

Knoxville-Knox County Food Policy Council Meeting Minutes

Date & Location: Thursday, August 16, 2018; Knox County Health Department

Type of Meeting: Regular

Recorder: Kimberly Pettigrew

Attending Appointed (Voting) Members	Rebecca Saldivar - Tootsie Food Truck Fiona McAnally - Knox County Health Department Kimberly Pettigrew- Nourish Knoxville Willa Essie- Community Volunteer Judith Pelot- Mobile Meals Kristen Faerber- Friends of the Library Heather Kyle-Harmon- UT Extension Ellen Morar – YMCA
Attending Associate Members	Jim Gray- East TN Permaculture Jen Russomanoo- Two Chicks and a Farm Victoria Raschke- SFTV, Fresh Savings
Other Attendees	Hunter Sinclair- Howard Baker Center for Public Policy Elizabeth Wunschel- UT Extension Sally Buice- Nourish Knoxville Erin Reed- KCHD Matthew Gabb- CAC Beardsley Jake Resor – Center for Urban Agriculture Sara Keel- CAC Beardsley/Mobile Meals

1.	Kimberly called the meeting to order. Rebecca called vote- <u>June minutes unanimously approved</u>
2.	<p>ReCode Knoxville Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 2nd draft of the ReCode Knoxville zoning ordinance has been released and can be viewed here. Public meetings are scheduled in various parts of town through mid-October, and can be found on the ReCode website: recodeknoxville.com/2018/07/24/summer-meetings Please consider attending one of the public meetings and asking questions. The Food Policy Council is planning to draft comments to submit prior to the final draft, and we'll rely on the input/concerns/support of our members to compose those comments.
4.	<p>PRESENTATION:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Joseph Blauvelt, UT Culinary Institute- Preservation Kitchen</i> UT Kitchen has free access to the public on Saturdays through the beginning of October to preserve local produce with a grant in honor of Sam Bell. Participants sign-up online, bring in produce and storage vessels, and they can use the equipment for free. No experience needed, UT educators are there to help assist. Can host groups of up to 12. Hoping to write a HAACP Plan to take the produce that is donated by local farmers and then donate it to food assistance help centers.
7.	Next meeting: September 20, from 8:30-10am @ the KCHD Community Room