



Office of the City Manager

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November 5, 2021

Community Report: 1121-45

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

Administration

Register Now for Virtual U City Community Focus Group Meetings, Nov. 8-10.

The Community Focus Groups are a key component of the Community Vision 2040 project. These initial Community Focus Group sessions are intended to be listening sessions that provide an opportunity for residents to share their thoughts, concerns and ideas about the future of University City. Register to attend one of these virtual focus group meetings (see Attachment 1).

Help a student have a better holiday season by “adopting” a University City School family. For more information, contact the appeal coordinator, Christine Woodward – cwoodward@ucityschools.org or 314-290-4114 (see Attachment 2).

Public Works

Fall Curbside Leaf Collection is scheduled to begin in the Central area on Monday, November 8, 2021 and will be performed in that work week. We ask that our residents rake their leaves to the curb line between the Friday before collection begins in your area and Monday 7 AM of your collection week. The truck will make only one pass per household. Please do not mix other yard waste (gumballs, trash, small tree branches/limbs, brush, grass clippings, etc.) in with leaves and continue using the yard waste collection service for the disposal of other yard waste. Please contact the department office at (314) 505-8560 with any questions.

A Commission on Storm Water Issues regular monthly meeting was held on Tuesday, November 2. The Commission discussed the Army Corps General Reevaluation Report Tentatively Selected Plan (TSP) and approved a motion to recommend that staff send a letter to the Army Corps requesting responses to three questions with respect to flexibility in the use of Federal construction funds, breakdown of the costs of each nonstructural category and property addresses where the TSP funds are proposed to be used, as well as any impact of an additional time requirement for the analysis of the TSP by University City.

A Traffic Commission regular monthly meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, November 10 at 6:30 p.m. on Zoom.

A Green Practices Commission regular monthly meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 11 at 5:30 p.m. at the Heman Park Community Center.

Parks, Recreation and Forestry

The Urban Forestry Commission is scheduled to meet on Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

The Arts & Letters Commission is scheduled to meet on Thursday, November 11, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

Construction is scheduled to begin on the Heman Park Service Road/Trail beginning the week of November 8, 2021. The project will consist of the milling of existing asphalt, placement of base rock, and an asphalt overlay.

Winterization and the closure of Park restrooms is scheduled to take place the week of November 8, 2021. The restrooms are scheduled to remain closed until April of 2022.

Finance Department

New businesses that started in the City the week of 10/28/21 to 11/03/21:

- Prince Beauty Supply – 6906 Olive Blvd. – 314-766-7866 – Ward 2

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,



Gregory Rose, ICMA-CM, MPA
City Manager

Attachment 1



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November 8

- **12:00 p.m.** — <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/university-city-community-focus-group-community-vision-2040-tickets-193463333037>
(registration closes at 9:00 a.m.)
- **6:30 p.m.** — <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/university-city-community-focus-group-community-vision-2040-tickets-193469461367>
(registration closes at 2:00 p.m.)

November 9

- **6:30 p.m.** — <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/university-city-community-focus-group-community-vision-2040-tickets-193472781297>
(registration closes at 2:00 p.m.)

November 10

- **12:00 p.m.** — <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/university-city-community-focus-group-community-vision-2040-tickets-193475098227>
(registration closes at 9:00 a.m.)

<https://www.ucitymo.org/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=1044>

Attachment 2



Join

U. City Schools



Holiday Appeal Giving Campaign



Help a student have a better holiday season by “adopting” a U. City Schools family.

Due to COVID, we are asking for gift card donations to assist families.

For more information, contact our appeal coordinator Christine Woodward
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or 314-290-4114



2021 Holiday Appeal gift cards will be accepted through Nov. 30, 2021.
However, donations are readily accepted year-round!