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5	Illegal dumping clean up weekly including cameras in those active areas	Meeting	illegal dumping								
5	Total transparency to include where every \$ go.	Meeting	transparency in budget								
5	money to commuity groups	Meeting	community group funding								
5	Money for senior help	Meeting	senior supports								
5	Business Property Acquisition support	Meeting	small business support								
5	Wild life containment. Raccoons,Dears,possoms	Meeting	pest and wildlife control								
5	thank you Dr. low income housing, affordable housing and home ownership programs	Meeting	affordable housing	homeownership							
5	assisting seniors with their property or updating senior facilities, small business support, money for civic engagement, helping the condo and co-op communities with management issues	Meeting	senior supports	small business support	community group funding						
5	infrastructure improvements and Home repair	Meeting									
5	home ownership affordable housing home repair infrastructure effective services community outreach	Meeting									
5	home ownership will help stabilize neighborhoods and make it more difficult to move people out that a stake in the neighborhood	Meeting									
5	City Svc, Home Repairs, Community Outreach, Small business resources	Meeting									
5	My focus is on home repairs. I've been listening to a lot of meetings and a lot of home repairs are focused on seniors and I think that's beautiful, but where are the programs and resources for those who don't qualify through other categories? Eventually I will grow old and I would like to retain my house. My mother has qualified for a lot of the resources and that's beautiful. I would like to learn more about things that can help prevent things from getting in disrepair	Meeting	home repair								
5	My main concern is being a homeowner that takes pride in their property as they grow old. Will there ever be community outreach to learn prevention measures, lawn care, etc. Need knowledge on issues in the community – will outreach provide resources and knowledge for the community; concerned about foxes in the area	Meeting	homeownership	citizen education programs	pest and wildlife control						
5	Transparency; Residency requirement; resotre opportunity for property tax payers to pay their taxes via bill pay; Clean the alleys; Enforce noise ordinance; The city is derelict in its duty in certain neighborhoods in Detroit. Illegal dumping, sigh... Montgomery/Holmur; The presentation was great. CynthiaJohnson@house.Mi.gov	Meeting	transparency in budget	alley cleanup	enforce noise	illegal dumping					
5	Accountability and response follow up- when residents and block clubs request assistance from city departments there is very little accountability on resolution of issues raised and slow paced improvement with city services ie. snow removal from season to season has been waining.	Meeting	effective city services	government responsiveness							
5	More Community outreach in the community to provide resources on svc.;	Meeting	community engagement								
5	More cooperation from Landbank when inquiring properties	Meeting	land bank reform								
5	I would love to see 'speculative' property owners held accountable for not improving their properties	Meeting	code enforcement								
5	end excessive tax capture and properly fund our libraries and other public institutions and services	Meeting	tax fairness								
5	fund alternative economics...community owned business and housing.	Meeting	community group funding								
5	Make Woodward and similar streets more pedestrian friendly.	Meeting	safer street design								
5	Automatically restore sidewalks damaged by demolition of vacant houses.	Meeting	sidewalks								
5	I would like to see the land bank held accountable for the dangerous trees they inflict on our neighborhoods through their negligence.	Meeting	land bank reform								
5	Creating an East side loop...mirroring the midtown loop	Meeting	citywide improvements								
5	Speed bumps????	Meeting	enforce speeding								
5	The Land Bank definitely needs to be held accountable and Wildemere Park needs Alley Cleanup assistance.	Meeting	land bank reform	alley cleanup							
5	Biggest problem is having a lot of businesses when you come down Jefferson that look like "hell"; I know they're supposed to get tickets for not cleaning up; When you cross 8 mile into Detroit you see people throwing trash out the windows; Can we put more cameras in the neighborhoods?; Businesses have to be accountable for cleaning up	Meeting	code enforcement	cameras in neighborhoods							
5	[reiterating written comment] other business corridors in other suburban areas (ex. Livonia) look different than they do in Detroit; businesses look unkept for the amount of money they're generating; properties haven't been maintained in more than 15 years; I've made complaints to the Mayor's office but they seem to have fallen on deaf ears; larger businesses aren't being held to the same higher standard as small businesses	Meeting	neighborhood rebuilding								
6	Neighborhood Policing / Patrols	Meeting	police presence								
6	Ongoing Community cleanup and ordinance enforcement	Meeting	litter cleanup	code enforcement							
6	Safe housing	Meeting	home repair								
6	Need to help stabilize the city one block at a time one house at a time; income is staying the same for seniors but inflation is increasing; need more programs that encompass more incomes	Meeting	neighborhood rebuilding	senior supports	expanded affordable housing						
6	Home Repair	Meeting	home repair								
6	Address blight and illegal dumping #1	Meeting	eliminate blight	illegal dumping							
6	Affordable housing without long waiting lists	Meeting	affordable housing								
6	city lighting does need work	Meeting	streetlights								
6	QUESTION 2: I live in D6. Where I live is not close to any type of recreational center for our kids and seniors. I live 8 miles away so without a car, it is not easy to get to. We need another Rec center in D6 in Midwest area.	Meeting	recreation	neighborhood rebuilding							
6	Cleanliness	Meeting	litter cleanup								
6	Accountability for not adhering to ordinances	Meeting	code enforcement								
6	Cleaner city less homeless	Meeting	support for housing insecure persons	litter cleanup							
6	Repairs or low sales to fix vacant homes to improve neighborhoods rather than tearing down can diffuse misplaced families and lower income families to progress	Meeting	home repair	abandoned homes							
6	I would like to see lights on our residents streets. The city uses the lowest and cheapest lights for our block while down is list up like a Xmas Tree.	Meeting	streetlights								
6	Also the blight house that are owned by the DLBA that makes our communities looked terrible.	Meeting	eliminate blight								
6	Housing grants for middle income residents, cameras to catch illegal dumpers	Meeting	cameras in neighborhoods	illegal dumping	expanded affordable housing						
4	I agree w/ Mr. Tansley, safe streets, public transportation. Additionally, lead pipe replacement considerations: how many Detroiters would have the capacity to afford the costs?	Meeting	lead pipe replacement	transportation	safer street design						
4	I wanted to put in public transportation and safe streets	Meeting	transportation	safer street design							







































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n/a	<p>Dear Detroit Budget Suggestions,</p> <p>On behalf of the disabled Detroiters you represent – at least 123,145 residents, as well as their families and communities – we urge you to increase the annual budget of the Office of Disability Affairs (ODA) from last year's \$576,520 to a much more effective budget of \$1.4 million dollars/year, with an emphasis on sustainable funding.</p> <p>Last year, you passed increases to the ODA budget; however, much of these funds were one-time and/or for special projects. In addition, a portion of these funds have yet to be spent due to administrative delays in project and hiring approvals. Increasing funding, finding long-term funding sources for the Office, and allowing existing and future funds to be utilized in a timely fashion are essential to the success of the ODA and the full realization of the projects and strategies laid out in the ODA 3-year plan.</p> <p>The understaffing and under-resourcing of the ODA has not gone without consequence. The past year has proven that the City is not well-equipped in handling disability-related issues. Our community members are moving out of the city in search of accessible housing and infrastructure. We've experienced undue stress during the recent paratransit contracting process, asked to choose between awful services or no services at all because we weren't considered or consulted at the outset. The ODA, when properly funded and staffed, could fulfill its plan to support City Departments in reshaping City infrastructure and services to prioritize the disability community's needs, including: improving sidewalk conditions and public transportation, increasing employment opportunities for disabled Detroiters working for and in the City, improving access to healthcare, and increasing accessible and affordable housing.</p> <p>The City of Detroit has generations of disinvestment and neglect of the Disability Community to make up for. To course-correct, it's essential that the City have a permanent and fully staffed Office of Disability Affairs that is able to support all aspects of City government. Continued investment in the growth of the ODA is an investment in structural change to help Detroit and our disability communities over the long term, because an ODA can ensure the city's programs and services work for the 20%+ of residents with disabilities.</p> <p>When you support the disability community, you support every family, because experience with a disability is inevitable. Disability affects everyone, whether you are born with a disability, develop one through illness or injury, acquire one in old age, or act as a caregiver.</p> <p>An annual ODA budget of \$1.4 million is not an unreasonable amount of money relative to the people affected. It represents:  **A \$11.37 per year investment in each of the 123,145 disabled Detroit residents.  **A \$2.23 per year cost to each of the 627,385 Detroit residents.</p> <p>An increase of the ODA budget is an investment through which all Detroiters benefit by provision of higher quality services. This is an investment for Detroiters today and tomorrow. Disabled and aging populations cannot stay in a city that is inaccessible, greatly impacting our already declining population, affecting tax dollars and budget resources.</p> <p>Raising next year's ODA budget to \$1.4 million dollars would allow the agency to be a proactive, public-facing, one-stop-shop with the understanding, expertise and authority to champion a future where all people with disabilities thrive. Not only must changes be made in city priorities and policies, but residents must be made aware of them. Residents must know where to go to get information and who to ask questions. A meaningful investment in this office will allow it to achieve what it was designed to do.</p> <p>On behalf of the one in five Detroiters with disabilities, we urge you to pass a sustainable budget allocation of \$1.4 million for the Office of Disability Affairs.</p> <p>Sincerely,  Shannon Brownlee  Detroit, MI 48221-2158</p>	Email	disability supports								
2	Street lights, wi-fi, school transportation for children outside of neighborhood bit within the district, alley/ blight enforcement	Meeting	streetlights	digital divide	transportation	alley cleanup	eliminate blight				
6	<p>These are my priorities for the city's next budget.</p> <p>Drastically decrease the budget of the DPD  Drastically decrease the amount of money set aside for demolition  Do not approve any budget that takes away from the libraries or schools  Reduce the budget for graffiti removal  Increase funding for DDOT  Increase funding for education  Increase funding for programs to prevent foreclosure and keep people in their homes  Compensate Detroiters for the \$600M overtaxation  Do not approve any budget that does not adequately fund the "right-to-representation" ordinance for renters facing eviction</p>	Email	police audit & reform	demolition	libraries	beautification	transportation	better schools	support for housing insecure persons	tax overassessment repayment	right to counsel