

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 2025 (12:00 PM)

CENTENNIAL PARK BOARDROOM

**2565 Park Plaza
Nashville, TN 37203**

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. APPEAL OF DECISIONS

IV. CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES

V. METRO COUNCIL REFERRALS

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

The public comment period is limited to twenty (20) minutes total. Persons wishing to provide comment on matters that are germane to items on the agenda must sign up prior to the beginning of the meeting, on the sign-up sheet provided at the meeting. The opportunity to provide public comment is offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Comments are limited to a maximum of two (2) minutes per person.



If any accommodations are needed for individuals with disabilities who wish to be present at this meeting, please request the accommodation through hubNashville at <https://nashville.gov/hub-ADA-boards> or by calling (615) 862-5000. Requests should be made as soon as possible, but 72 hours prior to the scheduled meeting is recommended.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

04-25-09 The Friends of Shelby Park and Bottoms requests acceptance of an in-kind grant, valued at approximately \$30,000.00, for improvements of new wayfinding signs, 10 park information signs, 3 park map kiosks, and invasive plant management and native plant installation at Shelby Park and Bottoms. There is no required match by Metro Parks associated with this grant. No money will be sent to Metro Parks. This project will be paid for directly by the Friends of Shelby Park and Bottoms. Council District 6

04-25-10 The Watkins College of Art at Belmont University requests acceptance of an in-kind grant, not to exceed \$20,000.00, for a commissioned mural of art on the rear exterior wall of the Easley Community Center at E.S. Rose Complex (1000 Edgehill Ave, Nashville, TN).

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VII. OLD BUSINESS (cont'd)

Watkins College of Art is a recipient of Metro Arts' THRIVE program award. This program connects artists and organizations with the community to create investments, cultural connections, and transformations. Council District 17

VIII. CONSENT AGENDA

05-25-01 Board approval requested of the following consent applications:

AMPLIFICATION APPROVAL

• 6 th Grade Spring Fling	Edwin Warner Park	Fri., May 9, 2025
• Pack – Celebration of Life	Edwin Warner Park	Fri., May 9, 2025
• Park Explorer Family Day	Shelby Park	Sat., May 10, 2025
• Gonzalez Picnic	Cedar Hill Park	Sun., May 18, 2025
• Day Potluck	E.S. Rose Park	Sun., May 18, 2025
• Wilson Birthday Celebration	Fannie Mae Dees Park	Sun., May 18, 2025
• Nashville Murph 2025	Shelby Park	Mon., May 26, 2025
• Metro Human Relations Commission	Centennial Art Center	Thur., May 29, 2025
• North Nashville Music Series	Kossie Gardner Park	May 29, Jun. 26, Jul. 31 & Aug 28, 2025
• Hometown Half	Richland Park Greenway	Sat., May 31, 2025
• Nashville Cricket Association	Whites Creek Cricket Ground	May 31 – June 29, 2025
• Farley Celebration of Life	Edwin Warner Park	Sun., Jun. 1, 2025
• Loving This Night	Centennial Park	Wed., Jun. 4, 2025
• Horne Church Picnic	Cedar Hill Park	Sun., Jun. 8, 2025
• Live in Da 6-1-5!	Reservoir Park	Jun 13 & 14, 2025
• ADO Family Picnic	Mill Ridge Park	Sat., Jun. 21, 2025
• Family Reunion	Two Rivers Park	Sat., Jul. 12, 2025
• Word Family Reunion	Two Rivers Park	Sat., Jul. 19, 2025
• Cleveland Park Pool Party	Cleveland Park	Sat., Jul. 19, 2025
• Bordeaux Hills Community Day	Hartman Park	Sat., Aug. 2, 2025
• Johnson Picnic	Cedar Hill Park	Sat., Aug. 2, 2025
• Adrienne & Roy Wedding	Centennial Park	Fri., Aug. 29, 2025
• Cherry's Family Reunion	Shelby Park	Sat., Aug. 30, 2025
• PMCoE Picnic	Edwin Warner Park	Thur., Sep. 11, 2025
• Living Fine in D29 - Fall Festival	Smith Spring Park	Sat., Sep. 13, 2025
• Amrize 2025 Family Picnic	Shelby Park	Sat., Sep. 20, 2025
• Music City Head Race	East Bank Landing/Wasioto Park	Oct. 10 & 11, 2025
• Sharing of Middle TN Remembrance Walk	Fannie Mae Dees Park	Sat., Oct. 18, 2025
• 31 st Annual Season to Remember	Centennial Park	Thru, Dec. 11, 2025
• Eggstravaganza Egg Hunt 2026	East Park	Sat., Mar. 28, 2026

AMPLIFICATION AND FUNDRAISING

• Chestnut Hill Neighborhood BBQ	Dudley Park	Sat., May 31, 2025
• Moose Trucks 10,000 Scoop Challenge	Walk of Famed Park	Thur., Jun 12, 2025
• 37208 Fund Community Day/Winsday Fest	Hadley Park	Sat., Jul. 12, 2025
• Wounded Warrior Project-Carry Forward 5K	Public Square Park	Sat., Sep. 13, 2025
• Charlie Brown Christmas 5K/10K	Shelby Park	Sat., Dec. 13, 2025

AMPLIFICATION AND ALCOHOL

• Longest Day of the Year Fastest Mile	Rose Park	Sat., Jun. 21, 2025
• Baby Shower	Edwin Warner Park	Sat., Jun. 28, 2025
• July 3 rd Fireworks	Mill Ridge Park	Fri., Jul. 4, 2025
• White/Wilder Wedding	Percy Warner Park	Sat., Jul. 12, 2025
• Southeast Community Day 2025	Mill Ridge Park	Sat., Jul. 26, 2025
• AmericanFest Marketplace	Walk of Fame Park	Sat., Sep. 13, 2025
• Pear Jam	Mill Ridge Park	Sat., Sep. 27, 2025

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VIII. CONSENT AGENDA (cont'd)

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| • NightLight615 | Wasioto Park | October 16 & 17, 2025 |
| • TN Hot Sauce Expo | East Park | October 18 & 19, 2025 |
| • St. Patrick's Music City Half 10K/5K | Shelby Park | Sat., Mar. 14, 2025 |

ALCOHOL

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| • Hall – Williams Wedding | Percy Warner Park | Thur., Jun. 6, 2025 |
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FUNDRAISING

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| • Tour De Nash | Frankie Pierce Park/Cumberland Greenway | Sat., May 17, 2025 |
| • Run With A Hero Fun Run | Cedar Hill Park | Sat., May 24, 2025 |
| • 25 th Annual Memorial Day Dash 5K | Fort Negley Park | Mon., May 26, 2025 |
| • The Walk for Apraxia Nashville | Shelby Park | Sat., Sep. 13, 2025 |

IX. NEW BUSINESS

- 05-25-02** Staff requests approval of a Permit for Use of Park Space for the Friends of Donelson to establish a community garden on the property located at (3101 Heartland Drive, Hermitage, TN) at Heartland Park. The permit is for a period of one year contingent upon all permit obligations being met (copies of the permit will be available for review at the board meeting). Council District 15
- 05-25-03** Staff requests approval of a Permit for Use of Park Space for the Glenclyff Neighborhood Group to host a Farmers' Market on the property located at (384 Thompson Lane, Nashville TN) at Coleman Park. The permit is from the period May to July. The permit could be renewed as an annual permit if decided. Copies of the permit will be available for review at the board meeting. Council District 16
- 05-25-04** Staff requests approval for submission and ultimate acceptance of a renewal application for the Children and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) for FY 2026. This program provides nutritious meals and snacks for children attending after school programs at seventeen (17) community centers. Council District City Wide
- 05-25-05** Staff requests acceptance of a \$2,000 general donation from the Friends of Shelby Park and Bottoms to the Metro Parks and Recreation Division. Council District 6

IX. NEW BUSINESS (cont'd)

- 05-25-06** Friends of Warner Park requests acceptance of an in-kind grant, not to exceed \$1,152,000.00, to fund the next phase of improvements in Warner Parks. There is no required match by Metro Parks associated with this grant. No money will be sent to Metro Parks. All projects will be paid for directly by the Friends of Warner Park. Council District 24
Proposed Improvement projects:

BIRD Program	175,000
Sweat Program (Program costs in excess of SWEAT grant)	30,000
Urban Nature (Program costs in excess of Staff grant)	95,000
Volunteer program	42,000
Nature Center operations & support	35,000
Invasive plant removal	400,000
Memorial benches & gardens (replacement & maintenance)	25,000
Meadow's restoration	50,000
Miscellaneous improvements (stonework, shelter repair, etc.)	50,000

- 05-25-07** The Middle Tennessee Pony Club requests acceptance of an in-kind grant, valued at approximately \$95,000.00, for the installation of a grass riding surface at Percy Warner Park. The project includes regrading the surface to have a consistent 1-2% grade using existing and high-quality topsoil and sand/soil fill, install in-ground sprinklers packing, seeding with a Bermuda and ryegrass mix, and planting native trees along the Old Hickory Boulevard right-of-way to provide a sound and visual buffer between the riding surface and traffic. There is no required match by Metro Parks associated with this grant. No money will be sent to Metro Parks. This project will be paid for directly by the MTPC and all future maintenance other than mowing. Parks maintenance staff will continue to mow the area as they do currently and will not require additional labor. Council District 34

- 05-25-08** The Friends of Shelby Park and Bottoms requests acceptance of an in-kind grant, valued at approximately \$1,500.00, to fund bus rentals for the Summer Enrichment programs at the Kirkpatrick, East and South Inglewood Community Centers to visit Shelby Park and Bottoms. There is no required match by Metro Parks associated with this grant. No money will be sent to Metro Parks. The rentals will be paid for directly by the Friends of Shelby Park and Bottoms. Council District 6

- 05-25-09** The Sister Cities of Nashville requests acceptance of an in-kind grant, valued at approximately \$8,500.00, for a commissioned mural of art on the exterior side wall of the Morgan Park Community Center. Sister Cities of Nashville and Andree Rudloff (mural artist) received a grant from the Metro Arts Commission to fund this project.

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IX. NEW BUSINESS (cont'd)

There is no required match by Metro Parks associated with this grant. No money will be sent to Metro Parks. This project will be paid for directly by the Sister Cities of Nashville. Council District 19

05-25-10 Staff requests approval of a dedicated Conservation Greenway Easement located at 0 Kemp Dr. Hermitage, TN, parcel #087100B90000CO, along Dry Fork Creek. This greenway easement will conserve 2.48 acres of open space and provide for future expansion of the Stones River/Stoners Creek/Dry Fork Creek greenway network. The easement dedication was a condition of the Planning Commission's approval of the subdivision Outlook at Arron's Cress, 2023S-189-001. Council District 12.

05-25-11 Staff requests approval of a dedicated Conservation Greenway Easement located at 532 Kemp Dr. Hermitage, TN, parcel #087100B01100CO, along Dry Fork Creek. This greenway easement will conserve .003 acres of open space and provide for future expansion of the Stones River/Stoners Creek/Dry Fork Creek greenway network. The easement dedication was a condition of the Planning Commission's approval of the subdivision Outlook at Arron's Cress, 2023S-189-001. Council District 12.

X. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

- ❖ Revenue Producing Facilitates Division to present annual update to the Board.
- ❖ Friends of Warner Park to present annual update to the Board.
- ❖ Friends of Hadley Tennis to present annual update to the Board.

XI. CAPITAL PROJECTS UPDATE – JOE STOVALL

XII. GREENWAYS/OPEN SPACE UPDATE – CINDY HARRISON

XIII. UPCOMING SPECIAL ACTIVITIES/EVENTS – WRITTEN REPORT

XIV. REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR

XV. ANNOUNCEMENTS/ REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS/OPEN ITEMS

XVI. ADJOURN