



# City of Cincinnati

801 Plum Street  
Cincinnati, OH 45202

## Agenda - Final

### Neighborhoods Committee

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

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Tuesday, February 16, 2021

11:00 AM

Council Chambers, Room 300

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## PRESENTATIONS

### Women of Alabaster

Scarlet Hudson (Mama Scar)

### The Queen City Neighborhood Tour - Paddock Hills

Lynne Stone, President, Paddock Hills Assembly

Bruce Bowdon, Trustee, Paddock Hills Assembly

## AGENDA

- [202100258](#) **REPORT**, dated 1/27/2021, submitted by Paula Boggs Muething, City Manager, regarding Parking Meters Along Hamilton Avenue and Hoffner Street. (SEE REFERENCE DOC #202001629)  
**Sponsors:** City Manager  
**Attachments:** [Report](#)
- [202100546](#) **MOTION**, submitted by Councilmember Kearney, **WE MOVE** for the City Administration to provide a report showing the increase in property values and property taxes, as well as in the increase in rent in each of our City's 52 neighborhoods during the 10-year period of 2010-2020, and to detail all ways by which the City, Hamilton County, and the State of Ohio provide relief for low and moderate income homeowners and renters in neighborhoods where property values have risen at rates higher than the countywide average. **WE FURTHER MOVE** for this report to be delivered within 60 days following passage of this motion. (STATEMENT ATTACHED).  
**Sponsors:** Kearney  
**Attachments:** [Motion 202100546](#)

3. [202100627](#) **MOTION**, submitted by Councilmember Kearney, **WE MOVE** for the City Administration to prepare a report and recommendations for designating the entirety of the month of March 2021 as a parking amnesty period for unpaid parking tickets incurred within the City of Cincinnati prior to March 1, 2021. **WE FURTHER MOVE** for this parking amnesty period to authorize any person who has incurred late fees on a parking ticket within the City of Cincinnati, including towing and storage fees, to pay the full balance of their citation at base value (without any late fees).

**Sponsors:** Kearney

**Attachments:** [202100627](#)

ADJOURNMENT

January 27, 2021

To: Mayor and Members of City Council

From: Paula Boggs Muething, City Manager

**202100258**

Subject: PARKING METERS ALONG HAMILTON AVENUE AND HOFFNER STREET

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Reference Document #202001629

The Council at its session on September 30, 2020 referred the following item for review and report.

MOTION, submitted by Councilmember Sittenfeld, WE MOVE that the City Administration work with the Northside Community Council, and the Northside Business Association, to install parking meters along Hamilton Avenue and Hoffner Street.

The Northside Business Association and the Northside Community Council requested new parking meters to provide parking for businesses and discourage illegal activity. In January 2021, the City is scheduled to install 10 smart parking meter heads on the existing meter posts that are located on Hoffner Street, between Hamilton Avenue and Apple Street. Additionally, during the spring of 2021 the City will order and install new meter posts with existing smart meter heads at the obsolete bus stops along Hamilton Avenue, between Spring Grove Avenue and Palm Avenue.

The Department of Transportation and Engineering (DOTE) spoke to Tim Jeckering, President of the Northside Business Association, on December 23, 2020 to inform the Association of the 10 parking meters to be installed on Hoffner Street.

DOTE also reached out to the Northside Community Council President via phone and email to inform them of the parking meter installation.

cc: John S. Brazina, Director, Transportation and Engineering John B.



2021 00546

**Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney**  
*Councilmember*

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Councilmember Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney

## STATEMENT

In many of our Cincinnati neighborhoods, the rise in property taxes and increases in rent have posed a threat to legacy residents, making them afraid that they will no longer be able to afford their current homes. We seek to assess what assistance is currently available for low to moderate income renters and homeowners to prevent displacement due to rising housing costs.



**Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney**  
*Councilmember*

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Councilmember Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney

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