

AGENDA ITEM COMMENTARY

MEETING NAME: Economic Development Corporation Board Meeting

MEETING DATE: 11/5/2024

ITEM TITLE: Consider and take appropriate action on the EDC funding park clean

up.

STAFF INITIATOR: Danielle Sweat-EDC Director

BACKGROUND:

The condition of our city parks has become a pressing topic of conversation among our residents. With a surge of new families and individuals moving into our community, our parks—especially Frenship Mesa and Patterson Park—are experiencing significantly increased usage. Unfortunately, this has led to wear and tear, with areas covered in stickers and in need of serious maintenance and care. Prioritizing the beautification and upkeep of our public spaces is not only essential for the enjoyment of our current residents but is also a strategic investment in our city's future. As we aim to attract new businesses, we must recognize that these companies will bring employees and their families who will be looking for vibrant, well-maintained outdoor spaces. A commitment to enhancing our parks will play a pivotal role in making our community an appealing place to live and work.

EXHIBITS:





Do we call the city about the park?

There are stickers evvvvvvverywhere. My kiddo fell once and it was game over with all the stickers she got on her. Definitely will go to another one to enjoy our time.



COUNCIL ACTION/STAFF RECOMMENDATION: