

Council Member Angela Whitfield Calloway District 2

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TO: Ron Brundidge

Department of Public Works

FROM: Council Member Angela Whitfield-Calloway

DATE: March 13, 2023

RE: 2023-2024 Department of Public Works Budget Questions

1. There is a persistent growing concern about the maintenance of our city owned sidewalks:

- a. Question: How many miles of city owned sidewalks does the City of Detroit have? Is there a ballpark dollar amount to cover the maintenance of our city owned sidewalks for repair? Ideally, how long would it take for DPW to complete repairs for all city owned sidewalks?
- 2. The city of Detroit has an illegal dumping problem:
 - a. What and How can DPW help curb illegal dumping across the city? Are we working adjacent county agencies to coordinate in stopping illegal dumpers who cross city and county lines to dump in Detroit? What would a successful illegal dumping enforcement program look like?