



City of Cincinnati

Neighborhoods Committee

Meeting Minutes

Chairperson Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney
Vice Chair Betsy Sundermann
Councilmember Wendell Young
Vice-Mayor Christopher Smitherman

Monday, September 27, 2021 11:00 AM Council Chambers, Room 300

ROLL CALL

Present: Wendell Young
 Christopher Smitherman
 Betsy Sundermann
 Jan-Michele Kearney

PRESENTATIONS

MY WHY

Mary Beth Knight, Director

Nisha Mahler, Executive Director

AGENDA

1. MOTION, dated 09/14/2021, submitted by Vice-Mayor Smitherman, Councilmembers Kearney Landsman, Goodin, Sundermann and Keating, WE MOVE that the administration honor Cincinnati native Lynwood Battle a man who modeled leadership, service and faith, Lynwood Battle was a man of wisdom, integrity, and warmth that connected with people everywhere he went, Lynwood Battle sense of gratitude and thanksgiving resonated with everything that he did whether it pertained to family, service, work, or his many friendships. WE MOVE that the administration support honoring Lynwood Battle with a secondary street renaming at Washington Avenue and Rockdale Avenue. (STATEMENT ATTACHED).

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Adopt

Yes: Councilmember Young
Vice Mayor Smitherman
Vice Chair Sundermann
Chairperson Kearney

2. ORDINANCE, dated 09/16/2021, submitted by Councilmember Chris Seelbach from Andrew Garth, City Solicitor, DECLARING that Sixth Street between Main Street and Walnut Street hereby receive the honorary, secondary name of Jean-Robert de Cavel Way in honor of Jean-Robert de Cavel, in recognition of his decades of influence on Greater Cincinnati's restaurant scene, including a decade as chef at The Maisonette, which was the highest rated restaurant in North America during his tenure.

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Recommend Passage

Yes: Councilmember Young
Vice Mayor Smitherman
Vice Chair Sundermann
Chairperson Kearney

3. PRESENTATION Submitted by Councilmember Jan-Michele Kearney from Mary Beth Knight and Nisha Mahler titled MY WHY.

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ADJOURNMENT