

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 2026 (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 comments 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 accommodations are needed for individuals with disabilities who wish to be present at this meeting, please request the accommodations through hubNashville at <https://nashville.gov/hub-ADA-boards> or by calling (615)862-5000. Requests should be made as soon as possible; 72 hours prior to the scheduled meeting is recommended.



VII. OLD BUSINESS

None.

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VIII. CONSENT AGENDA

03-26-01 Board approval requested of the following consent applications:

AMPLIFICATION APPROVAL

- One City Church Event Centennial Park Sun. Mar. 15, 2026
- 78th District Meeting Picnic Two Rivers Park Sat. Mar. 28, 2026
- East End United Methodist Church East Park Sat. Apr. 04, 2026
- Whites Creek Cluster Family Field Day Hartman Park Sat. Apr. 11, 2026
- 17th Annual Kites & Kids Day East Park Sat. May 02, 2026
- The Exchange Running Collective 10K Race Shelby Park Sat. May 02, 2026
- Aging Well Nashville: Spring Resource Fair Hermitage Park Sat. May 02, 2026
- Boots on the Ground Hartman Park Sat. May 09, 2026
- Chestnut Hill Neighborhood BBQ Dudley Park Sat. May 30, 2026
- McHenry Family BBQ Richland Park Fri. June 12, 2026
- 4th Annual Music City Juneteenth Dance/Walk/Run Cornelia Fort Park Fri. June 19, 2026
- Micee/Myree Family Reunion Two Rivers Park Sat. July 11, 2026
- Magnet School Cluster Bash Rose Park Sat. Aug. 01, 2026
- Nashtravaganza Community Outreach Coleman Park Sat. Sept. 05, 2026
- Evangelism Ministry Night Coleman Park Fri. Sept. 18, 2026
- Perkerwicz Wedding Shelby Park Sat. Oct. 10, 2026
- AACA TSU Homecoming Marketplace Hadley Park Oct. 16 &17, 2026
- Breakthrough T1D Walk Nashville Shelby Park Sun. Oct.04, 2026
- Season to Remember Centennial Park Thur. Dec. 03, 2026
- Run Santa Run Two Rivers Park Sun. Dec. 06, 2026

AMPLIFICATION AND FUNDRAISING APPROVAL

- Neuro Recovery Run Cornelia Fort Airpark Sat. May 09, 2026
- Walk in the Woods Edwin Warner Park Sat. May 16, 2026
- Framily 5K fir Family Friends & Fido Mill Ridge Park Sat. May 30, 2026
- Easter Egg Hunt Two Rivers Park Sat. Apr. 04, 2026
- A Charlie Brown Christmas 5K/10K 1 Mile Run/Walk Shely Park Sat. Dec. 12, 2026

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VIII. CONSENT AGENDA (cont'd)

AMPLIFICATION AND ALCOHOL APPROVAL

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| • Pete's on the River (NDP Event) | Riverfront Park | 3/26, 5/9, 6/13, 7/11 & 8/8,2026 |
| • Makers Market | Riverfront Park | Sept. 12 & Oct. 10, 2026 |
| • Nashville Cocktail Festival | East Park | Sept. 10 & Sept. 11, 2026 |
| • Picnic for the Parks | Morgan Park | Sat. Sept 19, 2026 |
| • Ratz-Caldwell Anniversary Party | Shelby Park | Sat. Oct. 24, 2026 |

ALCOHOL APPROVAL

- Nashville Food Project Orchard Planting Volunteer Workday Mill Ridge Park Thurs. Apr. 02, 2026

FUNDRAISING APPROVAL

- Music City Endo Walk Centennial Park Sat. Mar. 28, 2026

IX. NEW BUSINESS

03-26-02 Nomination of Park Board Officers as per section 1000.4 of the Metro Parks Policy Manuel (election to be held in April)

- Chairperson
- Vice Chairperson
- Secretary

03-26-03 The Nashville Parks Foundation requests approval to increase the previously approved in-kind grant for the Watkins Park Pump Track Phase II project from \$200,000 to a total of \$600,000. This grant requires no matching funds or additional obligations from Metro Parks, and no funds will be transferred to Metro Parks. The Nashville Parks Foundation will continue to coordinate with Metro Parks on the planning, design, and construction of the project. Council District 19.

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- 03-26-04** The Nashville Steam Preservation Society (NSPS) requests approval for the transfer of ownership of the train monument currently located at Centennial Park, which honors the Nashville, Chattanooga, and St. Louis Railway. Ownership of the monument would be transferred from Metro Parks to NSPS. The monument was originally installed at the site and is undergoing restoration by NSPS for reinstallation at another location. Council District 21.
- 03-26-05** The Metro Historical Commission requests approval to install a new historical marker commemorating the Bass Street Community within the boundaries of Fort Negley Park. The proposed marker location is within the area leased by the Adventure Science Center. The historical marker will be fully funded by the Metro Historical Commission using its 2024 Participatory Budget allocation and will be installed by the Nashville Department of Transportation (NDOT). There will be no cost to Metro Parks and no ongoing maintenance requirement. The marker will remain the property of the Metro Historical Commission and may be removed at its discretion or at the direction of Metro Parks. Council District 17.
- 03-26-06** The Cumberland River Compact requests approval of an amendment to its previously approved grant. The amendment increases the estimated value of renovations from \$8,000 to \$22,000 to improve a bathroom in the Metro Parks Quonset Hut at 1915 Sevier Street in Shelby Park. The Cumberland River Compact operates Root Nashville, a partnership between Metro Nashville and the Cumberland River Compact at this same location. The Cumberland River Compact will be responsible for repairs, winterization, and ongoing maintenance of the bathroom. No Metro Parks funds or other obligations are required. Council District 6.

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- 03-26-07** The Community Review Board requests acceptance of an in-kind grant for the purchase and installation of two memorial benches to be placed in Kirkpatrick Park and Watkins Park. The benches will memorialize Jocques Clemmons and Daniel Hambrick, who lost their lives on February 10, 2017, and July 26, 2018, respectively. Council Districts 6 and 19.
- 03-26-08** Centennial Park Conservancy requests the acceptance of an additional \$698,972.00 to the already approved Centennial Park Master Plan Support grant. \$200,000 will underwrite general construction expenses and \$498,972 will underwrite general pathways from the corner of 31st Ave. N and Park Plaza to the new north side grand entrance and existing one-mile loop trail. This grant requires no match or other obligation from Metro Parks. Council District 21.
- 03-26-09** Friends of Shelby Park and Bottoms request acceptance of an in-kind grant valued at approximately \$150,000 to complete the one-mile walking loop around Lake Sevier in Shelby Park. The Board approved this project in 2020 with an estimated value of \$40,000. Costs have increased to ensure ADA compliance. Proposed improvements include pavement overlay, striping, barrier installation, and signage. All work will be funded directly by Friends of Shelby Park, with no matching funds required by Metro Parks. Council District 6.
- 03-26-10** Staff requests approval of a dedicated Conservation Greenway Easement on property at 6419 HOLT RD. ANTIOCH, TN. 37013, Map and Parcel 18100009400, along Holt Creek. This greenway easement will conserve 13.79 acres of open space and provide for future expansion of the Mill Creek Greenway network. The easement dedication was a condition of the Planning Commission's approval of the rezoning for Williams Mill, 2016SP-028-004. Council District 4.

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03-26-11 Habitat for Humanity requests an amendment to conditions of the transfer of land located at 3001 Aldrich Lane, off Brick Church Pike (Parcel # 0600000151100; previously Parcel # 06000007000) accepted by the Parks Board in 2021 and approved by Metro Council through BL2021-742. At the time, Habitat agreed to develop six-acres of property as a useable park with walking trails and other amenities and to deed that park space to the Metropolitan Government for the use and benefit of the Metropolitan Board of Parks and Recreation. BL2026-1204 was approved by Metro Council on February 17, 2026, which allows the Parks Board to accept the new Park parcel without the improvements that were contemplated in 2021. Council District 2.

X. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

- ❖ Finance and Administration to present annual update to the Board
- ❖ Jane MacLeod, President of Cheekwood to provide quarterly report to the Board
- ❖ Friends of Green Hills Park to present annual update to the Board
- ❖ Friends of Fort Nashborough to present annual update to the Board

XI. CAPITAL PROJECTS UPDATE – Joe Stovall

XII. GREENWAYS/OPEN SPACE UPDATE – Amrita Chatterjee

XIII. UPCOMING SPECIAL ACTIVITIES/EVENTS- Jackie Jones

XIV. REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR

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

XVI. ADJOURN.