City of Detroit CITY COUNCIL

HISTORIC DESIGNATION ADVISORY BOARD

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August 10, 2018

RE: Hart Plaza National Register Nomination Grant

Colleagues,

The City of Detroit, Historic Designation Advisory Board (HDAB) received a grant from the National Park Service, Historic Preservation Fund, through the Michigan State Historic Preservation Office, to identify historic features of Hart Plaza in the Detroit Civic Center. Our consultant, Quinn Evans Architects, has surveyed all of the resources on the plaza, including buildings, structures, objects, and intentional landscapes, and has completed the Hart Plaza National Register nomination. The project is now in its final phase, which consists of gathering input, from the public and interested parties, at the local and state level before submission to the National Park Service for official listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

You are receiving this notification because of your interest in Hart Plaza and this project. We encourage comments directed to both the Historic Designation Advisory Board and the State Historic Preservation Office by September 13, 2018 for the public record.

The Hart Plaza National Register Nomination form can be accessed at www.detroitmi.gov/Government//Boards/Historic-Designation-Advisory-Board-Information beginning on August 10, 2018. There are several ways that you can provide your comments:

By email:

historic@detroitmi.gov walsht@michigan.gov

By mail:

Letters of support or opposition can be sent to the HDAB and/or SHPO office and will become part of the public record.

Historic Designation Advisory Board Coleman A. Young Municipal Center, 2 Woodward Avenue, Suite 218, Detroit, MI 48226 State Historic Preservation Office 735 East Michigan Avenue P.O. Box 30044 Lansing, MI 48909

In Person:

September 13, 2018: Historic Designation Advisory Board Meeting, Certified Local Government Review, 4 PM, Coleman A. Young Municipal Center, 2 Woodward Avenue, Committee of the Whole, 13th floor, Detroit.

September 14, 2018: State Historic Preservation Review Board Meeting, 10 AM, Michigan State Housing Development Authority, 735 East Michigan, Lansing.

If you have any questions regarding this project, please do not hesitate to contact HDAB staff at (313) 224-3487 or historic@detroitmi.gov. Thank you for your interest.

Sincerely

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Hart Plaza NR Nomination Project Manager

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