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Paraskevopoulos, Ioanna

Sent:

Monday, October 01, 2018 4:17 PM

To:

Williams, Brenda

Cc:

Kathy Doane; Kenkel, Hillary; David Mann

Subject:

FW: [External Email] ARTSVILLE in Madisonville

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Please add to this week's Council calendar for referral to Budget and Finance.

Thank you. Ioanna

From: Kathy Garrison < kgarrison14@gmail.com > Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 11:17 AM

To: Mann, David < david.mann@cincinnati-oh.gov > Subject: RE: [External Email] ARTSVILLE in Madisonville

Hillary, thank you for the response. We would love for Councilmember Mann to stop by if he is in the neighborhood. We would like to show him the changes and improvements to Artsville.

Hillary there are three things that we could use some help with at Artsville. As much as we have been able to leverage every dime that we receive a hundred times over, we still could use help with the following:

- The restriping of the parking lot. It is a city lot and badly needs restriping. I have not been able to reach the right person in the city to make this happen and it is not because of lack of trying.
- The building has marquee signs that had been installed over ten years ago. Those have totally burnt out and we have priced them but they are currently out of our budget. We have been told that the signs would cost about \$20,000. That is only a drop in the bucket in terms of city dollars but for us it is a large chunk of money. The cost would probably be less if a city contractor were doing the job. We were able to utilize the signs to advertise all the community events.
- And last but not least before we ever took over possession of the building, the homeless, the addicted, and just vandalism pretty much destroyed the "fins" on the HVAC unit outside that feeds the first floor. The people lived behind the unit because it was safe and warm in winter. They literally smashed the fins on the unit and because the unit struggles with pulling air it is working overtime. The cost that we have been told for that is around \$5,000 but that is cheaper than having to replace an entire unit.

Hillary, we are leasing the building from the City as you know for an extended period of years and we are so excited about what we have been able to accomplish with so much support in such a short period of time. Having the City step up and take care of these three items would make an enormous difference not just for Artsville but for the entire community. If Councilmember Mann could help us with these items, we would be most grateful.

Thanks, again and hope that you and Councilmember Mann can come visit!

Kathy Garrison 513-460-5060

Kathy

From: Kenkel, Hillary [mailto:Hillary.Kenkel@cincinnati-oh.gov] On Behalf Of Mann, David

Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 10:29 AM

To: Kathy Garrison

Subject: RE: [External Email] ARTSVILLE in Madisonville

Hi Kathy,

Thank you for sending this update to Councilmember Mann. He is excited about the opportunities ARTSVILLE is bringing to the community in Madisonville.

If there is anything our office can do for you in the future, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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From: Kathy Garrison < kgarrison14@gmail.com > Sent: Monday, September 17, 2018 4:51 PM

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Subject: [External Email] ARTSVILLE in Madisonville

External Email Communication

Good afternoon! Just wanted to share with all of you a little of what is happening at **ARTSVILLE** formerly the MACC. I have attached flyers of the next two upcoming events. **ARTSVILLE** continues to grow in its programming for community as well as its ability to leverage not only money but in-kind contributions.

Attached you will find a flyer for Arts Academy which will begin October 1 and will run for ten weeks providing after school instructions. *ARTSVILLE* has partnered with Cincinnati Academy of Performing Arts to bring to Madisonville youth the opportunity to experience and grow as an artist in whatever field they might chose. We have two community businesses who will be providing the snacks for each day.

We also attached a flyer for the next Playhouse In The Park Off The Hill Production of Jungle Book which will be performed on September 29th in the theatre at *ARTSVILLE*. Playhouse is using our space for not only performances but also rehearsals. These plays allow us to bring affordable theatre productions to the community of Madisonville for those who cannot afford to go otherwise. We also provide free tickets to some.

In the next few weeks we will also be having a night of jazz, an art showing, Cincy Shakespeare will perform MacBeth, Trunk or Treat, and an event to support breast cancer research. Partnerships are key!

We at **ARTSVILLE** are so happy to be able to provide a space for community and for all the wonder experiences that it brings. We invite all of you out to visit at any time. Come and see what transformations have taken place in the building and hear more about the wonderful things that are happening.

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