

## **The Banks January 2014 Media Summary**

The following are mentions of The Banks in broadcast and online publications for the month of January, 2014.

Summary of this month's coverage: 19 broadcast/digital stories and/or mentions

Please note that due to the number of media mentions, outlets carrying the same story have been combined under that story topic (with links where available).

*\* no link available*

### **Articles/Mentions**

#### **Development around Reds' ballpark may hold lessons for Cobb**

The bars, restaurants and apartments that have risen along the Ohio River and have cost taxpayers here tens of millions of dollars in subsidies and tax abatements.

**The Atlanta Journal Constitution**- Jan.5

<http://www.ajc.com/news/news/development-around-reds-ballpark-may-hold-lessons-/ncbzQ/>

#### **See what's new at Smale Riverfront Park**

Cold weather hasn't stopped to construction of Smale Riverfront Park. Project Manager Dave Prather displayed all of the latest progress at the site in a recent video posted on the Cincinnati Parks' YouTube channel.

**Cincinnati Business Courier**- Jan. 16

[http://www.bizjournals.com/cincinnati/blog/2014/01/heres-an-update-on-construction-at.html?surround=etf&ana=e\\_article](http://www.bizjournals.com/cincinnati/blog/2014/01/heres-an-update-on-construction-at.html?surround=etf&ana=e_article)

#### **Sidewalk shut down The Banks this morning**

The sidewalk shut down part of The Banks early this morning around 1 a.m., outside of Yard House. This was due to a transformer exploding.

**WCPO\***- Jan. 21

**WXIX\***- Jan. 21

#### **A big gift for Smale Park**

The Oliver Family Foundation gave one million dollars to the Cincinnati Parks Foundation. This donation is essential for sustaining and maintaining the park.

**WLWT\***-Jan. 21

### **County administrator: Office building at The Banks not imminent**

Hamilton County officials downplayed the likelihood of a 20-story office building being built at The Banks on Wednesday.

**Cincinnati Business Courier**- Jan. 22

<http://www.bizjournals.com/cincinnati/news/2014/01/22/county-administrator-office-building.html>

### **Phase two of The Banks calls for a building taller than the Bengals' lease allows**

Phase two of The Banks requires a building eight feet higher than the Bengal's lease allows. The Bengals request sole ownership of naming rights in exchange for the eight extra feet of building.

**WCPO**- Jan. 22

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**WKRC**- Jan. 22

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**WSTR**- Jan. 22

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**WKRC DT**- Jan. 23

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**WLWT**- Jan. 26

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### **Banks developers cash in on Phase I, again**

Developers on the first phase of The Banks have sold another portion of the project. Carter and Dawson and USAA Real Estate sold the 12,500-square-foot Yard House.

**Cincinnati Business Courier**- Jan. 24

<http://www.bizjournals.com/cincinnati/news/2014/01/24/banks-developers-cash-in-on-phase-i.html>

### **Height debate not holding up Banks work**

Hamilton County currently is seeking a variance from the agreement with the Bengals to allow for an extra 8 to 10 feet for the parapet. Yard House site sold for \$8.7 million.

**Cincinnati Ohio News**- Jan. 25

[http://news.cincinnati.com/article/20140125/BIZ/301250030?nclick\\_check=1](http://news.cincinnati.com/article/20140125/BIZ/301250030?nclick_check=1)