



News & Updates from the Office of Councilman Kevin McManus

March 8th 2nd Friday meeting

Please join us on Friday, March 8th, for our monthly 2nd Friday meeting at 7:30 a.m. at the Trailside Center, 9901 Holmes Road.

In addition to our regular updates from 6th District councilmen, community groups and residents, we have two guest speakers:

- [RiseKC](#), a 501(c)(3) committed to providing African-American men with education and assistance that will guide them into well-paying nursing jobs and other occupations in the health care field.
- Rick Chambers will discuss the upcoming Center School District bond question that will be on the April 2nd ballot.



Council approves KCI development agreement



On February 28th, the City Council approved an ordinance that gives the green light to design and build a modern terminal to greatly improve the customer experience and convenience at Kansas City International Airport. The new terminal will be built at the site of the closed Terminal A and is expected to open in early 2023.

The ordinance includes a Development Agreement, as well as the Developer's Guaranty (Pledge), Terminal Workforce Enhancement Program and the airlines' Use and Lease Term Sheet. This approval allows the Aviation Department begin demolition of Terminal A, and to start building the new terminal.

This milestone is a significant step forward for the project, which was supported by 75% of Kansas City voters in November 2017.

The new terminal will feature 39 gates, with infrastructure to support future expansion. More than 1 million square feet will provide room for improved and efficient security, ample amenities, and more bathrooms. The new terminal will include a two-level curbside drop-off and pickup area and a parking garage with at least 6,500 spaces. Also, waiting areas at each gate will be larger to accommodate the increasing number of passengers on modern aircraft. The City has tasked designers with making the terminal sustainable and accessible.

Construction activity is expected to begin in late March 2019, and a groundbreaking has been scheduled for March 25. An average of 800 workers would be on the job site on any given day during most phases of construction. Terminals B & C will continue normal operations during construction.

More information about the terminal project is available at www.kcmo.gov/newkci and www.flykci.com/newsroom/terminal-master-plan

2019-2020 budget update & rescheduled public hearing

The City Council is currently working to finalize the city's budget for the 2019 - 2020 fiscal year. Before voting to approve the budget, the Council holds public budget hearings throughout the city where residents provide input and feedback on what they would like to see included in the budget.

The February 19th public hearing that was cancelled due to weather has been rescheduled for **March 16th, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., at the Southeast Community Center.**

You can find more information about the budget at kcmo.gov/budget.



Solid Waste Improvements

Councilman McManus co-sponsored and the Council recently adopted a resolution (#190159) directing the City Manager to develop a comprehensive citywide improvement plan for solid waste services. The current contract for residential trash collection expires in May 2020. Staff believes the City could provide a better service at a lower cost, including potentially adding rolling trash carts and increasing bulky item collections. You can read the full text of the resolution [here](#).



Daylight Saving Time

Daylight Saving Time begins Sunday, March 10th, at 2 a.m. The Kansas City Fire Department



recommends all residents check their smoke alarms and replace their batteries at the beginning and end of Daylight Saving Time. If you are a Kansas City, MO resident and unable to perform this task or in need of a smoke alarm, you can call KCFD at 816-513-4648 and they will set up a time to assist you.

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City Council partners with KCPD for 2nd annual Ex-

Offender Hiring Fair

9701 Marion Park Drive Kansas City, MO

EX-OFFENDER HIRING FAIR

**2nd
Annual**

**Wednesday, March 13
10 am - 2 pm**

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KC Parks 2018 Year in Review

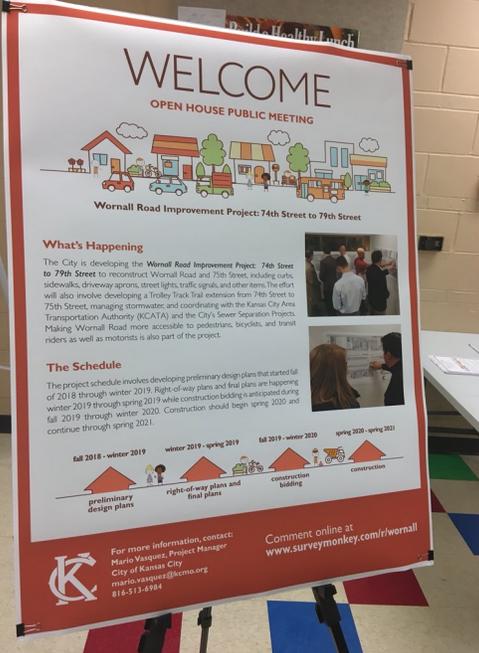
The Kansas City Parks and Recreation Department's 2018 [Year in Review is now available online](#). The Year in Review features lots of great information, including completed projects, facts and figures, special events and highlights from last year. Click on the link above or visit kcparks.org for more info.



Councilman McManus reading to students at Santa Fe Elementary for "Real Men Read" event



Councilman McManus speaks to residents in Waldo at an open house for the 75th and Wornall improvements project. More info at kcmo.gov/wornall



Upcoming Events

- **Second Friday Meeting** | March 8, 7:30 a.m. | Trailside Center, 9901 Holmes Road
- **Martin City St. Pat's Parade** | March 10, 2 p.m.
- **South Kansas City Alliance monthly meeting and Pre-K Sales Tax Discussion** | March 11, 6 p.m. | KCPD South Patrol
- **Ex-Offender Hiring Fair** | March 13, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. | KCPD South Patrol
- **Public Budget Hearing** | March 16, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. | Southeast Community Center
- **Brookside St. Pat's Parade** | March 16, 2 p.m.
- **Center Planning & Development Council** meets at 7 p.m. on the last Tuesday of every month at the Trailside Center (9901 Holmes).
- **Southern Communities Coalition** meets at 7 p.m. on the third Wednesday of every month at KCPD South Patrol (9701 Marion Park Drive).

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