



City of Cincinnati

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Cincinnati, OH 45202

Agenda - Final-revised

Climate, City Services & Infrastructure

*Chairperson Meeka Owens
Vice Chair Ryan James
Councilmember Mark Jeffreys
Councilmember Seth Walsh*

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

10:00 AM

Council Chambers, Room 300

PRESENTATIONS

JULY FLOODING IMPACTS

Assistant Chief Matthew Flagler, Cincinnati Fire Department

Director Oliver Kroner, Office of Environment & Sustainability

Director Diana Christy, Metropolitan Sewer District of Greater Cincinnati

Deputy Director Jason Fleming, Greater Cincinnati Water Works

Assistant City Manager Cathy Bailey, City Manager's Office

BUILDING ENERGY BENCHMARKING OVERVIEW

Director Oliver Kroner, Office of Environment & Sustainability

Energy Manager, Rob McCracken, Office of Environment & Sustainability

AGENDA

PRESENTATIONS

1. [202602556](#) **PRESENTATION** submitted by Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, dated 8/4/2026, regarding the July 2026 Flash Flood Response.
Sponsors: City Manager
Attachments: [Transmittal](#)
[Presentation](#)
2. [202602545](#) **PRESENTATION**, submitted by Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, dated 8/4/2026, regarding Building Energy Benchmarking Overview.
Sponsors: City Manager
Attachments: [Transmittal](#)
[Presentation](#)

ORDINANCE

3. [202602517](#) **ORDINANCE (EMERGENCY)**, submitted by Councilmember Owens, from Emily Smart Woerner, City Solicitor, **ORDAINING** new Chapter 1051, "Building Energy Benchmarking," of the Cincinnati Municipal Code to require annual energy benchmarking and reporting for certain large publicly and privately owned buildings and to provide for the administration and enforcement of a building energy benchmarking program.

Sponsors: Owens

Attachments: [Transmittal](#)
[Ordinance](#)

MOTIONS

4. [202602491](#) **MOTION**, submitted by Councilmembers Albi, Walsh, Cramerding and Owens, **WE MOVE** that the Administration provide a report within 60 days to City Council regarding the costs, timelines, and best practices associated with roadway resurfacing and reconstruction throughout the City of Cincinnati. (BALANCE ON FILE IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE) (STATEMENT ATTACHED)

Sponsors: Albi, Walsh, Cramerding and Owens

Attachments: [MOTION](#)

5. [202602494](#) **MOTION**, submitted by Councilmember Owens, **WE MOVE** that the City Administration take into all needed steps to establish a technical committee to identify the components of future building energy policies, as in alignment with Report #202601935. (BALANCE ON FILE IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE) (STATEMENT ATTACHED)

Sponsors: Owens

Attachments: [MOTION](#)

6. [202602473](#) **MOTION**, submitted by Councilmembers Walsh, Owens, Cramerding, James and Albi, **WE MOVE** that the Administration, in coordination with the Metropolitan Sewer District (MSD), evaluate the feasibility of implementing: 1. Expanded green infrastructure solutions to reduce stormwater runoff. (BALANCE ON FILE IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE)

Sponsors: Walsh, Owens, Cramerding, James and Albi

Attachments: [Motion](#)

ADJOURNMENT