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METROPOLITAN BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2026 (12:00 PM)

HADLEY-LILLARD PARK REGIONAL CENTER

1037 28th Avenue North

Nashville, TN 37208

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

11-26-07 Nashville Downtown Partnership (NDP) requests approval for an in-kind public art project at Walk of Fame Park at the south end of the park near Demonbreun Street and the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, valued at up to $10,000, held in conjunction with the Artville Arts Festival. The project features a hand-painted design by local artists Elisheba Israel Mrozik and Omari Booker. This project is structured as an in-kind grant requiring no financial match or ongoing financial obligation from Metro Parks and will be funded entirely by the NDP. Council District 19.

VIII. CONSENT AGENDA

12-26-01 Permission for the following organizations to renew 2027 Permits for Facility Use for a period of one year, contingent upon all 2026 permit obligations being met. **(Copies of each permit will be available for review at the board meeting):**

12 South Farmers Market-Sevier Park- Lealand Ln.
Armada Futbol Club- Orchard Bend Park Soccer Fields
Bellevue Farmers Market- Red Caboose Park
BHN Community Pollinator Garden- Portland and 21st Ave.
Big Willie's- Shelby Bottoms Ramp, E. Bank Landing, Riverfront Park
Bike the Greenway Inc.- Shelby Park Davidson Street parking lot
Broken Paddle Outfitter- Harpeth River
Cane Ridge Community Club- Cecil Rhea Crawford Park
Charlotte Park Dixie Youth League- Charlotte Park ballfields
Chew Crew- Bells Bend Sod Farm
Crieve Hall Youth Athletic Association- William Pitts Park
Crieve Hall Youth Athletic Association- Whitfield Park Tri-plex
Cumberland Kayak- Shelby Bottoms, E. Bank Landing, Riverfront Park
Flatrock Community Market-Coleman Park
Friends of Donelson Community Garden- Heartland Park
GROW Enrichment- Two Rivers Park
Hermitage Seahawks Youth Sports- 2 youth ballfields- Old Hickory
Joelton Community Club- Joelton-McDowell Community Park
Lakewood Community Youth Athletics- Lakewood Ball Park
McCabe Park Little League- McCabe Park
Metropolitan Action Commission- Dudley Community Center
Mid-State Sports League-Frederick Douglass Sports Field
Mid-State Sports League-Isaac Litton Park
Mid-State Sports League-Two Rivers Softball Field 1 & 2
Music City BMX-Track- Hamilton Creek Park
Music City Disc Golf-Parks and Recreation parks
Nashville Amateur Radio- Smith House
Nashville Aquatic Club-Centennial Sportsplex Aquatic Center
Nashville Cricket Association- Whites Creek Park
Nashville Old Timers Baseball Association-Shelby Park Baseball Fields
Nashville Sports League-Whitfield Park Field 4

Nashville Youth Soccer Association- Heartland Park Soccer Complex
Notes for Notes- Cleveland Community Center
RBI Association- 2 youth ballfields- Seven Oaks Park
Richland Park Farmers Market- Richland Park
River Queen Voyages-Shelby Bottoms, E. Bank Landing, Riverfront Park
Sandlott Sports- Seven Oaks Baseball field and adjacent area
SORBA- Bike trails in Parks and Recreation Parks
Southern Grassland Institute-Lytle Bend Park/Shelby Bottoms Park
Stones River Woman's Club- Two Rivers Mansion
SwimStrong LLC Swim America- Centennial Sportsplex Aquatic Center
TN Soccer Club Association- Harpeth River Park Soccer Complex
Una Recreation Center- Sports fields and adjacent area- Una Park
West Nashville Sports League- Sports fields

12-26-02 Board approval requested for the following consent applications:

AMPLIFICATION APPROVAL

• Nashville Nights Under Lights	Riverfront Park	Sat. Dec. 05, 2026
• White Elephant 5K/10K	Two Rivers Park	Sat. Dec. 05, 2026
• Restoring Our Community Christmas Edition	Hadley-Lillard Park	Sun. Dec. 06, 2026
• Friends of Richland Park Tree Lighting Community	Richland Park	Sun. Dec. 06, 2026
• Shortest Day of the Year, Longest Run of Your Life	Cornelia Fort Airpark	Sat. Dec. 19, 2026
• Mims – Franklin Wedding	Shelby Park	Sat. Mar. 06, 2027
• Educational Travel Adventures	Riverfront Park	Sun. Mar. 07, 2027
• Nashville St. Paddy's Day Half Marathon 10K/5K	Two Rivers Park	Sat. Mar. 20, 2027
• Aging Well Senior Spring Fair	Hadley-Lillard Park	Sat. May 01, 2027
• 18th Annual Kids and Kites Day	East Park	Sat. May 08, 2027
• Get Move'n' 5K	Edwin Warner Park	Sat. May 15, 2027
• Faith, Fellowship, & Fun-Day	Hadley-Lillard Park	Sat. May 15, 2027
• The 615 Run	Shelby Park	Sat. June 12, 2027
• The 615 Summer Basketball Classic	Hartman Park	June 12 & June 13, 2027
• Harris Family Reunion	Centennial Park	Fri. June 18, 2027
• International Day of Yoga	Centennial Park	Mon. June 21, 2027
• Martin Family Reunion	Fannie Mae Dees Park	Sat. Aug. 07, 2027
• Hope is Available	East Park	Sat. Sept. 11, 2027
• Chloe & Bergen's Wedding Ceremony	Centennial Park	Sun. Oct. 03, 2027
• 2027 TN Korean Festival	Centennial Park	Sat. Oct. 16, 2027
• The Cornelia Fort Celebration of Courage	Cornelia Fort Airpark	Sat. Oct. 30, 2027

ALCOHOL APPROVAL

• Kicking it With Claus	Shelby Park	Sun. Dec. 13, 2026

AMPLIFICATION AND ALCOHOL APPROVAL

• Baguedano Wedding	Edwin Warner Park	Sat. Dec. 12, 2026
• R&B Festival	Riverfront Park	Sat. Apr. 17, 2027
• William Family Reunion	Hadley-Lillard Park	Sun. May 30, 2027
• CMA Fest 2027	Riverfront Park	June 10-June 13, 2027
• Lassiter Family Reunion	Centennial Park	Fri. July 16, 2027
• Turner Family Reunion	Hadley-Lillard Park	Sat. Aug. 7, 2027
• Musicians Corner	Centennial Park	Aug. 27, Sept. 3, Sept. 4, Sept.10, Sept. 17, Sept. 24, 2027
• Kidsville Family Festival	Centennial Park	Sat. Sept. 25, 2027
• The Celebrate Nashville Cultural Festival	Centennial Park	Sat. Oct. 2, 2027

AMPLIFICATION AND FUNDRAISING APPROVAL

• Richland Creek Run - Greenways for Nashville	Richland Park	Sat. Mar. 27, 2027
• R.O.P.E.S. Music City	Two Rivers Park	Sat. Apr. 17, 2027
• Centennial Park Revival	Centennial Park	Sat. May 1, 2027
• GO2 for Lung Cancer Nashville 5K Walk/Run	Centennial Park	Sat. Aug. 28, 2027
• Nashville Congenital Heart Walk	Edwin Warner Park	Sat. Sept. 18, 2027
• Steps Against Melanoma	Edwin Warner Park	Sat. Sept. 25, 2027
• Walk to Defeat ALS Nashville	Shelby Park	Sat. Oct. 16, 2027
• Epilepsy Foundation Walk	Edwin Warner Park	Sat. Oct. 23, 2027

AMPLIFICATION, FUNDRAISING, AND ALCOHOL APPROVAL

• Evening in the Park	Percy & Edwin Warner Parks	Sat. May 1, 2027
• The Shelter Dinner	Percy & Edwin Warner Parks	Sat. Apr. 10, 2027
• Spring Luncheon	Percy & Edwin Warner Parks	May 5 & 6, 2027
• Full Moon Picking Parties	Percy Warner Park	6/18, 7/09, 7/23, 8/13, 9/17/2027
• Wine on the River	Riverfront Park	Sat. Sept. 25, 2027
• Ratz Caldwell Anniversary Party	Cornelia Fort Airpark	Sat. Oct. 23, 2027
• Sunday in the Park	Edwin Warner Park	Sun. Oct. 24, 2027
• Fridays by the River	Shelby Park	4 /9/27, 4/16/27
4/23/27, 4/30/27	5/7/27, 5/14/27	5/22/27, 9/10/27
9/17/27, 9/24/27	10/1/27, 10/8/27	10/15/27, 10/22/27

FUNDRAISING APPROVAL

• A Race for Belonging-Derby Duck Race	Riverfront Park	Fri. Apr. 16, 2027

IX. NEW BUSINESS

12-26-03 Staff requests approval of a Permit for Use of Park Space for the East Nashville Athletics to utilize three ballfields in Shelby Park. The permit is for a period of six months, while Metro completes the procurement process, and is contingent upon all permit obligations being met. Copies

of the permit will be available for review at the board meeting. Council District 6.

12-26-04 Centennial Park Conservancy requests authorization to pursue state legislative approval to allow the sale and service of beer at the Croquet Café in Centennial Park, subject to applicable laws, Metro Code provisions, and Parks Board policies. Council District 21.

12-26-05 Centennial Park Conservancy requests authorization to pursue state legislative approval to allow the sale and service of wine and liquor at the Croquet Café in Centennial Park, subject to applicable laws, Metro Code provisions, and Parks Board policies. Council District 21.

12-26-06 Staff requests renewal of the management agreement with Friends of Two Rivers, effective January 1, 2027. This agreement outlines the shared operational, public access, and preservation duties for Stone Hall, Eversong Cabin, and the surrounding historic grounds. Council District 15.

12-26-07 Middle Tennessee Pony Club requests permission for the 75th consecutive running of the MTPC Horse Trails held at the Equestrian Center at Percy Warner Park and waiver of fees for the 2027 season. Council District 34.

12-26-08 Creative Parks Nashville requests approval to host its 3rd Annual Sweetheart Big Band event in February 2027 at Sevier Community Center. Alcohol sales and consumption, waiver of facility fees, and fundraising activities are also requested. Council District 18.

12-26-09 Friends of Two Rivers requests approval to host the **Comedy Show at Two Rivers Mansion** – Saturday, January 2, 2027. Fundraising activities, amplification, alcohol sales and consumption, waiver of fees, and permission to remain in the park after 11:00 p.m., if necessary, are also requested. Council District 15.

12-26-10 The Tennessee Titans request acceptance of a $5,000 cash grant to the Parks' Recreation Division to support flag football participation. Council District: Citywide.

12-26-11 Friends of Fort Negley request acceptance of an in-kind grant valued at up to $100,000 for the design, fabrication, and installation of a permanent, engraved metal battle map at Fort Negley Park. The project

will enhance visitors' understanding of the Battle of Nashville and will be completed as part of Phase I construction, subject applicable approvals. No financial contribution from Metro Parks is required. Council District 17.

12-26-12 Creative Parks Nashville requests acceptance of a $21,000 in-kind grant of equipment for audio ($13,000) and lighting control system ($8,000) upgrades at the Looby Theater to enhance performances and community programming. All expenses will be paid directly by Creative Parks Nashville. The grant requires no financial obligation from Metro Parks. Council District 2.

12-26-13 Friends of Metro Parks disABILITIES Programs request acceptance of an in-kind grant, valued at an amount not to exceed $1,400, for the purchase of a Nikon mirrorless camera and lenses to support the Shutterbugs Photography Program. The grant requires no matching funds or financial obligation from Metro Parks. Council District 21.

X. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

- Friends of Bells Bend Park to present annual update to the Board
- Friends of Beaman Park to present their annual update to the Board.

XI. CAPITAL PROJECTS UPDATES – JOE STOVALL

XII. GREENWAYS/OPEN SPACE UPDATE – WRITTEN REPORT

XIII. UPCOMING SPECIAL ACTIVITIES/EVENTS – JACKIE JONES

XIV. REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR

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

XVI. ADJOURNMENT