



# City of Cincinnati

## Climate, Environment & Infrastructure

### Meeting Minutes

Councilmember Meeka Owens, Chairperson  
Councilmember Mark Jeffreys, Vice-Chair  
Councilmember Jeff Cramerding, Member  
Councilmember Seth Walsh, Member

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Monday, April 22, 2024

10:00 AM Cincinnati Zoo (Discovery Forest &  
Education Center), 3400 Vine Street,  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45220

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### SPECIAL MEETING

#### ROLL CALL

**Present:** Councilmember Owens  
Councilmember Mark Jeffreys  
Jeff Cramerding  
Seth Walsh

The meeting began at 10:02am and ended at 11:08am. VM Kearney and CM Albi also present. Also in attendance were Director Oliver Kroner from the Office of the Environment & Sustainability and Jeremy Seebohm from Law.

### PRESENTATIONS

#### Net Zero Isn't Good Enough

Mark Fisher - VP - Facilities Planning and Sustainability - Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Garden

#### Outside the Enclosure: Partnering with the Zoo for Sustainable Community Change

Tanner Yess - Executive Director - Groundwork Ohio River Valley

### AGENDA

1. REPORT, dated 4/17/2024, submitted Sheryl M. M. Long, [202401058](#)  
City Manager, regarding High Potential City-Owned  
Properties Along Major Transit Corridor. (Ref. Doc. #  
202301025)

Held

2. PRESENTATION, Submitted by Councilmember Owens, [202401204](#)  
From Mark Fisher, Vice President, Facilities Planning and  
Sustainability at Cincinnati Zoo, regarding Net Zero Isn't  
Good Enough

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3. PRESENTATION, Submitted by Councilmember Owens, [202401205](#)  
from Tanner Yess, Executive Director, at Groundwork Ohio  
River Valley, regarding Outside the Enclosure, Partnering  
with the Zoo for Sustainable Community Change.

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