



**Office of the City Manager**

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June 11, 2021

Community Report: 0621-24

Honorable Terry Crow,  
Members of the City Council,  
and University City Residents:

**Administration**

On Monday, June 14, 2021, the Mayor and Council will have a Public Hearing on the proposed FY22 Annual Operating Budget. If you have an interest in viewing or participating in the public hearing, the attachment provides information on how to participate virtually (see Attachment 1)

**Public Works**

A Traffic Commission regular monthly meeting was held on Wednesday, June 9. The discussion included an extension of a parking prohibition zone on Harrison Ave. near its intersection with Liberty Ave., a reconfiguration for the Shaftesbury-Wilson intersection and cross traffic through Rowland Dr. into a property that is addressed on Old Bonhomme Rd.

The Commission has moved to forward a recommendation for approval of the parking prohibition extension on Harrison Ave. and tabled the other two items for further research and analysis.

**Parks, Recreation and Forestry**

The 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ruth Park Golf Course is June 13, 2021. (see Attachment 2)

Parks Commission is scheduled to meet on Tuesday, June 15, 2021, at 6:30 pm.

## Finance Department

New businesses that started in the City the week of 6/03/21 to 6/09/21:

- Access One Healthcare, LLC– 8123 Delmar Blvd. – 314-498-2776– Ward 1
- The Blow Up Gallery – 8361 Olive Blvd – 314-295-2666 – Ward 3

## Activities and Events

**05-22 – 6/13/2021** Come and walk the Delmar Loop to see the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual **Mannequins on the Loop** art competition! View the amazing art installation and support our local businesses. The Mannequins on The Loop is an annual competition about bringing awareness to going green and providing scholarships to our local youths. For more information, visit [mannequinsontheloop.com](http://mannequinsontheloop.com).

**6/19/2021, noon – 6pm** – In the heart of University City's Delmar Loop, THE LOOP ROADSHOW is an open-air FREE market featuring local vintage businesses and artisans. Vendors will set up on Leland Avenue, next to Vintage Vinyl. The street will be closed for the event. This event will occur every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, May through September. Visit <https://universitycityloop.com/events/loop-roadshow/var/ri-1.l-L1/> to learn more.

**06/19/2021 – JUNETEENTH** - The Loop Special Business District is working with Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Omicron Eta Omega to plan Juneteenth activities. This will include a sample of poetry/spoken word, essays and a songstress on the Harlem Renaissance & Black Arts movement period, presentation from Mathew Foggy to speak on Hype the Stripe movement, a dance troop, vocal music, theatre, arts, and design. The event will take place on June 19th at the Market in the Loop at 6655 Delmar. Visit <https://universitycityloop.com/> for details. If you are interested in getting involved in the planning of the Juneteenth Celebration, please contact Jessica Bueler at [jessica@exploreucity.com](mailto:jessica@exploreucity.com).

**6/19/21 – 6/21/21 is Make Music Weekend!** The Loop Special Business District will host a 3-day outdoor event featuring musicians from all over St. Louis. More than 50 musicians will be playing throughout the weekend. This nationally recognized event was launched in 1982 in France as the Fête de la Musique, it is now held annually in more than 1,000 cities in 120 countries. If you know a musician that would like to get involved in the festivities, please contact Jessica Bueler at [jessica@exploreucity.com](mailto:jessica@exploreucity.com).

Visit the [University City Loop](https://universitycityloop.com) website launched by the Loop Special Business District (LSBD) to offer a one-stop online resource for information about all special events and shows, restaurants and retailers, businesses and more. The website can be found at <https://universitycityloop.com>.

Visit [ExploreUCity.com](http://ExploreUCity.com) to find out what is happening throughout University City!

Respectfully submitted,



Gregory Rose, ICMA-CM, MPA  
City Manager

Attachments (2)

### Attachment 1

On March 20, 2020, City Manager Gregory Rose declared a State of Emergency for the City of University City due to the COVID-19 Pandemic. Due to the ongoing efforts to limit the spread of the COVID-19 virus, the meeting will be in person at City Hall, but the public may not observe and attend in person but may observe and attend the June 14, 2021, meeting as it has been able to do since on or about March 20, 2020.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FY22 ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET AND CIP

June 14, 2021, 6:30 P.M.  
During the City Council Meeting

Public Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing on the proposed FY22 Annual Operating Budget and CIP will be held during the June 14<sup>th</sup> City Council Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

**The Proposed FY2022 Budget and CIP are posted on City's website.**

<https://www.ucitymo.org/DocumentCenter/View/15870/Proposed-FY22-Budget-041921-Website>  
<https://www.ucitymo.org/DocumentCenter/View/15869/CIP-Projects-by-Dept-and-Funding-Source-041421>

### **PUBLIC ACCESS TO OBSERVE AND ATTEND THE STUDY SESSION (VIRTUALLY)**

**Webinar** via the link below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83080979231?pwd=K2FYeXJFMm5OVkxTUjZuZEJybkdVZz09>  
Passcode: 345470

#### **Audio Only Call**

One tap mobile:

US: +13126266799,,83080979231# or +19292056099,,83080979231#

Or Telephone:

1 312 626 6799 or 1 301 715 8592 or 888 788 0099 (Toll Free) or 877 853 5247 (Toll Free)

Webinar ID: 830 8097 9231

#### **Live Stream via YouTube:**

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyN1EJ\\_-Q22918E9EZimWoQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyN1EJ_-Q22918E9EZimWoQ)

#### **Procedure for submitting Public Hearing Comments:**

Those who wish to provide a comment; may provide written comments ahead of the meeting as follows.

**ALL written comments must be received no later than 12:00 p.m. the day of the meeting.** Comments may be sent via email to: [councilcomments@ucitymo.org](mailto:councilcomments@ucitymo.org), or mailed to City Hall – 6801 Delmar Blvd. – Attention City Clerk. Such comments will be provided to City Council prior to the meeting. Comments will be made a part of the official record and made accessible to the public online following the meeting.

Please note, when submitting your comments, a **name and address must be**

**provided.** Please also note, if a name and address are not provided, the provided comment will not be recorded in the official record.

The City apologizes for any inconvenience the meeting format change may pose to individuals, but it is extremely important that extra measures be taken to protect employees, residents, and elected officials during these challenging times.

Update Posted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2021.

LaRette Reese  
City Clerk

## Attachment 2

