

Public Improvements & Beautification Committee
Tuesday, October 6, 2020
2:00pm
Council Chambers – 3rd Floor

Councilor Crystal N. Smitherman, Committee Chairperson

- Call to Order – Chairperson, Councilor Crystal N. Smitherman
- Approval of Agenda
- Approval of Minutes:
- New Business

Request for Review of Property ----- Artemus Willis

Item 1: A request for the Public Improvement Committee to review property that has 0 voided repair permits. **1614 Warrior Road**. On September 2, 2020, **Mr. Darryl Jones, P.O. Box 8217 Birmingham, AL, 35218**, submitted an application for a Special Repair Permit. This property was condemned by City Council on August 18, 2020.

Item 2: A request for the Public Improvement Committee to review property that has 0 voided repair permits. **6014 3rd Avenue North**. On August 26, 2020, **Mr. Johnny Molette, 970 50th Street North, Birmingham, AL, 35212**, submitted an application for a Special Repair Permit. This property was condemned by City Council on May 26, 2020.

Item 3: A request for the Public Improvement Committee to review property that has 0 voided repair permits. **1300 50th Street North**. On September 24, 2020, **Mr. Keith Hall, 7318 Parkway Drive, Leeds, AL, 35094**, submitted an application for a Special Repair Permit. This property was condemned by City Council on August 25, 2020.

Planning, Engineering, & Permits-----Christina Argo

String Lighting over City Right-of-Way

Item 4: In an effort to build upon the City of Birmingham’s unique character and encourage more active uses in the public realm, the Department of Planning, Engineering and Permits and the Department of Transportation is recommending a change in the municipal code that would allow property owners to install string lights attached to buildings that stretch across city streets. These light installations will enhance the built environment by adding ambience to the place, increase safety, and provide unique experiences for the citizens of Birmingham. These

installations will also support special events and other activities when city streets are closed, also boosting economic activity for our local business owners.

➤ Adjourn

Next Public Improvements and Beautification Meeting will be November 3, 2020

Submissions are due no later than October 29th.