

Committee endorses \$11M FedEx tax package

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A Kansas City Council committee has endorsed an \$11 million tax-abatement package to attract a 200-job sorting and distribution center to Northland Park in Kansas City, North.

Troy Nash, chairman of the City Council's Planning, Zoning & Economic Development Committee, said Wednesday that the incentives for a FedEx Ground Package System Inc. hub elicited little discussion.

The City Council will consider the company's request on Thursday.

The Business Journal reported Jan. 31 that FedEx wanted to open the warehouse in the spring of 2006. The project is part of a six-year expansion that will almost double the company's capacity to ship packages.