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Williams, Antonio

From: Carol Gibbs <c
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 9:37 AM
To: mmmmm@...
Cc:

Subject: [External Email] Re: Motorcycles

External Email Communication

Mary,

I am afraid that I must correct a part of this for you. Law Committee has NEVER been hesitant to hear this issue. In fact, we had this scheduled a few months ago and canceled because of other important issues around the 'defund police' action. I know that you had been trying to get this before Neighborhood Committee and I am not aware of that history but please do not suggest that it was not an important issue to others, as well.

Carol

Carol Gibbs
President/CEO
Mt Auburn Community Development Corporation
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In a message dated 9/14/2020 8:53:17 AM Eastern Standard Time, .com writes:

Jim Goetz from the parks will tell the member of council how many of the parks are suffering property damage, including Smale Park, Twin Lakes, Echo Park - and will report of other problems that they parks need attention on - this meeting is being held for the motorcycle problem but also for other crime-related issues, e.g., drug dealing. For some time, we had been attempting to have a joint meeting with both committees and the law committee was hesitant - they are now onboard to join for this meeting - if anyone has friends and/or family in other neighborhoods who are dealing with this, please send the letter to them and ask them if they would like to be part of the meeting. As I mentioned in my letter to you, I will coordinate this with Jeff Pastor's office - everyone who wishes to speak must be registered in advance and I will get back to you with all the details. Up until now, most of these members and the police told me they believed that this was a Mary Armor problem as I had been in touch with their offices so frequently over these past years - and they had attended meetings that I had invited them to - all related to Eden Park/Twin Lakes. So they need to hear your voices and hopefully they will then realize this is a major, city-wide problem.

As for suggestions being given to the members of the committee, Assistant Chief Paul Neudigate will be in charge of that part - he is currently employed by the CPD and council appears to have great respect for him. I'm sure he would discuss any and all of your ideas with you so just contact him at Paul.Neudigate@cincinnati-oh.gov. We will go further with this meeting if we act as one and be united on the goals.

This is still ongoing so I'm sure there will be back & forth until the weekend before the meeting.

Mary Armor

From: Carol Gibbs
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:08 PM
To: ;
Cc: gabryson; alliew808@; ;
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John.cranley@cincinnati-oh.gov; Paula.BoggsMuething@cincinnati-oh.gov; ;
Subject: Re: Motorcycles

Hey, Alan.

It isn't really a 'reschedule'. They have canceled tomorrow's Neighborhood Committee due to illness. The meeting on Monday September 28 will be a combo meeting of Neighborhood Committee and Law and Public Safety Committee.

We will have a majority of Council gathered so we want to make sure and lay out the issues.....the quality of life and the dangerous behavior that these bikers have demonstrated but we also want to offer some potential solutions that have been tried in other cities across the Country. We want to make sure that they are clear about the problems and know that we are willing to be part of the solution, as well.

There are some other neighborhoods that I am going to notify and my understanding is that there will be some Cincinnati Parks representation there because of the extensive damage to Smale Park.

Carol

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President/CEO

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In a message dated 9/13/2020 6:53:25 PM Eastern Standard Time, ,

writes:

Re Mary Armor's email, Monday's meeting has been rescheduled for September 28th.

Alan

On Sep 12, 2020, at 12:40 PM, Mary Armor ·

wrote:

Good Saturday

As you know, Carol Gibbs gave me your names re the issues you are having with the motorcycles in your neighborhoods. I live in the Edgecliff on Victory Parkway and have been working with **Mayor John Cranley** and the former city solicitor nka interim city manager, **Paula Boggs Muething**, for more than 5 years on this problem. And we have gotten results on some of the issues, but as you know, the bikes are still on the streets. You have been working with Carol, and she with you, representing your home neighborhoods. My neighborhood is slightly different as it is right next to Eden Park/Twin Lakes - so it's just not the bikes, it's also drug dealing, etc.

So this is where we are now.

1. The meeting that was scheduled for Monday Sept 14 with the Neighborhood Committee has been cancelled; and there's good news about that
2. The Law Committee will be joining the Neighborhood Committee and so they will have a joint committee meeting on Monday, September 28 at 11:00 a.m. in city council chambers. The meeting will be chaired by Jeff Pastor who is chair of the Neighborhood Committee.
3. Due to the pandemic, the meeting will be mostly via Zoom and your comments will be limited to 2 minutes so it's not a major amount of time that will be taken from your day. Every speaker must be preregistered. We need to know if you will participate as we really need your voices - so please, please reply that you will join us in this fight to have the laws/ordinances enforced and/or put some teeth in the ones that are on the books now. And council is where it has to start - most if not all of you know, Cincinnati does not have a strong mayor form of government - council must pass the rules and regs and the mayor signs them. The law and neighborhood committee meeting is the place that we need to be so they can hear directly from the citizens.
4. **Park Commissioner Jim Goetz** will be attending in person as the parks are suffering some major damage from the bike riders - they do their thing on their lawns, etc. and he has been extremely helpful in working with us re the Eden Park problems.
5. **Assistant Chief Paul Neudigate** is a tentative attendee - he also has worked with us for all these years so he is more than familiar with the motorcycles, and unfortunately both he and Jim Goetz are more than familiar with this pushy broad - he will let us know next week if he can and, if not, we will another rep from the CPD.

So now it is up to you and your friends and neighbors - I will contact the EWH group for their assistance and so please let us know if your name(s) will be on the list and what neighborhood you will be representing. You will be updated as we start our list of definite attendees.

You and we can and will make a difference. Thanks, and we look forward to hearing from you.

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MARY ARMOR

Cincinnati OH

From: Carol Gibbs <csbgibbs@aol.com>

Sent: Tuesday, September 8, 2020 12:42 PM

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Subject: Motorcycles

The motorcycle problem is being put on the Neighborhood Committee agenda for next Monday September 14 at 11:00am. This is our first stop to be heard about the loud noise and dangerous behaviors on the many streets of Cincinnati. We also want to go beyond just complaining on how this affects everyone's quality of life and encourage the City to take proactive approach to solving this problem.

Mary Armor will be organizing this meeting and needs your help to speak up about the problem. There will be a need for some folks to attend in person to Chambers but they are only allowing 10 people with masks into Chambers so some will need to be able to appear on Zoom to testify, as well.

Mary's email is [ma](#)

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Williams, Antonio

From: Carol Gibbs <c_gibbs@zoomtown.com>
Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 3:31 PM
To: Williams, Antonio
Subject: Re: [External Email] RE: Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion on 9/28/20

THANK YOU !!!

**Carol Gibbs
President/CEO
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In a message dated 9/11/2020 3:25:49 PM Eastern Standard Time, Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov writes:

Carol,

I am clear! The discussion will be regarding ALL Cincinnati Parks and the vast issues various locations face.

Antonio

From: Carol Gibbs
Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 3:18 PM
To: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>; @zoomtown.com
Cc: Allen, Perriann <Perriann.Allen@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Edwards, Michelle <Michelle.Edwards@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Maney, Seth <Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Davis-Kelow, Gloria <Gloria.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Davis, Crystal <Crystal.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Miller, David <david.miller@cincinnati-oh.gov>; @cinci.rr.com
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Antonio, I still fear that you are mistaking Mary's long time agenda about Eden Park as the central issue here and it is not !! These illegal activities are occurring in not just East Walnut Hills but Hyde Park and North Avondale, CUF and Downtown, Northside and Mt Adams, Riverside and Mt Auburn.....on Columbia Parkway and Liberty StreetPleasant Ridge, Oakley and on and on.....

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In a message dated 9/11/2020 3:08:51 PM Eastern Standard Time, Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov writes:

Greetings,

Thank you for following up and yes ma'am I spoke with the Vice Mayors team (Ms. Perriann) today and we will be holding a joint meeting of the Neighborhoods Committee as well as the Law & Public Safety Committee. I apologize if the wording of my previous email suggests that we will solely be discussing the "motorcycle activity" but we will be unpacking and listening to every comment, complaint and/or idea that will be presented. We have requested for a second time that personnel from the Parks Board as well as Cincinnati Police Department be in attendance as well. The goal is to share as much information collectively so that we can come up with a comprehensive plan to keep the park a safe and welcoming place for citizens and visitors but also to be respectful and accommodating to the amazing people that live and surround the park.

All the best,

/adw/

Antonio D. Williams

Outreach & Communications Director

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From: Carol Gibbs

Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 2:57 PM

To: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>; marmor@zoomtown.com

Cc: Allen, Perriann <Perriann.Allen@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Edwards, Michelle <Michelle.Edwards@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Maney, Seth <Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Davis-Kelow, Gloria <Gloria.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Davis, Crystal <Crystal.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Miller, David <david.miller@cincinnati-oh.gov>; rhildebrand1@cinci.rr.com

Subject: Re: [External Email] RE: Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion on 9/28/20

Antonio....

Thank you so much for your hard work on this. First, Let me verify that this is really a combined meeting of Neighborhood and Law and Safety Committees ?? Secondly, let me also correct a misunderstanding that this is about motorcycle activity in Eden Park because it is much more than that. It is a group of people driving illegal street vehicles in a dangerous fashion that threatens the lives of others on the roads that they travel and the obnoxious loud noises that 12+ neighborhoods suffer through on an almost nightly routine until 3 am or later as well as the extensive damage that is being done to other Cincinnati Parks like Smale Park.

We, collectively, would like to go beyond just complaining about the quality of life issue in terms of loud noises and talk about the dangers that are involved and to discuss possible solutions that could be put in place here in Cincinnati. We have a retire CPD lieutenant who has done some research on solutions that have been used in other Cities with this same problem. He will make sure that research is shared at this meeting. Thank you again.....

Carol

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In a message dated 9/11/2020 2:34:39 PM Eastern Standard Time, Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov writes:

Mary,

Again, my apologies for not getting back to you in a more reasonable time frame. There are many voices that need to be heard and multiple moving parts to coordinating a joint meeting between other Councilmembers/Committees (as well as trying to get city administration to provide valid input) does take active communication to ensure clarity and correct information being given to our valued constituents. The date is set for August 28, 2020; Anyone wishing to be heard will need to register online via the City website.

Antonio

From: Mary Armor <marmor@zoomtown.com>
Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 2:24 PM
To: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
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Should you have any questions and/or comments, please feel free to give me a call/text at (513) 801-0374.

All the best,

Antonio

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Sent: Tuesday, September 8, 2020 1:47 PM
To: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Subject: RE: [External Email] CITY COUNCIL AND THE MOTORCYCLES

OK Antonio - I'm here and waiting for the details for the meeting on 9/14

Mary Armor

From: Mary Armor
Sent: Saturday, September 5, 2020 11:56 AM
To: 'Williams, Antonio' <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Cc: Tom Shepard <tom.shepard@cityofcincinnati.com>; 'Carol Gibbs' <csb_gibbs@cityofcincinnati.com>; 'Brett Stover' <brettstover1@cincinnati-oh.gov>; 'Mady Gordon' <madygordon@cincinnati-oh.gov>; 'Rhildebrand' <rhildebrand1@cincinnati-oh.gov>; 'Chris MacConnell' <chris.macconnell@cityofcincinnati.com>; Mayor John Cranley <John.cranley@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Boggs Muething, Paula <Paula.BoggsMuething@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Neudigate, Paul <Paul.Neudigate@cincinnati-oh.gov>; jhgoetz@hotmail.com; Joe Rigotti <jrigotti@accentcinti.com>
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Antonio,

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From: Mary Armor <ma>
Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 12:48 PM
To: 'Williams, Antonio' <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Cc: Tom Shepard <+...@...com>; 'Carol Gibbs' <...@...ail.com>; 'madygordon' <...@...ail.com>

Subject: RE: [External Email] CITY COUNCIL AND THE MOTORCYCLES

Thanks, Antonio! Will get back to you re the meeting on the 14th. Just as a reminder - this is a city-wide problem - not just Walnut Hills - am copying Carol Gibbs so she aware as she is working with 14 neighborhoods.

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From: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 12:28 PM
To: Mary Armor
Subject: Re: [External Email] CITY COUNCIL AND THE MOTORCYCLES

Good Afternoon Mary,

I understand your frustration having been actively involved for 5 years. I have been trying to work together with the Vice Mayors team to coordinate a joint meeting however the team is not inclined to host a joint meeting at the Park Board has no further intentions on closing the park to Vehicular traffic. Previously, we requested a member of the Park Board to speak at Neighborhoods Committee and they offer was declined.

Councilmember Pastor and our team is willing to host the meeting and listen to all impacted parties. To be clear this will not be a joint meeting with Law & Public Safety Committee. (I know this was what you were initially requesting) We will hold our next Neighborhoods Committee Meeting on Monday, September 14, 2020 and will have the option for people to express their concerns to the committee members.

All the best,

/adw/

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"Working with you; for you."

**On Sep 2, 2020, at 11:52 AM, Mary Armor <
wrote:**

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To: Members of Cincinnati City Council:

So now the boys got their toys - the streetcar will run - so now what are we the citizens going to get - it certainly is not sleep and certainly not peace and quiet - and at the end of the day, I cannot be more upset that councilmembers pay no attention to their constituents' correspondence. I had no idea that you each have aides whose job it is to screen your mail and never contact the person who did the original contacting - they are just ignored. Mayor Cranley did reply and has even attended meetings on this problem - so where are the rest of you? If you were a company that I wanted to do business with, I would just move on and give my business to someone else. But you guys are guaranteed a job for at least one more year - for those who are term limited - and then you move on. Occasionally you get a reply email - as I did below - but again there is no follow through. The Cincinnati Enquirer couldn't even get your attention for the motorcycle problem in this city when they ran a story on it showing that the problem has been going on for years - I personally have been involved for 5 years. Bet this problem has been going on longer than the streetcar fight has been. So pretend that the bikes are streetcars that are not wanted on the streets by the neighbors, but you do, so you can then at least reply or even act on it by letting us know what you can and will do about it. I don't want to be rude but after five years, there is no patience left - and I never really had any to begin with. In the Walnut Hills/Eden Park case, the park board shut down Twin Lakes to vehicular traffic and then a group was formed to oppose it, and it was opened again. None of the folks who were part of that group live in this area and yet they were paid attention to because they said they were going to hold a press conference. No one contacted us checking to see if we had another answer - we did - to close Twin Lakes to vehicular traffic earlier than the scheduled 10 pm closing time, e.g., 6 pm. The park board has been great in working with us, but it is not their problem and they are trying the best they can with a limited budget to keep the parks as one of Cincinnati's real treasures. And as for the councilmembers who replied to an email re the closing and said they were on the side of closing to vehicular traffic; we did not hear from them again when it was reopened. Do any of the bike riders ride in their own neighborhoods at all hours of the day and night?

All we have asked for from city council - and in particular from the chairs of the law and neighborhood committees - is to hold a meeting/hearing so you can hear what the people who live in this city have to live with and so they can have the answers as to why city council will not take this seriously.

To all members of council: please answer this email and tell us what we must do to make this happen. And for the others who are receiving this email, please give us your thoughts on this.

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MARY ARMOR for the Walnut Hills Neighbors

From: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 1:22 PM
To: |
Cc: Pastor, Jeff <Jeff.Pastor@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Maney, Seth <Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Subject: FW: Twin Lakes

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From: Williams, Antonio
Sent: Monday, August 3, 2020 11:42 AM
To:
Cc: Maney, Seth <Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Subject: Twin Lakes

Greetings Mary,

I would first like to apologize for not following up to your previous email regarding the noise complaints at the Twin Lakes location of Eden Park. I would love to chat with you and discuss some alternatives in addition to your suggestion of closing the gates to vehicular traffic. It is my (personal) belief that there can be resolve that would truly honor and respect the great neighbors surrounding the park yet still permit vehicular traffic during certain hours. Eden Park is a beautiful park in a beautiful community and we need to work collaboratively to ensure it stays that way. Looking forward to hearing from you...

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Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 1:22 PM

To: marmor

Cc: Pastor, Jeff <Jeff.Pastor@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Maney, Seth <Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov>

Subject: FW: Twin Lakes

FY!!!

From: Williams, Antonio
Sent: Monday, August 3, 2020 11:42 AM
To: [marmor@](mailto:marmor@...)
Cc: Maney, Seth <Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Subject: Twin Lakes

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Williams, Antonio

From: Mary Armor
Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 3:40 PM
To: 'Carol Gibbs'; Williams, Antonio
Cc: Allen, Perriann; Edwards, Michelle; Maney, Seth; Davis-Kelow, Gloria; Davis, Crystal; Miller, David; rhildebrand' 'Alan Bunker'
Subject: RE: [External Email] RE: Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion on 9/28/20

Carol,

I believe they understand - the city has a record of the Eden Park problems since they have tried working with us for these past 5 plus years. When I contacted them, I had no idea that this was going on in other parts of the city and folks from those parts were not vocal at that time. As soon as I became aware of them, I included them in all talks I had with the city. So I have no doubt that they will address all of them on the 28th - after all, if we only clean up one section of the city, the problem folks - and it's the people who are the problem, will go to the other parts of town so it's important that it is acted on as a whole.

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From: Carol Gibbs
Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 3:18 PM
To: Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov; marmor@zoomtown.com
Cc: Perriann.Allen@cincinnati-oh.gov; Michelle.Edwards@cincinnati-oh.gov; Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov; Gloria.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov; Crystal.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov; david.miller@cincinnati-oh.gov; rhildebrand:
Subject: Re: [External Email] R: Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion on 9/28/20

Antonio, I still fear that you are mistaking Mary's long time agenda about Eden Park as the central issue here and it is not !! These illegal activities are occurring in not just East Walnut Hills but Hyde Park and North Avondale, CUF and Downtown, Northside and Mt Adams, Riverside and Mt Auburn.....on Columbia Parkway and Liberty StreetPleasant Ridge, Oakley and on and on.....

Carol Gibbs
President/CEO
Mt Auburn Community Development Corporation
MACDC

In a message dated 9/11/2020 3:08:51 PM Eastern Standard Time, Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov writes:

Greetings,

Thank you for following up and yes ma'am I spoke with the Vice Mayors team (Ms. Perriann) today and we will be holding a joint meeting of the Neighborhoods Committee as well as the Law & Public Safety Committee. I apologize if the wording of my previous email suggests that we will solely be discussing the "motorcycle activity" but we will be unpacking and listening to every comment, complaint and/or idea that will be presented. We have requested for a second time that personnel from the Parks Board as well as Cincinnati Police Department be in attendance as well. The goal is to share as much information collectively so that we can come

up with a comprehensive plan to keep the park a safe and welcoming place for citizens and visitors but also to be respectful and accommodating to the amazing people that live and surround the park.

All the best,

/adw/

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Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 2:57 PM

To: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>; marmor@zoomtown.com

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[rhildebrand](#)

Subject: Re: [External Email] RE: Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion on 9/28/20

Antonio....

Thank you so much for your hard work on this. First, Let me verify that this is really a combined meeting of Neighborhood and Law and Safety Committees ?? Secondly, let me also correct a misunderstanding that this is about motorcycle activity in Eden Park because it is much more than that. It is a group of people driving illegal

street vehicles in a dangerous fashion that threatens the lives of others on the roads that they travel and the obnoxious loud noises that 12+ neighborhoods suffer through on an almost nightly routine until 3 am or later as well as the extensive damage that is being done to other Cincinnati Parks like Smale Park.

We, collectively, would like to go beyond just complaining about the quality of life issue in terms of loud noises and talk about the dangers that are involved and to discuss possible solutions that could be put in place here in Cincinnati. We have a retire CPD Lieutenant who has done some research on solutions that have been used in other Cities with this same problem. He will make sure that research is shared at this meeting. Thank you again.....

Carol

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President/CEO

Mt Auburn Community Development Corporation

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In a message dated 9/11/2020 2:34:39 PM Eastern Standard Time, Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov writes:

Mary,

Again, my apologies for not getting back to you in a more reasonable time frame. There are many voices that need to be heard and multiple moving parts to coordinating a joint meeting between other Councilmembers/Committees (as well as trying to get city administration to provide valid input) does take active communication to ensure clarity and correct information being given to our valued constituents. The date is set for August 28, 2020; Anyone wishing to be heard will need to register online via the City website.

Antonio

From: Mary Armor <marmor1>

Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 2:24 PM

To: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>

Cc: 'Carol Gibbs'

Allen, Perriann <Perriann.Allen@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Edwards,

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Subject: [External Email] RE: Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion on 9/28/20

External Email Communication

Antonio,

As you are aware, I have tried reaching you all week - both at the office and your cell - the office vm was filled and no answer on your cell, and this is the first reply to my emails. I, and am sure many others, would appreciate the office putting an announcement on your vm and on your emails that you cannot get back until and say the date - a week is much too long to keep trying unsuccessfully.

I don't want you to think that your response to the request is not appreciated, just that it takes time to prepare for a meeting such as this and unless we are given adequate time, no one will benefit from the meeting. Will be back in touch with you re the 28 the first of the week

Thanks!

Mary Armor

From: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 1:48 PM
To: Mary Armor <maryarmor@ciarra.com>
Cc: Carol Gibbs <carol.gibbs@ciarra.com>; Allen, Perriann <Perriann.Allen@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Edwards, Michelle <Michelle.Edwards@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Maney, Seth <Seth.Maney@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Davis-Kelow, Gloria <Gloria.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Davis, Crystal <Crystal.Davis@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Miller, David <david.miller@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Subject: Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion on 9/28/20

Good Afternoon All,

Our team has decided to reschedule the Twin Lakes/Eden Park Discussion that was tentatively scheduled for this upcoming Monday, September 14, 2020 at 11:00am. We would like to have as many voices present and available to have a robust discussion and move towards appropriate solutions to resolve these issues. Everyone that wishes to be heard will be available to speak during the next Neighborhoods Committee meeting held on September 28, 2020. Anyone that wishes to speak would indeed need to register on the city website. We will have as many guests permitted in Council Chambers to speak however, the option to speak via zoom is still available. The meeting will begin promptly at 11:00 am. Please feel free to share this information with all interested parties. Our goal is to also have representation from the park board as well as CPD to have a fully developed conversation and create an action plan.

Should you have any questions and/or comments, please feel free to give me a call/text at (513) 801-0374.

All the best,

Antonio

From: Mary Armor
Sent: Tuesday, September 8, 2020 1:47 PM
To: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Subject: RE: [External Email] CITY COUNCIL AND THE MOTORCYCLES

OK Antonio - I'm here and waiting for the details for the meeting on 9/14

Mary Armor

From: Mary Armor
Sent: Saturday, September 5, 2020 11:56 AM
To: 'Williams, Antonio' <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Cc: Tom Shepard >; 'Carol Gibbs' <brettstover@...>; 'madygordon' <madygordon@...>; 'rhildebrand' <rhildebrand@...>; Chris MacConnell <MacConnell@...>; Edgecliff Condos <EdgecliffCondos@...>; Mayor John Cranley <John.cranley@cincinnati-oh.gov>; Boggs Muething, Paula

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ihgoetz _____ ; Joe Rigotti <jrigotti@_____>
Subject: RE: [External Email] CITY COUNCIL AND THE MOTORCYCLES

Antonio,

Yes, we want to be part of the meeting on September 14th so please give details: the time that the meeting starts - how many people are permitted to speak - and either in person or by zoom? - and does everyone have to pre-register on the website - we want to make this as efficient as possible and yet get the message across to council that this is very serious and they have to start paying attention. Add any other details to your reply that you believe we need.

And just so you have an idea of what the neighborhoods are putting up with now - see the below video:

https://youtu.be/iJ34WCgjr_c

Councilmember Pastor and the other members of his committee - please identify the other members of the committee and would you please invite all council members to attend - I'm sure will want to see how these bikers think they are law enforcement - watch them control the traffic at the intersections so their buddies can get thru - and that they believe the city streets are their playground. I believe you told me you're from OT and if that is so, we'll help you identify the neighborhoods that are featured in this video. And just as an fyi - the video was posted to YouTube by the bike riders - we did not add or delete anything.

Hope you know how much we appreciate your help on this - and hope you can back to us asap so we can do the planning.

Mary Armor for the citizens who live in the neighborhoods where they cannot sleep or think -

From: Mary Armor <marmor@_____>
Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 12:48 PM

To: 'Williams, Antonio' <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Cc: Tom Shepard <tshepard> 'Carol Gibbs' ·
'brettstover' ; 'madygordon'
<madygordon>
Subject: RE: [External Email] CITY COUNCIL AND THE MOTORCYCLES

Thanks, Antonio! Will get back to you re the meeting on the 14th. Just as a reminder - this is a city-wide problem - not just Walnut Hills - am copying Carol Gibbs so she aware as she is working with 14 neighborhoods.

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From: Williams, Antonio <Antonio.Williams@cincinnati-oh.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 12:28 PM
To: Mary Armor ·
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Good Afternoon Mary,

I understand your frustration having been actively involved for 5 years. I have been trying to work together with the Vice Mayors team to coordinate a joint meeting however the team is not inclined to host a joint meeting at the Park Board has no further intentions on closing the park to Vehicular traffic. Previously, we requested a member of the Park Board to speak at Neighborhoods Committee and they offer was declined.

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All the best,

/adw/

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"Working with you; for you."

On Sep 2, 2020, at 11:52 AM, Mary Armor <marmor

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External Email Communication

To: Members of Cincinnati City Council:

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