



# 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, October 25, 2022                      10:00 AM                      Council Chambers, Room 300**

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#### ROLL CALL

Councilmember Owens  
Councilmember Mark Jeffreys  
Jan-Michele Kearney  
Jeff Cramerding

Meeting began at 10:03. In attendance were CM Owens, CM Jeffreys, CM Cramerding and VM Kearney. Also in attendance were CM Keating (non member) Asst City Manager V. Tallent, Jeremy Seebohm from Law and Molly Robertshaw from the Office of Environment & Sustainability.

#### PRESENTATIONS

#### Cardinal Land Conservancy Wooden Shoe Hollow Nature Preserve-Clean Ohio Grant Application

**Mark Besserman, Stewardship Director**

#### Human Services Fund Renewal, Part II

**Virginia Tallent, Assistant City Manager**

#### AGENDA

1. PRESENTATION, submitted by Councilmember Owens from Mark Besserman Stewardship Director of Cardinal Land Conservancy titled, Cardinal Land Conservancy Wooden Shoe Hollow Nature Preserve- Clean Ohio Grant Application. [202201984](#)  
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2. RESOLUTION, submitted by Councilmember Owens from, Emily Smart Woerner, City Solicitor, EXPRESSING the [202201989](#)

support of the Mayor and the Council of the City of Cincinnati for the application for a grant from the 2022 Clean Ohio Conservation Fund, NRAC 2, Round 17, by the Cardinal Land Conservancy on behalf of David Nathan Rosenberg, for the purchase of approximately six acres of land in fee title and four acres of land for an agricultural easement by the Cardinal Land Conservancy from David Nathan Rosenberg, in order to create permanent greenspace within the City of Cincinnati and preserve a protected area for agricultural uses in the historic Wooden Shoe Hollow are within the City.

Recommend Passage

**Yes:** Councilmember Owens  
Councilmember Jeffreys  
Vice Mayor Kearney  
Councilmember Cramerding

3. MOTION, submitted by Councilmembers Owens, Keating and Cramerding, WE MOVE that the City of Cincinnati amend Ord. 197-2020 and adopt an updated human services strategies and priorities plan ("Plan") for allocations from the Human Services Fund ("HSF"). The Plan should: 1. Include a large-scale Impact Award to assist an innovative project to create real, lasting impact in the community. 2. Establish data-driven, evidence-based metrics for monitoring the success of organizations that receive allocations. 3. Structure the Request-for-Proposal process in such a way to increase the impact of the City's funds. (BALANCE ON FILE IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE) (STATEMENT ATTACHED).

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Indefinitely Postponed

4. MOTION, submitted by Councilmember Cramerding, WE MOVE that the City of Cincinnati amend Ord. 207-2020 and adopt an updated human services strategies and priorities plan ("Plan") for expenditures/allocation from the Human Services Fund ("HSF"). The Plan should: 1. Include a large-scale Impact Award to assist an innovative project to create real, lasting impact in the community. 2. Establish data-driven, evidence-based metrics for monitoring the success of organizations that receive allocations. 3. Structure the Request-for-Proposal process in such a way to increase the impact of the City's funds. (BALANCE ON

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Adopt

**Yes:** Councilmember Owens  
Councilmember Jeffreys  
Vice Mayor Kearney  
Councilmember Cramerding

6. PRESENTATION submitted by Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, dated 10/25/2022, regarding the County & Philanthropic Funding - Human Services.

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ADJOURNMENT