



# City of Cincinnati

## Climate, Environment & Infrastructure

### Meeting Minutes

Chairperson, Meeka Owens  
Vice Chairperson, Mark Jeffreys  
Councilmember, Jeff Cramerding  
Vice Mayor, Jan-Michele Kearney

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**Tuesday, September 27, 2022      10:00 AM      Council Chambers, Room 300**

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#### ROLL CALL

Councilmember Owens  
Councilmember Mark Jeffreys  
Jan-Michele Kearney  
Jeff Cramerding

#### **"Cost of Inaction and Opportunity for Action on Climate Change"**

Committee Meeting started at 10:01 a.m. and ended at 12:00 p.m. CM Owens, CM Jeffreys, CM Cramerding and VM Kearney all present. Also in attendance were Ashley Pannell with Law and Oliver Kroner with the Office of Environment & Sustainability.

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

##### **Council Motion 202200848 Initial Report**

##### **Greater Cincinnati Waterworks**

##### **Cost of Inaction**

##### **Nolan Rutschilling, Ohio Environmental Council**

##### **Green Cincinnati Plan Update**

**Oliver Kroner, Interim Director, Office of Environment & Sustainability**

#### **AGENDA**

1. PRESENTATION, submitted by Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, dated 9/27/2022, regarding Attached is the presentation prepared for the Climate, Environment and Infrastructure committee in response to motion 202200848. [202201815](#)

Filed

2. PRESENTATION, submitted by Councilmember Owens from the Ohio Environmental Council titled, The Bill is Coming Due: Calculating the Financial Cost of Climate Change to Ohio's Local Governments. [202201841](#)

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3. REPORT, dated 9/8/2022, submitted by Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, regarding The council at its session on April 13, 2022, referred the following Motion number 202200848 for review and report. [202201716](#)

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4. REPORT, dated 9/14/2022, submitted Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, regarding South Fairmont Traffic Calming. [202201781](#)

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5. COMMUNICATION, submitted by Councilmember Meeka Owens on behalf of the Ohio Environmental Council. [202201809](#)

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6. MOTION, submitted by Councilmembers Jeffreys and Owens, WE MOVE that, the Administration report back to Council within sixty (60) days on the environmental impacts of surface parking lots, which may include but is not limited to; their relation to urban heat islands, stormwater management, materials/construction, and vehicle emissions. Administration may consider soliciting feedback from the Office of Environment and Sustainability, Greater Cincinnati Water Works, the Department of Transportation and Engineering, and any other agency with relevant expertise. (STATEMENT ATTACHED) [202201801](#)

Adopt

7. PRESENTATION, submitted by Councilmember Meeka Owens from Oliver Kroner, Interim Director, Office of Environment and Sustainability titled, Green Cincinnati Building a Sustainable and Equitable City. [202201848](#)

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