

April 27, 2022

**To:** Mayor and Members of City Council  
**From:** John P. Curp, Interim City Manager <sup>لجس</sup>  
**Subject:** Resolution for the *Kennedy Heights Neighborhood Plan*

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Transmitted is Resolution captioned:

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The City Planning Commission recommended the following on April 1, 2022, to City Council:

**APPROVE** the *Kennedy Heights Neighborhood Plan* as the neighborhood's guiding comprehensive plan document.

cc: Katherine Keough-Jurs, FAICP, Director, Department of City Planning and Engagement <sup>KJ</sup>

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To: Office of the Clerk of Council

From: Katherine Keough-Jurs, FAICP, Director, Department of City Planning and Engagement 

Copies to: Samantha McLean, AICP, Senior City Planner, Department of City Planning and Engagement

Subject: Scheduling of Resolution for the *Kennedy Heights Neighborhood Plan*

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The above referenced Resolution is to be scheduled for a Committee of Council. This item has been requested to be placed on the next scheduled Committee meeting.

Included in this submission are the following items:

- 1) The transmittal letter to the Mayor and City Council;
- 2) A copy of the City Planning Commission staff report dated April 1, 2022; and
- 3) The Resolution

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Cincinnati City Council  
Council Chambers, City Hall  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

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Motion to Approve: Ms. Kearney

Ayes:

Mr. Eby  
Ms. Kearney  
Ms. McKinney  
Mr. Samad  
Ms. Sesler  
Mr. Stallworth  
Mr. Weber

Seconded: Ms. Sesler

THE CITY PLANNING COMMISSION



Katherine Keough-Jurs, FAICP, Director  
Department of City Planning and Engagement