



**AGENDA/COMMITTEE REPORT**

**ARTS, PARKS, LIBRARIES, & ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, January 21, 2025**

**5:30 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.**

**Committee Room 4**

Members (11)

Quorum (6)

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( ) ( ) Gadd, Chair

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**PUBLIC COMMENT**

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**RESOLUTION**

**1. [RS2025-961](#) (Porterfield, Gadd, Ewing, Toombs)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

A resolution to approve the criteria for Operating Support and Thrive grants for the Metropolitan Nashville Arts Commission.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV
<b>AMENDMENT – CM Porterfield</b>			

**2. [RS2025-962](#) (Kupin, Porterfield, Gadd, Welsch, Ewing, Allen, Huffman)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

Accepts an in-kind grant from the Cumberland River Compact to the Nashville Farmers' Market, to convert underutilized asphalt into green space.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV

**3. [RS2025-975](#) (Porterfield, Gadd, Welsch, Ewing)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

Accepts the terms of a cooperative purchasing master agreement for performing arts apparel, instruments, equipment and related services for the Nashville Public Library.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV

**4. [RS2025-976](#) (Porterfield, Gadd, Allen)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

Accepts the terms of a cooperative purchasing master agreement for electric vehicle charging stations, accessories and maintenance plans for the Nashville Public Library.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV

**5. [RS2025-977](#) (Kimbrough, Porterfield, Gadd, Welsch, Suara, Ewing, Allen, Huffman, Toombs)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

Accepts a grant from the Tennessee Department of Disability and Aging to the Nashville Public Library, for the purchase and installation of an adult-sized changing table in the family restroom of the Bordeaux Branch Library.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV

**6. [RS2025-978](#) (Porterfield, Gadd, Welsch, Huffman)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

Approves an application for a Game On! grant from the Games and Gaming Round Table of the American Library Association to the Metropolitan Nashville Library, to enable libraries to develop gaming programs or collections for the community.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV

**7. [RS2025-979](#) (Toombs, Porterfield, Gadd, Gamble)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

Referred to the Planning & Zoning Committee (Gamble)

Approves a lease agreement by and between the United States of America, Department of Army, and the Board of Parks and Recreation for a parcel of property adjacent to the Cheatham Lock and Dam.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV

**BILL ON SECOND READING**

**8. [BL2024-677](#) (Porterfield, Gadd, Welsch, Evans Segall, Vo)**

Referred to the Budget & Finance Committee (Porterfield)

Referred to the Arts, Parks, Libraries, & Entertainment Committee (Gadd)

Approves a license agreement between the Nashville Public Library, and Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., a Virginia Corporation, to digitize certain library documents and microfilm records.

ACTION	IN FAVOR	AGAINST	NV

**9. CHAIR REPORT / UPDATES**

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