



Office of the City Manager

6801 Delmar Boulevard, University City, Missouri 63130, Phone: (314) 505-8534, Fax: (314) 863-9146

August 6, 2021

Community Report: 0821-32

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

Mayor and Council Actions

The Mayor and Council are scheduled to meet on Monday, August 9, 2021 starting with a study session at 5:30 p.m. followed by the Council meeting at 6:30 p.m. To see the study session and Council meeting, please visit our website at www.ucitymo.org.

1. **Audio Only Call** - Residents can call in and listen to the audio portion of the scheduled meeting
2. **Webinar** - Residents can view the Webinar using a PC, Mac, iPad, [iPhone](#) or Android Device
3. **YouTube** - Residents can view the live stream of the Webinar on the City's YouTube page

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyN1EJ_-Q22918E9EZimWoQ

Additional details may be found on the City's website at:

<https://www.ucitymo.org/879/Virtual-Meetings>

You may sign up to receive email and/or text notification for upcoming City Council meetings via the Notify Me button on the homepage of the City's website at: <https://www.ucitymo.org/>

Administration

A public hearing to discuss the use of CDBG Funds for the 2022 program year will be held virtually on Monday, August 9th. Comments with a name and address can be sent via email to Brooke Smith at bsmith@ucitymo.org or mailed to City Hall – 6801 Delmar Blvd – Attention Brooke Smith no later than 12:00 p.m. the day of the meeting.

Public Works

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is scheduled to hold a public meeting for the University City Branch, River Des Peres General Reevaluation Report (GRR) Flood Risk Management study at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, August 17. The meeting will be held virtually and that information will be included in a press release later this week and posted to the City's website. The purpose of the meeting is to present information and gather feedback from the public on the report and answer any questions.

A Commission on Storm Water Issues regular monthly meeting was held on Tuesday, August 3. The discussion included a critique of the Army Corps draft study report and the Commission moved to recommend conducting a floodproofing survey to finetune the study assumptions as basis for the development of a Tentatively Selected Plan. The Commission further discussed the relief map model making progress as well as the third rain gauge install in the City of Olivette. In addition, the Commission discussed incorporating the alerts from the flood early warning system to University City's emergency operations protocol.

A Green Practices Commission regular monthly meeting originally scheduled for Thursday, August 12 is cancelled due to the lack of agenda items.

Parks, Recreation and Forestry

This week we completed collecting tree limbs off our streets from the recent storm. Next week we will conclude collecting tree limbs from our parks.

Fire Department (UCFD)

EMS calls for the week: **83** Fire calls for the week: **43** Total runs for the week: **126**

Finance Department

New businesses that started in the City the week of 7/29/21 to 8/04/21:

- Sprint Spectrum LLC dba T-Mobile – 6662 Delmar #E – 913-794-1452 – Ward 1
- TEE K Glam Minks – 7245 Olive Blvd. – 314-616-3694 – Ward 3

Activities and Events

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](https://exploreucity.com) to find out what is happening throughout University City!

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Gregory Rose', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Gregory Rose, ICMA-CM, MPA
City Manager