



LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

CASSIE CHAMBERS ARMSTRONG
DISTRICT 8 COUNCILMEMBER
Dear District 8 Businesses,

MEGAN METCALF, JD
LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT

I'm so glad to see so many of you thriving following a very tough year for our small businesses. It is wonderful to see so many people coming out to support your establishments.

As you reopen hope that many of you will participate in our Neighborhood Nights small business events, which will be held the third Wednesday of every month. We will have trolley stops up and down the corridor, and we hope to feature different businesses each month. If you would like to be featured, please let me know.

As activity on the corridor increases, however, we have also received increased complaints around some issues. Below are a few friendly reminders.

First, and maybe most significantly, we've seen a marked increase in the trash along the sidewalks. As a reminder, local law requires businesses to keep the exterior property and premises free from trash accumulation (Louisville Metro Code of Ordinances 156.055(A) et seq; 156.053). Please make sure whoever closes and opens your business each day picks up the trash on your property.

We want to celebrate businesses who are acting neighborly, so please take photos of yourselves in action when you are picking up litter and email them to megan.metcalf@louisvilleky.gov. We will push them out on social media and in our newsletter so that residents can see local businesses taking pride in the community.

Second, we have also heard concerns about rising noise levels in the neighborhood. Our local noise ordinances makes it "unlawful for any person within Louisville Metro to make, continue, or cause to be made or continued, any unreasonably loud, harsh or excessive noise which either annoys, disturbs, injures, or endangers the comfort, repose, health, peace, or safety of others." Louisville Metro Code of Ordinances 99.02. Please be mindful of our dense residential areas and limit noise where you can.

Finally, a note about graffiti. Our office works with the Highlands Commerce Guild to fund a graffiti abatement program, so if your private business is tagged, please email graffitibuster@gmail.com, and someone will come out to assist.

We are here to help however we can. We want to be a partner as you all, so please let us know how we can help!

Sincerely,



Cassie Chambers Armstrong