> THANK YOU, \$250 FOR DISTRICT 20.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, SIR. AND COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER.

>> YES, THANK YOU, ALL FOR YOUR ADDITIONAL HELP. THANKS.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. AND THEN DISTRICT NUMBER 6, \$250 PLEASE. MADAM CLERK.

>> MADAM CLERK: \$15,050.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK. COUNCILWOMAN FOWLER, DO YOU WISH TO MAKE A MOTION?

>> YES. TO ACCEPT THOSE AMENDMENTS.

>> SECOND.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. WE HAVE A SECOND BY COUNCILMAN ENGEL. ALL IN FAVOR, SAY, "AYE." OPPOSED? THANK YOU. THE AYES HAVE IT. THE AMENDMENT PASSES. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE AMENDED ORDINANCE? HEARING NONE, THIS IS A ORDINANCE REQUIRING A ROLL CALL VOTE. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE OPEN THE VOTING? WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE VOTING IS CLOSING. AND THE VOTING IS CLOSED.

>> MADAM CLERK: MR. PRESIDENT, YOU HAVE 25 YES VOTES AND ONE NOT VOTING.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK, THE ORDINANCE PASSES. WE'LL BE MOVING INTO NEW BUSINESS. I WOULD LIKE TO WISH MY COLLEAGUES A HAPPY HOLIDAY AND HAPPY NEW YEAR. AND I WILL SEE YOU NEXT YEAR. AS YOU LEAVE, PLEASE DO SO QUIETLY SO THE CLERK MAY READ NEW BUSINESS. I ASK THOSE COUNCILMEMBERS THAT WISH TO MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS REMAIN UNTIL AFTER NEW BUSINESS IS READ INTO THE RECORD, COMPRISING 56 THROUGH 70. WILL THE CLERK PLEASE READ THOSE ITEMS AND THEIR ASSIGNMENTS TO A COMMITTEE.

>> MADAM CLERK: FOLLOWING LEGISLATION ASSIGNED TO THE APPROPRIATION. ITEM 55. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 81, SERIES 2019 AND ORDINANCE NO. 82, SERIES 2019 RELATING TO THE FISCAL YEAR 2019-20 OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGETS, RESPECTIVELY, BY TRANSFERRING \$130,000 FROM THE DISTRICT 16 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUND TO THE DISTRICT 16 CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUND. ITEM 57. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$25,100 FROM DISTRICT 5 NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS, THROUGH DEVELOP LOUISVILLE, TO THE METRO HOUSING RESOURCE CENTER FOR EMERGENCY HOME REPAIRS. ITEM 58. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$8,250 IN NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: \$5,000 FROM DISTRICT 12; \$2,000 FROM DISTRICT 14; \$1,000 FROM DISTRICT 15; AND \$250 FROM DISTRICT 19; TO METRO PARKS FOR THE 2020 RIVERVIEW INDEPENDENCE FESTIVAL. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE BUDGET COMMITTEE. ITEM 59. AN ORDINANCE OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT (THE "METRO

GOVERNMENT" OR THE "ISSUER"), PROVIDING FOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF CERTAIN GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES OF THE METRO GOVERNMENT IN ONE OR MORE SERIES TO FINANCE THE COSTS OF THE PUBLIC PROJECTS AS DESCRIBED IN METRO GOVERNMENT'S FISCAL YEAR 2019-20 CAPITAL PROJECT BUDGET; SETTING FORTH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS ON WHICH THE BONDS AND NOTES ARE TO BE ISSUED AND PROVIDING FOR A COMPETITIVE, ADVERTISED SALE THEREOF; DEFINING AND PROVIDING FOR THE RIGHTS OF THE HOLDERS OF THE BONDS AND NOTES AND PROVIDING FOR THE APPLICATION OF THE PROCEEDS THEREOF; AND TAKING OTHER RELATED ACTION RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF THE BONDS AND NOTES. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES. ITEM 60. A RESOLUTION AMENDING SECTION 4.07 OF THE RULES OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT COUNCIL TO GIVE METRO COUNCIL THE OPTION OF REQUESTING A FINANCIAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON RESOLUTIONS PENDING BEFORE COUNCIL. THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATION WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE LABOR AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE. ITEM 61. A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO THE CAPITAL AND OPERATING BUDGET ORDINANCES APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION TO FUND THE FOLLOWING NONCOMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT FOR LMPD CONCERNING CLINICAL FORENSIC MEDICINE OF LIVING PEOPLE -(UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE - \$125,000.00). ITEM 62. A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE GRANTING OF LOCAL INCENTIVES TO TTA, LLC AND ANY SUBSEQUENT ASSIGNEES OR APPROVED AFFILIATES THEREOF PURSUANT TO

KRS CHAPTER 154, SUBCHAPTER 32. ITEM 63. A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 38, SERIES 2014, REGARDING THE GRANTING OF LOCAL INCENTIVES TO RXC ACQUISTION COMPANY DBA RXCROSSROADS PURSUANT TO KRS CHAPTER 154, SUBCHAPTER 32, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL APPROVED AFFILIATE OF RXCROSSROADS 3PL, LLC, AND TO APPROVE OF ANY SUBSEQUENT ASSIGNEES OR APPROVED AFFILIATES THEREOF. ITEM 64. A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 117, SERIES 2012, REGARDING THE GRANTING OF LOCAL INCENTIVES TO RXC ACOUISTION COMPANY DBA RXCROSSROADS PURSUANT TO KRS CHAPTER 154, SUBCHAPTER 32, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL APPROVED AFFILIATE OF RXCROSSROADS 3PL, LLC, AND TO APPROVE OF ANY SUBSEQUENT ASSIGNEES OR APPROVED AFFILIATES THEREOF. ITEM 65. A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 38, SERIES 2014, REGARDING THE GRANTING OF LOCAL INCENTIVES TO RXC ACQUISTION COMPANY DBA RXCROSSROADS PURSUANT TO KRS CHAPTER 154, SUBCHAPTER 32. THE FOLLOWING WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE. ITEM 69. AN ORDINANCE DEDICATING TO THE CITY OF BELLEMEADE THE PORTION OF NORTH CHADWICK ROAD BETWEEN SHELBYVILLE ROAD AND WHIPPS MILL ROAD THAT LIES WITHIN THE CITY OF BELLEMEADE SO THAT THE RESPONSIBILITY, CONTROL AND MAINTENANCE WILL BE BORNE BY THE CITY OF BELLEMADE. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT \$203,000 OF FUNDING FROM THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET FOR THE CONSTRUCTION PHASE FOR THE KENWOOD ELEMENTARY SAFE ROUTES TO

SCHOOL PROJECT ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS & ASSETS. READ IN FULL.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK. NEXT WE HAVE ANNOUNCEMENTS. COUNCILWOMAN SEXTON SMITH.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. THIS COMING SATURDAY EVENING, THERE IS GOING TO BE A SPECTACULAR CELEBRATION IN DISTRICT 4. THE 30THANNIVERSARY OF THE WEST LOUISVILLE PERFORMING ARTS ACADEMY, THE WEST LOUISVILLE BOYS AND GIRLS CHOIR, FORMERLY. IT WAS STARTED OBVIOUSLY 30 YEARS AGO IN THIS COMMUNITY. AND IT HAS SPENT ALL THESE YEARS FILLING HOPE IN THE HEARTS OF CHILDREN AND GIVING THEM A VISION THAT MANY OF THEM COULD NOT HAVE CREATED ON THEIR OWN. THEY ARE GOING TO COLLEGE, SOME OPENING THEIR OWN BUSINESSES OR GROWING THEIR OWN FAMILIES. WE EVEN HAVE BABIES NOW FROM THE BABIES OF THE WEST LOUISVILLE BOYS AND GIRLS CHOIR. I WANT TO PUBLICLY RECOGNIZE THOSE MEN AND WOMEN AND ALL OF THE LEADERS THAT STOOD BY THEM FOR MANY YEARS. MR. MCDANIEL BLUET AND HIS WIFE THE COFOUNDERS OF THE CHOIRS WILL BE HONORED AT THE EVENT. THERE ARE MANY FOLKS COMING IN FROM AROUND THE COUNTRY. AND I SPENT THE LAST WEEK LOCATING SEVERAL OF THE YOUNG FELLAHS WHO ARE NOW APPROACHING 39 YEARS OLD. WHO ARE IN THAT VERY FIRST CHOIR. SO THAT WILL BE A SPECTACULAR EVENT AT THE OMNI HOTEL AS IT SHOULD BE BECAUSE OUR CHILDREN SHOULD CELEBRATE IN THE PREMIER HOTEL UP OUR COMMUNITY. SATURDAY MORNING, THE BUTCHER SHOP, THE COUNTRY MEAT COMPANY THAT IS COMING TO THE LOGAN

STREET MARKET. WE'VE HAD A COUPLE LITTLE STEPS BEFORE WE COULD GET THEM OPEN. AND THEY ARE GOING TO BE OPEN AND RUNNING. AND NOW THE LOGAN STREET MARKET WILL BE COMPLETE. AND YES, THE FOUNDERS OF THE MEAT MARKET ARE THE SAME COUPLE HERE FROM LOUISVILLE THAT HAVE THE WORLD-RENOWNED MEAT MARKET OPERATION IN CINCINNATI AND THE GENTLEMAN IS A UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE ALUMNI FOOTBALL PLAYER. I'LL LEAVE THE REST UP FOR THE MYSTERY AS TO WHO IT IS. CHECK IT OUT. THAT'S ALL I HAVE TO OFFER, MR. PRESIDENT, FOR THE FUN AND EXCITEMENT IN DISTRICT 4.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. COUNCILWOMAN MCCRANEY.

>> THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I WOULD LIKE TO ANNOUNCE THAT ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER THE 14TH, TWO DAYS AWAY, WE'LL HAVE THE LAST MINGLE WITH MCCRANEY IN DISTRICT 7. AND I INVITE ALL OF DISTRICT 7 RESIDENTS AND THOSE IN THE SURROUNDING AREA TO COME TO THE WALDEN SCHOOL, THEY WILL BE HOSTING. AT THE MINGLE WITH MCCRANEY WILL BE SEVERAL AGENCIES TO LISTEN TO THE CONSTITUENTS AND ANSWER QUESTIONS. WE'LL HAVE EMS/FIRE AND RESCUE, ST. MATTHEWS POLICE DEPARTMENT, LOUISVILLE CODES AND REGULATIONS, THE CENTER FOR NEIGHBORHOODS, OFFICE FOR SAFETY AND HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOODS AND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELLNESS. IT WILL BE A GREAT TIME TO LISTEN AND THEN GET TO KNOW WHO YOUR REPRESENTATIVES ARE. AND LET US KNOW HOW WE CAN BEST SERVE YOU. I INVITE THE PUBLIC, PARTICULARLY DISTRICT 1 RESIDENTS. AND HAVE A VERY HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON. AND MERRY CHRISTMAS TO THOSE WHO ENJOY THAT TIME OF YEAR.

>> PRESIDENT JAMES: THANK YOU. AND HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO YOU ALSO. WITH THAT BEING SAID, THERE IS NO OTHER BUSINESS FOR THE METRO COUNCIL TO DISCUSS THIS YEAR. OUR NEXT METRO COUNCIL MEETING IS THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 2020, AT 6 P.M. WITH NO OTHER MEETING TO DISCUSS, WE STAND ADJOURNED.