

Louisville Metro Government

601 W. Jefferson Street Louisville, KY 40202

Action Summary - Tentative Parks and Sustainability Committee

Chair Cindi Fowler (D-14)
Vice Chair Pat Mulvihill (D-10)
Committee Member Rick Blackwell (D-12)
Committee Member Kevin Triplett (D-15)
Committee Member Marilyn Parker (R-18)
Committee Member Nicole George (D-21)
Committee Member James Peden (R-23)

Thursday, April 15, 2021

3:00 PM

Council Chambers/Virtually

Call to Order

Vice Chair Mulvihill called the meeting to order at 3:02 p.m.

Roll Call

Vice Chair Mulvihill introduced the committee members and non-committee members present. A quorum was established.

*NOTE: All committee members and non-committee members present attended virtually.

Present: 5 - Vice Chair Pat Mulvihill (D-10), Committee Member Kevin Triplett (D-15),

Committee Member Marilyn Parker (R-18), Committee Member Nicole George

(D-21), and Committee Member James Peden (R-23)

Excused: 2 - Committee Member Rick Blackwell (D-12), and Chair Cindi Fowler (D-14)

Non-Committee Member(s)

Council Member Bill Hollander (D-9)

Support Staff

Jason Fowler, Jefferson County Attorney's Office

Clerk(s)

Cheryl Woods, Assistant Clerk Sonya Harward, Clerk

Special Discussion

1. ID 21-0468

100% Renewable Energy: Zachary Taylor, Fleet and Facilities Management; and Julie Donna and Michael King, Develop Louisville

Attachments: Metro Council Presentation 4-15-2021.pdf

Julia Donna, Develop Louisville, and Zachary Tyler, Fleet and Facilities, gave presentations.

The following spoke to this item:

- Committee Member Parker
- Committee Member Triplett
- Committee Member George
- Council Member Hollander

The following was discussed:

- Question about the purpose of the no mow areas
- The no mow areas reduces the emissions caused by continuous mowing
- Question about whether moving the main headquarters to Charlie Vettiner Park is still in the future
- The Energy Project Assessment District (EPAD) money is still available for residential, business and commercial use
- The Springhurst Tennis Club used the EPAD Program to do energy efficiency improvements for their building, HVAC improvements and operational improvements for efficiency
- The application for the EPAD program is on the Develop Louisville, Advanced Planning and Sustainability website
- Question about whether other departments are still using Louisville Metro Government's power
- With the EPAD program there would be savings with renewable energy within the city
- Question and concerns about the data gathering that would be needed to do an assessment of our street lights to be converted to LED street lighting
- -There are over 22,000 lights that would need to be checked to see about converting them to LED lighting
- Question about what would need to happen to implement a energy improvement plan for long term goals

Council Member Hollander stated that this would be a good project to use some of the American Rescue Plan Funds on.

Pending Legislation

2. R-024-21

RESOLUTION HONORING THE BRADLEY FAMILY BY DEDICATING THE CLIFTON HEIGHTS GREENWAY AS THE CLIFTON HEIGHTS BRADLEY GREENWAY IN RECOGNITION OF THE BRADLEY FAMILY'S CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT PARKS.

Sponsors: Primary Bill Hollander (D-9)

Attachments: R-024-21 V.1 032521 Clifton Heights Bradley Greenway.pdf

Application to rename property.pdf

A motion was made by Committee Member Triplett, seconded by Committee Member George, that this Resolution be recommended for approval.

Council Member Hollander stated that a trail head with a sign that indicates the name of the Greenway on it will be placed, and that the Clifton Heights neighbor has asked the name on the sign be changed from The Clifton Heights Greenway to "The Clifton Heights Bradley Greenway."

The motion carried by a voice vote and the Resolution was sent to the Consent Calendar.

Adjournment

Without objection, Vice Chair Mulvihill adjourned the meeting at 3:59 p.m.

Note: Items sent to the Consent Calendar or Old Business will be heard before the full Council at the Metro Council meeting on April 22, 2021