



# City of Cincinnati

## Healthy Neighborhoods

### Meeting Minutes

Chairperson, Jan-Michele Kearney  
Vice Chairperson, Victoria Parks  
Councilmember Reggie Harris  
Councilmember Scotty Johnson

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**Tuesday, December 12, 2023      12:30 PM      Council Chambers, Room 300**

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#### ROLL CALL

**Present:** Vice Mayor Kearney  
Councilmember Victoria Parks  
Reggie Harris  
Scotty Johnson

The meeting began at 12:36 p.m. and ended at 1:38 p.m. Also in attendance were Director Katherine Keough-Jurs from City Planning and Shannon Price from Law

#### PRESENTATIONS

##### Community Economic Advancement Initiatives

**Eugene Ellington, President/CEO**

##### Whole Again International

**Kendra Scott, Executive Director**

##### Community Engagement Collective

**Amber Kelly, Founder/CEO**

##### Cornerstone Renter Equity

**Mary O'Connell, Development and Marketing Director**

**Alisa Berry, Executive Director**

#### AGENDA

1. PRESENTATION, submitted by Vice Mayor Kearney from Eugene Ellington, President/ CEO titled, Community Economic Advancement Initiatives. [202302817](#)  
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2. PRESENTATION, submitted by Vice Mayor Kearney from Kendra Scott, Executive Director titled Whole Again feeding at-risk children and enriching their lives. [202302818](#)  
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3. ORDINANCE (EMERGENCY), submitted by Vice Mayor Kearney, from Emily Smart Woerner, City Solicitor, DECLARING that Avondale Avenue at Reading Road in the North Avondale neighborhood shall hereby receive the honorary, secondary name of “Shirley A. Merrick Way” in honor of Shirley Merrick and in recognition of her contributions and public service to the City of Cincinnati. [202302715](#)  
Recommend Passage
4. PRESENTATION, submitted by Vice Mayor Kearney from Dr Amber Kelly, Founder & CEO of Community Engagement Collective titled, Black Indigenous People of Color (BIPOC) Mental and Behavioral Health Provider Directory Launch and Coalition Development. [202302823](#)  
Filed
5. PRESENTATION, submitted by Vice Mayor Kearney from Alisa Berry, Executive Director of Cornerstone Renter Equity, titled Boots on the Ground. [202302825](#)  
Filed

ADJOURNMENT