



Office of the City Manager

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January 7, 2022

Community Report: 0122-01

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

Administration

Due to the ongoing impacts of COVID-19, we are delaying the requirement for stickers to be placed on yard waste for pickup. All other requirements such as bagging of the yard waste are still in effect. Please remember to wear a mask, social distance, wash your hands vigorously, and stay home when possible.

If you receive a text message asking you to complete a survey to “help University City serve you better...”, please be aware this is not the City of University City official survey. Our surveys are mailed, so that it minimizes the likelihood of the data becoming corrupted. The text asks that you click on a link “university citygov.org” that is not our website. Please be careful in clicking any link with which you are not familiar.

Mayor and Council Actions

The Mayor and Council are scheduled to meet virtually on Monday, January 10 starting with a study session at 6:00 p.m. and the regular meeting at 6:30 p.m.

You may observe the Meeting via Live Stream on YouTube:

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

Agendas and Packets may be found on the City’s website under public documents at: <https://apps.ucitymo.org/PublicPortal/Welcome.aspx?cr=1>

Those who wish to provide a comment during the "Citizen Participation or Public Hearing" portions as indicated on the City Council agenda; may provide written comments to the City Clerk ahead of the meeting.

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, 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 your comment is on an agenda or non-agenda item. If a name and address are not provided, the provided comment will not be recorded in the official record.

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/>

Public Works

Holiday tree pick-ups continue this week. Please set any holiday trees out front as yard waste on your regular day of collection.

Holiday lights recycling container will remain available until Friday, January 14 for our residents' use at the Fire Engine House #1 at 863 Westgate Ave. The container will be located in the enclosed foyer at the facility lobby past the outer entrance door.

A Commission on Storm Water Issues regular monthly meeting was held on Tuesday, January 4. The Commission moved to have a Locally Preferred Plan (LPP) prepared to establish a Detention Basin in the City of Overland as proposed in the Army Corps General Reevaluation Draft Report in lieu of the proposed Tentatively Selected Plan (TSP) and pursue the floodproofing and buyout items in the TSP by other funding. The Commission also directed its Subcommittee on River des Peres Risk Management to prepare a report containing the Commission's review comments on the Corps' TSP.

A Traffic Commission regular monthly meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 12 at 6:30 p.m. on Zoom.

A Green Practices Commission regular monthly meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 13 at 5:30 p.m. at a location TBD.

Parks, Recreation and Forestry

The Forestry Commission is scheduled to meet virtually on Wednesday, January 12, 2022 at 6:00 pm.

Finance Department

The following businesses opened the week of 12/23/21 to 01/05/22:

In Da Loop - 6665 Delmar, Suite 100B - 517-449-1882 - Ward 2

Peoples HealthCare STL LLC - 8147 Delmar, Suite 212 - 314-665-5206 – Ward 1

Police Department (UCPD)

Young Men's Night Out

The University City Police Department and other federal NOBLE board members participated in the community engagement with the University City High School Man of Valor group and presented them with a check for \$500.00.



Fire Department (UCFD)

University City weekly call log:

EMS =86

Fire = 110

Total Calls for the week = 196

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'.

Gregory Rose, ICMA-CM, MPA
City Manager

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