



City of Detroit

CITY COUNCIL

MARY SHEFFIELD
CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT
DISTRICT 5

MEMORANDUM

TO: Legislative Policy Division (LPD)
FROM: Mary Sheffield, President, Detroit City Council
DATE: April 4, 2022
RE: Request for Drafting of Resolution Officially Creating 313 Day in Detroit

March 13th of every year is 313 Day in Detroit. As stated by The Detroit News, the area code was established in 1947 and serves Wayne County, including the city of Detroit and other larger cities and communities such as Dearborn, Dearborn Heights, Detroit, Hamtramck, Inkster, Lincoln Park, Redford, and Taylor. Detroit City Council, as well as our fellow Detroiters, use 313 Day to honor the history and culture of the well-known Michigan city.

Detroit, as founded in 1701, has a long-established history. We are known as the Motor City and for being the heart of the American Automotive Industry. Additionally, Detroit is the home to Michigan staples such as Ford Field, the Detroit Lions, the famous Lafayette Coney Island vs. American Coney Island food battle, and the beautiful Belle Isle.

My office is asking the Legislative Policy Division (LPD) to draft a resolution officially creating 313 Day in Detroit. Please contact Caryn Shannon from my office at caryn.shannon@detroitmi.gov if you have any questions.

Cc: Honorable Colleagues
City Clerk