

**Ann Arbor City Council Regular Session: October 18, 2021**  
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2	7:51 PM		PAC Distribution	Monica Hamlett		Email addresses	Privacy
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4	9:11 PM		PAC Distribution	Michael Peabody		Email address	Privacy
5	9:55 PM		Jeff Hayner	Caitlin Shaughnessy-Parrish		Email addresses	Privacy
6	10:01 PM		Rita Mitchell	Jacqueline Beaudry	Christopher Taylor, John Fournier, Anne Bannister	Email address, phone number	Privacy
7	10:07 PM		PAC Distribution	Mary Ross		Email addresses	Privacy
8	10:08 PM		Jacqueline Beaudry	Rita Mitchell	Christopher Taylor, John Fournier, Anne Bannister	Email address, phone number	Privacy
9	10:32 PM		Rita Mitchell	Jacqueline Beaudry	Christopher Taylor, John Fournier, Anne Bannister	Email address, phone number	

## Journal Archive

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**From:** Monica Hamlett [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 7:51 PM  
**To:** PAC\_Distribution  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Community Food Forest ripple

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Hello,

I wanted to be sure to write and say how much the community food forest means to me on behalf of so many people. I am Monica Sison, mom to one (almost two) little ones, and we are ypsilanti residents. Our dear friends live near and are active participants and stewards of the food forest, and through them we are touched. We are making collaborative efforts to connect between our local growing efforts here and in Ann Arbor, supporting moms who provide for their families in this way, and inspiring children and the greater community with access to fresh food, soil regeneration, and connection with the earth. The Community Food Forest will be an indispensable part of its neighborhood, it is preventative physical and mental health care, entrepreneurship incubation, multi generational connection, creating future stewards of the land and a model for future food forests.

Soil and ecological regeneration is a key component of the climate crisis solution. Care of land such as this is wisdom that needs sharing and experiencing hands on so we can grow the movement.

I cannot think of a better program to support, I ask that you approve the Community Food Forest going forward. Thank you for thinking of the people it will benefit, from baby to senior, adjacent to the farmer and far.

Best,

Monica Sison

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** Hayner, Jeff  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 7:57 PM  
**To:** Monica Hamlett  
**Subject:** RE: Community Food Forest ripple

Dear Ms. Hamlett,

Thank you for sharing your support for and experiences with the Community Food Forest project. This project has been one of the best things I have been a part of in my time on council, not only for the fine example it sets for natural stewardship and community building, but for giving me the opportunity to meet new people and learn new things. I will do all I can to see that this project continues to receive city support, and continues to grow and evolve.

Sincerely,

Jeff Hayner  
Ward 1 City Council

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Dear Park Advisory Commission,

I am writing to your group today in **support** of the **Community Food Forest at Leslie Park**.

I have volunteered my time to help work at this wonderful project. I feel this is a great use of our community parks and land use.

I have found my time there to be very educational. It's a fun way to share in the community activities of planting and enjoying the diversity of people and the food offered.

I have just eaten some of the fresh food and great tasting Sun Chokes this past week end, Mmm good!

I would urge your commission to continue to support this local group. Please keep this great idea and project going with my local tax dollars.

Thanks for your time

Michael J Peabody  
Verle Ave, Ann Arbor MI

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**From:** Caitlin Shaughnessy-Parrish [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 9:55 PM  
**To:** Hayner, Jeff  
**Subject:** Re: Please Support the Community Food Forest Coalition

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Thanks so much, we really appreciate your attention and support.

On Mon, Oct 18, 2021, 1:08 PM Hayner, Jeff <[JHayner@a2gov.org](mailto:JHayner@a2gov.org)> wrote:

Thank you, I appreciate your kind words and plan to continue my full support for this project.

Jeff Hayner

Ward 1 City Council

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**From:** Caitlin Shaughnessy-Parrish [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Saturday, October 16, 2021 12:40 PM  
**To:** PAC\_Distribution <[PAC@a2gov.org](mailto:PAC@a2gov.org)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] Tooya Ritchey [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Please Support the Community Food Forest Coalition

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Hello,

My name is Caitie Shaughnessy and I am a resident of Ann Arbor and have been living here for 13 years. Having access to beautiful, fresh produce is a blessing that I do not take for granted. I see the members of the Community Food Forest Coalition working to increase accessibility to beautiful food, building community, caring for the earth and each other. This project is new and gaining momentum. It has already improved the well-being of everyone involved immeasurable. Please do everything you can to help uplift and support these community members in their meaningful project and approve the Community Food Forest as it grows into the future.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Warmly,

Caitie Shaughnessy

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**From:** Beaudry, Jacqueline  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 10:01 PM  
**To:** Rita  
**Cc:** Taylor, Christopher (Mayor); Fournier, John; Anne Bannister  
**Subject:** RE: PH -3, Opportunity to speak

Hi Rita:

There is still another chance to speak at the end of the meeting, if that helps. I am copying Mayor Taylor regarding your comment about repeating \*9. I know he does pause before closing the hearing to ensure no one jumps on late, but we had another caller tonight who had trouble as well and finally dropped off the Zoom. I can also forward your written comments if you want to send them to me.

Sorry again,  
Jackie

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Rita [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 9:13 PM  
**To:** Beaudry, Jacqueline <JBeaudry@a2gov.org>  
**Subject:** PH -3, Opportunity to speak

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Hi Jackie,

I did try to speak during the Public hearing for PH-3, the hearing on Concordia Pines. There was no acknowledgement of my #9 raised hand. It may have been my timing that was completely off. I did expect to hear the cue to raise my hand, and did not. Is there a possibility to have the opportunity to talk?

It would be helpful to have the cues repeated multiple times during meetings.

Thanks for considering!

Rita Mitchell  
[REDACTED]



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**From:** Mary Ross [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 10:07 PM  
**To:** PAC Distribution  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Approve the Community Food Forest at Leslie Park

This message was sent from outside of the City of Ann Arbor. Please do not click links, open attachments, or follow directions unless you recognize the source of this email and know the content is safe.

Dear Parks Advisory Commission,

I am writing to encourage your approval and continued support of the Community Food Forest at Leslie Park.

I live in Ann Arbor, and regularly visit friends who in Arrowwood Hills Cooperative, by the Community Food Forest. The Food Forest is a wonderful, inspiring project and I am so happy for everyone who is part of it and lives nearby.

I have personally experienced the positive impact a community food forest can have. I myself have been a volunteer in my neighborhood's food forest (the Buhr Park Food Forest here in Ann Arbor) for five years. My entire family has benefited from having this food forest in our neighborhood: my children and I have learned practical skills related to food, plants and the natural world; we've also had the opportunity to watch how, over time, our labor can transform the land and have a positive impact on our community; and we've enjoyed eating and sharing with others the food that the land, and our work, has produced. We've become more deeply connected to our community--our neighbors, our fellow volunteers, and just folks who stop by to ask about what we're up to when we're at work--and that's a direct result of the food forest. The food forest has been a gift to our whole family and to our neighborhood.

The Community Food Forest at Leslie Park is a wonderful project--one that likewise stands to be a gift to many in Ann Arbor--and I strongly encourage the Parks Advisory Commission to approve it going forward.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

Mary Ross

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**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 10:08 PM  
**To:** Beaudry, Jacqueline  
**Cc:** Taylor, Christopher (Mayor); Fournier, John; Bannister Anne  
**Subject:** Re: PH -3, Opportunity to speak

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I suggest that the agenda information include the cues for members of the public to participate in the meetings or that the meeting managers repeat the cues during the course of meetings. It seems simple, but the phone key strokes to participate are not details that I remember over time.

Thank you. I will decide whether to call in to Council later.

Rita

> On Oct 18, 2021, at 10:00 PM, Beaudry, Jacqueline <JBeaudry@a2gov.org> wrote:

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