



Louisville Metro Government

Action Summary - Tentative Public Works Committee

Chair Jeff Hudson (R-23)
Vice Chair Ken Herndon (D-4)
Committee Member Ben Reno-Weber (D-8)
Committee Member Josie Raymond (D-10)
Committee Member Crystal Bast (R-14)
Committee Member Jennifer Chappell (D-15)
Committee Member Stuart Benson (R-20)
Committee Member Kevin Bratcher (R-22)

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

4:00 PM

Council Chambers/Virtual

THIS MEETING IS BEING HELD VIA VIDEO TELECONFERENCE

Call to Order

Vice Chair Herndon called the meeting to order at 4:04 p.m.

Roll Call

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

NOTE: All committee members present attended in Chambers, except Committee Member Raymond, Committee Member Benson, and Committee Member Bratcher who attended virtually

Present: 5 - Vice Chair Ken Herndon (D-4), Committee Member Josie Raymond (D-10), Committee Member Jennifer Chappell (D-15), Committee Member Stuart Benson (R-20), and Committee Member Kevin Bratcher (R-22)

Excused: 2 - Chair Jeff Hudson (R-23), and Committee Member Crystal Bast (R-14)

Absent: 1 - Committee Member Ben Reno-Weber (D-8)

Support Staff

Michael Spenlau, Jefferson County Attorney's Office

Clerk(s)

Sonya Harward, Clerk

Special Discussion1. [ID 26-0991](#)

UPDATE ON DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT - Wesley Sydnor, Public Works and Rebecca Fleischaker, Louisville Downtown Partnership.

Attachments: [Downtown Development District Update.pdf](#)

Bill Bell, Louisville Department of Transportation, gave a presentation (see attached).

The following also spoke to this item:

- Vice Chair Herndon
- Mike King, Louisville Department of Transportation

Pending Legislation2. [R-100-26](#)

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE OFFICE OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY ATTORNEY TO BRING A CONDEMNATION ACTION AGAINST THE OWNER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY, PARCEL NO. EIGHTEEN (18), IN JEFFERSON COUNTY IN CONNECTION WITH THE CRUMS LANE SIDEWALK PROJECT.

Sponsors: Primary Shameka Parrish-Wright (D-3)

Attachments: [R-100-26 V.1 073026 Condemnation Crums Ln sidewalk.pdf](#)

[R-100-26 ATTACH EXHIBIT A Condemned Property.pdf](#)

[R-100-26 ATTACH EXHIBIT B Plat Map.pdf](#)

[R-100-26 ATTACH EXHIBIT C Interested Parties.pdf](#)

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

The following spoke to this item:

- Mike Penick, Louisville Department of Transportation
- Vice Chair Herndon

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

3. [AP050526KA](#)

APPOINTMENT OF KRISTI ASHBY TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES MAY 14, 2029)

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)

[Kristi Ashby 04.20.pdf](#)

[Kristi Ashby - Data 04.20.pdf](#)

[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

4. [AP050526AS](#)**APPOINTMENT OF ADAM STEGEMANN TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION.
(TERM EXPIRES MAY 14, 2029)**

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Adam Stegemann 04.20.pdf](#)
[Adam Stegemann - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

5. [AP050526BH](#)**APPOINTMENT OF BRAD HERSCHLER TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION.
(TERM EXPIRES MAY 14, 2029)**

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Brad Herschler 04.20.pdf](#)
[Brad Herschler - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

6. [AP050526MS](#)**APPOINTMENT OF MIRA SULLIVAN TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM
EXPIRES MAY 14, 2029)**

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Mira Sullivan 04.20.pdf](#)
[Mira Sullivan - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

7. [RP050526LF](#)**REAPPOINTMENT OF LUCAS FRAZIER TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION.
(TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)**

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Lucas Frazier 04.20.pdf](#)
[Lucas Frazier - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

8. [RP050526AH](#)

REAPPOINTMENT OF ANITA HALL TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Anita Hall 04.20.pdf](#)
[Anita Hall - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

9. [RP050526JH](#)

REAPPOINTMENT OF JANET HESTON TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Janet Douglas Heston 04.20.pdf](#)
[Janet Douglas Heston - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

10. [RP050526PS](#)

REAPPOINTMENT OF PATRICK SMITH TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Patrick Smith 04.20.pdf](#)
[Patrick Smith - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

11. [RP050526JS](#)

REAPPOINTMENT OF JOSEPH B. SPENCER TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Joseph B Spencer 04.20.pdf](#)
[Joseph B Spencer - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

12. [RP050526KT](#)**REAPPOINTMENT OF KENNETH THOMPSON TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)**

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Ken Thompson 04.20.pdf](#)
[Ken Thompson - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

13. [RP050526EV](#)**REAPPOINTMENT OF ESTELA VALDEZ TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)**

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Estela Valdez 04.20.pdf](#)
[Estela Valdez - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

14. [RP050526BW](#)**REAPPOINTMENT OF BILL WRIGHT TO THE COMPLETE STREETS COALITION. (TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 31, 2027)**

Attachments: [APT Complete Streets Coalition 4.14.26.pdf](#)
[Bill Wright 04.20.pdf](#)
[Bill Wright - Data 04.20.pdf](#)
[CSC Members Comparative Analysis April 2026.pdf](#)

This item remained held in committee.

Adjournment

Without objection, Vice Chair Herndon adjourned the meeting at 4:31p.m.

Note: Items sent to the Consent Calendar or Old Business will be heard before the full Council at the Metro Council meeting August 13, 2026

Transcript

[ID 26-1009](#)

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