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Mike Brown Joins Columbus Recreation and Parks Commission

Mike Brown, CTA and Vice President of Strategic Development for Experience Columbus has been appointed by Mayor Andrew J. Ginther to serve on the Columbus Recreation and Parks Commission for a term that expires December 31, 2020.

“Recreation and Parks plays an important role in creating a quality of life and environment that attracts residents and visitors, so having a representative from Experience Columbus on our Commission is incredibly important to our work. Mike’s experience will be a tremendous asset to the Department and City. I truly look forward to working with him”, said Tony Collins, Director of Columbus Recreation and Parks Department.

Brown has worked at Experience Columbus since 2010; first as the Director of Development and Public Affairs and now as VP of Strategic Development. Prior to Experience Columbus, Brown worked for the City of Columbus as Mayor Coleman’s Director of Communications and Urban Ventures Coordinator.

“Creating experiences for residents in their neighborhoods and our millions of visitors is important work, and I look forward to helping Columbus Recreation and Parks make our City parks, festivals, recreation centers and outdoor natural spaces world class”, said Mike Brown.

The Recreation and Parks Commission is a nine member body charged with providing oversight and strategic guidance to the Department including the construction, custody, maintenance, control, operation and administration of all the recreational facilities and public parks. They meet the second Wednesday of each month.

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