

**METROPOLITAN BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

**AGENDA FOR BOARD MEETING**

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2009  
(1:30 PM)**

**CENTENNIAL PARK BOARDROOM  
2565 Park Plaza**

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
- II. ROLL CALL**
- III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- IV. APPEAL OF DECISIONS**
- V. CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES**
- VI. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS/INTRODUCTIONS**
- VII. INTRODUCTION OF STAFF, NEW EMPLOYEES, VOLUNTEERS**
- VIII. METRO COUNCIL REFERRALS**
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:**
  - 05-09-29** Judge Walter Kurtz, Judge Barbara Haynes, District Attorney Torry Johnson and Councilmember Mike Jamison requests permission to name the tower overlooking Public Square Park for Thomas Shriver.
  - 07-09-35** Dr. Glenn McCombs, Director of the School of Science and Math at Vanderbilt University, requests permission to enter a long-term permit for use of the dock on the East Bank to house the Urban Explorer, a floating environmental science lab/education/research vessel that would provide educational experiences in environmental science by engaging Nashville youth and adults in a real world context.
  - 07-09-36** Mr. Michael Servos, President and on behalf of the Foundation of Hellenism in America, requests permission to install a statue of Pericles in Centennial Park.
  - 07-09-39** Mr. Larry Hays, representing the Vanderbilt Bridge Education Association, requests permission to enter into a partnership with Metro Parks to construct a new facility at no cost to Metro on park property with opportunity to benefit the local community.
  - 07-09-40** Staff requests Board to approve acceptance of a donation of 5.676 acres of land at the end of Blueberry Hill Road connecting directly to Beaman Park from the Friends of Beaman Park.

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#### IX. OLD BUSINESS:

- 07-09-43** Discussion of proposed revision of **Policy 3000.2 Use of Facilities by Religious Organizations.**

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- 08-09-01** Mr. Emmit Martin, representing Finish Line Race Management, requests permission for amplification during their 5th annual Halloween 5K Run and Post Party on Saturday, October 17, 2009, 5:00 – 11:00 am, in Owen Bradley Park.
- 08-09-02** Ms. Cynthia Pride requests permission for amplification during a family picnic on Saturday, August 8, 2009, 5:00 – 8:00 pm, picnic shelter #4 in Cedar Hill Park.
- 08-09-03** Ms. Valerie Ealey, representing Cumulus Media (WQQK), requests permission for amplification during a Family Fun Day on Saturday, October 10, 2009, 11:00 am – 4:00 pm, in Cedar Hill Park.
- 08-09-04** Ms. Heather Karls, representing Midtown Fellowship, requests permission for amplification during a church picnic on Sunday, August 9, 2009, 4:30 – 7:30 pm, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-05** Ms. Latoya Blair and Mr. Larry Jenkins request permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony on Saturday, August 29, 2009, 5:00 – 7:00 pm, in the Sunken Garden of Centennial Park.
- 08-09-06** Mr. James C. Pipas, representing Tennessee Chapter of AFS and TWRA, requests permission for amplification during a 5K Fun Run on Wednesday, September 2, 2009, 7:00 – 9:00 am, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-07** Ms. Cathy Schooley requests permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony on Saturday, September 5, 2009, 3:00 – 7:00 pm, in the Sunken Garden of Centennial Park.
- 08-09-08** Mr. Reggie Sherfield requests permission for amplification during a family reunion on Saturday, September 5, 2009, 11:00 am – 8:00 pm, at the picnic pavilion in Centennial Park.
- 08-09-09** Ms. Dana FATHERA requests permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony on Sunday, September 6, 2009, 3:00 – 6:00 pm, in the Sunken Garden of Centennial Park.
- 08-09-10** Ms. Matrice Walker requests permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony on Saturday, September 12, 2009, 2:00 – 5:00 pm, in the Sunken Garden of Centennial Park.

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- 08-09-11** Ms. Jenny Kitchen, representing Alcohol and Drug Council, requests permission for amplification during a cookout on Tuesday, September 15, 2009, 11:00 am – 2:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-12** Ms. Kelly Fornaro and Mr. Carl Anderson request permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony on Saturday, September 19, 2009, 4:00 – 6:30 pm, in the Sunken Garden of Centennial Park.
- 08-09-13** Ms. Shelia Bess, representing *Walk from Obesity*, requests permission for amplification during a fundraising walk on Saturday, September 19, 2009, 6:00 am – 3:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Bandshell.
- 08-09-14** Ms. Mary Love Derricks, representing Baker’s Chapel CME Church, requests permission for amplification during a church picnic on Sunday, September 20, 2009, 6:00 am – 3:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Picnic Pavilion.
- 08-09-15** Ms. Mary Fones, representing Greyhound Pets of America, requests permission for amplification during a fundraising picnic on Sunday, September 20, 2009, 1:00 – 4:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-16** Ms. Lacey Spivey requests permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony and reception on Sunday, September 27, 2009, 11:00 am – 3:00 pm, in the Centennial Park Sunken Garden and Event Shelter.
- 08-09-17** Ms. Mary Lou Potter, representing HCA, requests permission for amplification during their annual Caring for the Community thank you event on Thursday, October 1, 2009, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter and surrounding greenspace.
- 08-09-18** Ms. Lisa Reeves, representing the Nashville Humane Association, requests permission for amplification during a fundraising festival on Saturday, October 10, 2009, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Bandshell and on the front lawn of Centennial Park.
- 08-09-19** Mr. Chad Wilkerson requests permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony on Sunday, October 11, 2009, 2:00 – 4:00 pm, in the Sunken Garden of Centennial Park.
- 08-09-20** Ms. Dwedor Ford, representing Born Again Church, requests permission for amplification during a church service on Sunday, October 11, 2009, 4:30 - 7:30 pm, at the Centennial Park Bandshell.

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- 08-09-21** Mr. Jeremy Elrod requests permission for amplification during a wedding reception on Saturday, October 17, 2009, 1:00 – 5:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-22** Ms. Sheila Moore, representing Down Syndrome Association of Tennessee, requests permission for amplification during a fundraiser, ***Buddy Walk***, on Saturday, October 17, 2009, 7:00 am – 2:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Bandshell.
- 08-09-23** Ms. Alana Reynolds requests permission for amplification during a wedding ceremony on Sunday, October 18, 2009, 11:00 am – 3:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-24** Ms. Kari Carlson, representing the Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance, requests permission for amplification during a fundraising walkathon on Saturday, October 24, 2008, 12:00 – 4:00 pm, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-25** Mr. Matt Peabody, representing Rally Foundation, Inc., requests permission for amplification during a fundraising 5K Run/Walk on Saturday, October 31, 2009, 6:00 – 10:00 am, at the Centennial Park Event Shelter.
- 08-09-26** Ms. Connie Gossett, representing Vanderbilt Internal Medicine Team, requests permission for amplification during a staff/family picnic on Saturday, September 12, 2009, 9:00 am – 6:00 pm, in Fannie Mae Dees Park.
- 08-09-27** Mr. Jason Ornstein, representing Team Sage Productions/Oyster Racing Series, requests permission for amplification during an Urban Adventure Fundraising Race on Saturday, October 24, 2009, 6:00 am – 6:00 pm, in Hall of Fame Park.
- 08-09-28** Ms. Kim Dettwiller, representing Team Strategies, LLC, requests permission for amplification during a fundraising 10K Run and 5K Run/Walk benefiting Soles for Souls, Inc. on Saturday, October 3, 2009, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm, on the Metro Center Levee Greenway.
- 08-09-29** Mr. Tom Kiermaier, representing Kiermaier Special Event Management, LLC, requests permission to sell alcohol during the Music City BBQ Festival, Friday, August 28, 5:00 – 11:00 pm, and Saturday, August 29, 10:00 am – 11:00 pm, 2009 in Riverfront Park.
- 08-09-30** Mr. Darryl Griffin, representing Nothing But Love Foundation, Inc., requests permission to sell alcohol during the Music City Jazz, Blues and Heritage Festival on Saturday, September 5 and Sunday, September 6, 2009, 10:00 am – 11:00 pm, in Riverfront Park.

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- 08-09-31** Ms. Laura Wall, representing the Boys and Girls Club of Middle Tennessee, requests permission to host the **Great Nashville Duck Race**, a fundraiser, on Saturday, September 19, 2009, 11:00 am – 3:00 pm, in Riverfront Park.
- 08-09-32** Mr. Dennis Freeman, representing Nashville Ultra, requests permission for amplification during a fundraising long distance run on Saturday, October 17, 2009, 5:00 am – 8:00 pm, on the Metro Parks Greenway System (Stones River, Shelby Bottoms, Downtown Connector and Metro Center Levee).
- 08-09-33** Mr. Peter Pressman, President of Nashville Striders, Inc., requests permission for amplification during the **Shelby Bottoms Boogie** (fundraising 5K/15K run benefiting CASA of Davidson County) on Saturday, September 26, 2009, 7:00 – 11:00 am, in Shelby Park, Shelby Bottoms Greenway and Riverview Shelter.
- 08-09-34** Ms. Lori Weir, representing Donelson Hermitage Chamber of Commerce, requests permission for amplification during a fundraising 5K/10K run on Saturday, October 31, 2009, 8:00 – 11:00 am, beginning on the Stones River Greenway at the Two Rivers Trailhead across the Cumberland River Pedestrian Bridge System and to the loop to the left.
- 08-09-35** Ms. Kristen Counce, representing Comcast Spotlight, requests permission for amplification during a company cookout on Friday, August 28, 8:00 am – 2:00 pm, at picnic shelters 3 and 4 in Two Rivers Park.
- 08-09-36** Mr. Alex Pearne, representing Faith is the Victory Church, requests permission for amplification during a church picnic on Sunday, September 20, 2009, 12:00 – 6:00 pm, in Two Rivers Park (all picnic shelters).
- 08-09-37** Ms. Mandy Singleton, representing Hope Clinic for Women, requests permission to host **Fun for Life** a 5K fundraising walk/run, Kids Fun Run and a birthday themed family fun zone on Saturday, September 26, 2009 in Percy Warner Park.
- 08-09-38** Mr. Frank Meeuwis requests permission for amplification during a marriage celebration picnic on Saturday, October 3, 2009, 12:00 – 3:00 pm, at picnic shelter #3 in Edwin Warner Park.
- 08-09-39** Mr. Steve West, representing 12<sup>th</sup> South Concert in the Park, requests permission for amplification and to erect a stage for a 6 p.m. neighborhood concert on August 15, 29, September 12, and 26, 2009 in Sevier Park.

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**XI. NEW BUSINESS:**

**08-09-40** Mr. Sean Siple, representing **Good Food for Good People**, requests permission to operate a community sponsored farmers market in Richland Park on Saturday mornings, 9:00 am – 12:00 noon, commencing July 11, 2009 and continuing into October with waiver of usage fees.

**08-09-41** Rev. Enoch Fuzz, representing Corinthian Baptist Church, requests permission to utilize one of the ponds at Ted Rhodes Golf Course to host an old fashioned baptism event, 1:30 – 3:00 pm, on Sunday, August 30, 2009

**08-09-42** Mr. Brian Gant, representing Uphill Grind Productions, requests permission to host the following Cyclocross Races with amplification:

Saturday, October 3	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	Cedar Hill Park
Sunday, October 4	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Cedar Hill Park
Saturday, October 31	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Cane Ridge Park
Sunday, November 1	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Cane Ridge Park
Saturday, December 5	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Seven Oaks Park
Sunday, December 6	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Seven Oaks Park
Saturday, January 23, 2010	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Two Rivers Park
Sunday, January 24, 2010	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Two Rivers Park

**08-09-43** Board requested to approve as part of the Metropolitan Government pay plan the federal minimum wage of \$7.25 which became effective July 24, 2009.

**08-09-44** Board requested to approve the acquisition and ultimate acceptance of right of way easements for the Cumberland River Greenway-TSU Connector for the following three properties:

- From Tennessee State University, map and parcel 91.08-143, .046 acres at 39th Avenue.
- From Metropolitan Development and Housing Agency, map and parcel 91.08-349, 12.24 acres at Preston Taylor Homes.
- From Nashville Western Rail Road of Tennessee at Ed Temple Boulevard adjacent to Ted Rhodes Golf Course, .01826 acres.

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### **XI. NEW BUSINESS:**

- 08-09-45** Board requested to approve the acquisition of 32.5 acres (map and parcel 69-28) at 0 Ashland City Highway for the Whites Creek Greenway in the amount of \$235,000. (Funds will be allocated from existing Whites Creek Greenway funds).
- 08-09-46** Board requested to accept the Lebanon Road truss bridge over Stones River from the Tennessee Department of Transportation to be designated as a portion of the Stones River Greenway.
- 08-09-47** Board requested to approve the lease agreement for right of way approaches to the Lebanon Road truss bridge from the Tennessee Department of Transportation for the Stones River Greenway.
- 08-09-48** Board requested to accept a greenway conservation easement for the Harpeth River Greenway from the Rolling River Homeowners Association.

### **XII. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS FROM STAFF**

Community Garden Update – Vera Vollbrecht

Shelby Park Master Plan/Miracle League Update – Curt Garrigan

### **XIII. UPCOMING SPECIAL ACTIVITIES/EVENTS – Public Information Staff**

### **XIV. REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR**

### **XV. ANNOUNCEMENTS/REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**