

NOVEMBER 2024 ADVOCACY MINUTES

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METROPOLITAN BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION

MINUTES OF ADVOCACY COMMITTEE MEETING NOVEMBER 5, 2024

A meeting of the Board of Parks and Recreation Advocacy Committee of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee was held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, at 11:00 am in the Centennial Park Conservancy Conference Room, 2565 Park Plaza, Nashville, TN. Board members present were: Mr. Pete DeLay, Mr. Shan Foster, Mr. Edward Henley III, Mr. Crews Johnston, Ms. Cheryl Mayes and Ms. Susannah Scott-Barnes. Dr. Michelle Steele was not present. Ms. Macy Amos was present to represent Metro Legal.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Pete DeLay.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Mr. Tim Tomes addressed the Parks Board.

III. BOARD DISCUSSED UPDATES REGARDING METRO PARKS SAFETY AND SECURITY.

Deputy Chief Tommy Widener, Metro Nashville Police Department and Lieutenant Bryan Irvin, Metro Nashville Parks Police provided an overview of Metro Parks safety and security. Deputy Chief Widener and Lieutenant Irvin highlighted the following: Increase in Patrol, mobile cameras, lighting, social media presence and hiring challenges, during their overview.

IV. ADJOURN



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