

The Winburn Report

City of Cincinnati— The Office of Councilman Charlie Winburn

The Winburn Wrap-Up

Winburn Fights for Jobs

Hello All!

It has been an exciting month at City Council.

The 2010 budget passed in December so this past month we've been able to start governing.

The city's new Job Creation Committee met for the first time this past month.

We've had some great discussions on the city's Small Business Enterprise (SBE) programs. It is vital to our city that we have strong small businesses that drive our economy and encourage job growth. If our small businesses are strong then our unemployment will decrease. Cincinnati's SBE

programs will be my top priority for the Job Creation Committee.

The next meeting of the Job Creation Committee will be held on February 16 at 1:00 P.M. At this meeting the City Administration will present recommendations and updates to the city SBE certification, bidding processes, and compliance. The committee is open to the public in Council Chambers at City Hall.

This past month the President and Governor of Ohio gave their State of the Union and State of the State speeches. Right now

our State and Country are facing hard times just like our city. It is imperative that we stop the bleeding and get people back to work. We have seen great progress with the new Great American Tower and with new businesses popping up around Fountain Square. I encourage you to get involved in the process of turning our city around by attending our Job Creation committee every other Monday and every Wednesday at City Council.

Thanks a Million!

Charlie

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Community Spotlight—Hyde Park

This month's profile takes us to the east side of Cincinnati.

Hyde Park gained prominence in 1892 when a group called the Mornington Syndicate. This group purchased the area of land between Observatory Road, Edwards Road, and Madison Pike. In 1896 the first election for Village officials

occurred. During its time as a village, Hyde Park was known for its low crime and its Kilgour Fountain.

Today Hyde Park is known for its famous square. Here you can find numerous restaurants. Just up Edwards road from the square is Arthur's. A cornerstone of Hyde Park, Arthur's is known for its burger's and

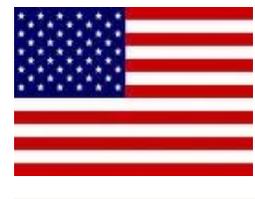


atmosphere. In the summer people can relax on their back patio for a nice, casual evening out.

For more information about Hyde Park visit hydeparksquare.org.

Special points of interest:

- Winburn Wrap-Up
- Job Creation Committee Convenes
- 2010 Neighborhood Summit
- Upcoming Events



Citizen of the Month

February's Citizen of the Month award goes out to everybody who helped the residents of Haiti.

As many people know on January 12, Haiti was hit by an intense earthquake that left most of the country in shambles. Over 150,000 people lost their lives in this tragic event.

Out of this event has come a great humanitarian effort from our City, State, and Country. There have been many stories of goodwill from citizens all over the Cincinnati area that it would be unjust to choose one group over another.

Cincinnati Fun Fact-

- On February 22, 1949, the Cincinnati Gardens first opened at a cost of \$3 million. At the time of its opening, it was the 7th largest in the nation.

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Upcoming Events

- Feb. 12- 2010 Winter Olympics Starts
 - Feb. 15- President's Day
- Feb. 16- Job Creation Committee
- Feb. 25-27- Cincinnati Auto Expo-
Duke Energy Center
- Feb. 26-27 Neighborhood Summit-
Xavier University Cintas Center

2010 Neighborhood Summit- Feb. 26 & 27

On February 26 & 27, Xavier University's Cintas Center will be home to Cincinnati's 2010 Neighborhood Summit. This summit will bring people together from all over the city to develop **Plan Cincinnati**, Cincinnati's first comprehensive plan since 1980.

The purpose in creating the comprehensive plan is to update the city's long term goals to include city growth and development into its broad based policy plan. This plan will also take into consideration the goals of GO Cincinnati and Agenda 360. With the use of these two pol-

icy's, the 2010 Neighborhood Summit will work to finalize goals and identify action steps for the major elements of the plan.

The Summit will include working groups during the day that will focus on **Arts and Culture, Economic Development and Business Retention, Health Environment and Open Space, Historic Conservation, Housing and Neighborhood Development, Transportation and Transit, and Urban Design**. These small groups will work to provide direction and establish goals for the plan.

Joining the summit will be former Mayor of Washington D.C. Anthony Williams and Keynote Speaker Scott Bernstein. They will share new approaches to the problems of urban areas.

For more information about the 2010 Neighborhood Summit and Plan Cincinnati please visit www.plancincinnati.org or call 513-352-4845.

**To register visit
[www.xavier.edu/
communitybuilding](http://www.xavier.edu/communitybuilding).**

"I'm Charlie Winburn and I work for you. Please feel free to contact me at my office with the information provided above. It is a honor to be your City Councilman and I look forward to serve you for the next two years."

