



LEGISLATIVE LIAISON COMMITTEE

AUGUST 16, 2021

AGENDA

TIME: 1:00 p.m.

LOCATION: City Hall Conference Room
1 Public Square, 4th Floor

- 1) CALL TO ORDER
- 2) ATTENDANCE
- 3) ADOPTION OF MINUTES: August 9
- 4) DISCUSSION
 1. Widening of I-24 from Kentucky state line to I-65
 2. Expansion of Nashville State Community College
- 5) ADOPTION OF ITEMS TO BE PRESENTED TO CITY COUNCIL
- 6) ADJOURNMENT



LEGISLATIVE LIAISON COMMITTEE

August 9, 2021

MINUTES

TIME: 1:00 p.m.

LOCATION: City Hall Conference Room

1) **CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order at 1:00 pm.

2) **ATTENDANCE:**

PRESENT: Stacey Streetman, Chairperson (Ward 10), Ashlee Evans (Ward 11), Travis Holleman (Ward 7), Wanda Smith (Ward 6)

ALSO PRESENT: Mayor Pitts, Karen Reynolds (Ward 9), Laurie Matta, Lance Baker, David Shepard, Stan Williams, Candice Jones

3) **ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

Councilperson Holleman made a motion to adopt the minutes as presented. Councilperson Smith seconded the motion. The motion to adopt the minutes passed without objection.

4) **TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION**

1. Determination of Final Items - Chairperson Streetman stated that this meeting was for the committee to review all items presented and determine whether the items would be put on the agenda as an item to request or as a list of concerns/items to support. The Committee will meet jointly with the County on August 12, and then vote on the items as a committee on August 16.

Items Presented:

- #7-22-10 Expansion of Nashville State Community College *Mayor Pitts*
The Committee agreed to make this an item to support
- #7-26-2 Transportation projects *David Shepard, Stan Williams*
Mr. Williams suggested the Committee encourage TDOT to obligate funding for the following phases in the FY23-26 Transportation Improvement Plan:
 1. SR374/Warfield/Richview (from S of Dunbar Cave Rd. to SR 112/Madison St.) the Technical Report is completed. Next to start is the PE-NEPA;
 2. SR237/Rossvie Rd. (from W of Keysburg Rd. to SR374/Warfield Blvd.) the MPO will produce the Technical Report. Next to start is the PE-NEPA;
 3. SR48/Trenton Rd. (from near SR374/101st Pkwy. to near I-24) the PE-NEPA and Design are underway. Next to start is the Right-of-Way;
 4. I-24 widening (from KY State line to SR76/exit 11) the Technical Report is completed. Next to start is the PE as a "Design-Build."
- #7-13-1 Private utilities delay of city projects *Mayor Pitts*
The Committee discussed placing this item high on the request list but for now will keep on list of concerns.
- #7-13-2 Ongoing access to State tax information system *Laurie Matta*
The Committee agreed to place this item on the items to request list
- #7-13-3 Reappraisal services *Laurie Matta*
Ms. Matta said that all assessors are working together on this item
- #7-13-4 Calculation of certified tax rate and tax increases *Laurie Matta*
The Committee agreed to place this item on the items to request list
- #7-13-4 Increase DMV fee from \$4 to \$10 *Laurie Matta*
The Committee would like to continue forward with keeping this on the list from last year.
- #7-22-1 Discontinue disenfranchising convicted felons by no longer taking away their right to vote or hold public office
The Committee discussed making this an item of support and adding "upon conclusion of sentence" to the end of the sentence.
- #7-22-2 Make convicted felons a protected class as it relates to housing and employment discrimination
This item is more of a state and federal level item and will not be placed on either list.

- #7-22-3 Cap insulin prices and other life saving medicine
There is already legislation going forward at the State level and will not be placed on either list
- #7-22-4 Green energy and recycling grants *Councilperson Reynolds*
This item has been placed on the maybe list
- #7-22-5 Deposit for bottles and plastic *Councilperson Reynolds*
This item has been placed on the maybe list
- #7-22-6 Increased payments for daycare for low-income families (TANF) *Councilperson Reynolds*
The Committee agreed to not place on either list
- #7-22-7 Increased payments and grants for low-income families for emergency vehicles (TANF) *Councilperson Reynolds*
The Committee agreed to not place on either list
- #7-22-8 State redistricting *Councilperson Reynolds*
The Committee agreed to not place on either list
- #7-22-9 Medicaid Expansion *Councilperson Reynolds*
____ The Committee agreed to place on the maybe list
- #7-26-1 Funding options for downtown historic building and repairs *Jeff Tyndall*
The Committee agreed this item is not yet ready and to postpone/not place on either list
- #8-2-1 Open Records-charge for inspection *Laurie Matta, Lance Baker*
The Committee agreed to place on the items to request list
- #8-2-2 Cannabis *Councilperson Reynolds, Councilperson Butler*
The Committee agreed to place on the list of concerns/support items as support for a ballot measure
- #8-2-3 Award of attorney fees *Lance Baker*
The Committee agreed to list this as a maybe.

5) **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:51 pm.



**CITY OF CLARKSVILLE
LEGISLATIVE LIAISON COMMITTEE
ITEMS PRIORITIZED**

ITEMS TO REQUEST:

- Transportation items
 - SR374/Warfield/Richview (from S of Dunbar Cave Rd. to SR 112/Madison St.) the Technical Report is completed. Next to start is the PE-NEPA;
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 - SR48/Trenton Rd. (from near SR374/101st Pkwy. to near I-24) the PE-NEPA and Design are underway. Next to start is the Right-of-Way;
 - I-24 widening (from KY State line to SR76/exit 11) the Technical Report is completed. Next to start is the PE as a “Design-Build.”
 - SR12/US41A By-Pass (from SR76/MLK Blvd. To SR13/Riverside Dr.) the MPO will have technical report produced. Next to start is the PE-NPEPA.
- Ongoing access to State tax information system
- Calculation of certified tax rate and tax increases
- Increase DMV fee from \$4 to \$10
- Open Records-charge for inspection

ITEMS OF INTEREST

- Expansion of Nashville State Community College
- Private utilities delay of city projects
- Discontinue disenfranchising convicted felons by no longer taking away their right to vote or hold public office upon conclusion of sentence
- Cannabis (support ballot measure)

MAYBE

- Award of attorney fees
- Green energy and recycling grants
- Deposit for bottles and plastic
- Medicaid Expansion