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PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE

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**Ms. Christian Hicks
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Monday, October 12, 2020

10:00 A.M.

A. ROLL CALL

B. PUBLIC COMMENT

CONSENT AGENDA

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

D. 10:06 A.M. – DISCUSSION – RE: COVID-19 Update (Denise Fair, Director of Detroit Health Department)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Status of **Council Member Roy McCalister** submitting inquiry relative to the moratorium on used car lots in the City, specifically on W Eight Mile between Prairie and Santa Barbara. **(BROUGHT BACK FROM THE INTERNAL OPERATIONS STANDING COMMITTEE OF 10-7-20)**
2. Status of **Council Member Raquel Castañeda-López** submitting memorandum relative to Eviction Prevention Resolution. **(BROUGHT BACK AS ON 10-5-20)**
3. Status of **Council President Brenda Jones** submitting memorandum relative to Safe Business Restart Plans for Fall and Winter. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 10-5-20)**
4. Status of **Council President Brenda Jones** submitting memorandum relative to Traffic Study for Woodbridge and St. Aubin. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 10-5-20)**
5. Status of **Law Department** submitting report and Proposed Ordinance to amend Chapter 42, of the 2019 Detroit City Code *Solid Waste and Illegal Dumping*; by adding Article IV, *Recycling Services*, Division 1, *Generally*, to include Section 42-4-1 through 42-4-10; Division 2, *Approval, Location and Maintenance of Recycle Bins*; Subdivision A, *Standard-Sized Recycle Bins*, to include Section 42-4-11 through 42-4-15; Subdivision B, *Large Movable and Stationary Recycle Bins*; to include Section 42-4-16 through 42-4-30; Division 3, *Collection of Recyclable Material*, Subdivision A, *Domestic Collection*, to include Section 42-4-31; and, Subdivision B, *Commercial Collection*, to include Section 42-4-32 through 42-4-40, to create domestic and commercial recycling service programs in the City of Detroit. **(FOR INTRODUCTION OF AN ORDINANCE AND SETTING OF A PUBLIC HEARING?) (BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-28-20)**
6. Status of **Council President Brenda Jones** submitting memorandum relative to Gaps in Federal Oversight Impacting Veterans. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-28-20)**
7. Status of **Council Member Scott Benson** submitting memorandum relative to green purchasing ordinance modification/price preference **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-14-20)**
8. Status of **Council President Brenda Jones** submitting memorandum relative to Ordinance Developing COVID-19 Prevention Policies. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-14-20)**
9. Status of **Council President Brenda Jones** submitting memorandum relative to the Law Department providing an opinion on human trafficking and whether privacy laws permit

the drafting of an ordinance advocating for a city database (website) of missing persons that would provide free public information. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-14-20)**

10. Status of **Council Member Scott Benson** submitting memorandum relative to requesting the Law Department and Detroit Health Department work together to write an ordinance to implement a Food Grading Scale Ordinance. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-14-20)**
11. Status of **Legislative Policy Division** submitting report and Proposed Ordinance to amend Chapter 26 of the 2019 Detroit City Code, *Law Enforcement*, Article I, *Generally*, **Section 26-1-3, Regulating No Knock Search Warrants**, consisting of adding Section 26-1-3, regulating the issuance and execution of no knock search warrants in the City of Detroit. **(Council President Pro Tem Sheffield requested that Legislative Policy Division (LPD) draft an ordinance regulating the use of no knock warrants by the Detroit Police Department. The referral was prompted by the tragic police killing of Breonna Taylor in Louisville, Kentucky, in the course of a botched no knock search. The resulting ordinance passed by Louisville was offered as a model. The requested draft ordinance is attached.) (FOR INTRODUCTION OF AN ORDINANCE AND THE SETTING OF A PUBLIC HEARING) (BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-14-20)**
12. Status of **Council Member Janee Ayers** submitting memorandum relative to Traffic Concerns. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 9-28-20)**
13. Status of **Department of Public Works/City Engineering Division** submitting reso. autho. Petition of Grand Lahser LLC, **(1164)** request to outright vacate the public alley bounded by Grand River Avenue, Redford Avenue, and Lahser Avenue. The request is being made to clarify ambiguous language used in the 1924-1925 vacation. **(All other involved City Departments, and privately owned utility companies have reported no objections to the outright vacation of the alley. Provisions protecting utility installations are part of the attached resolution.) (BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 10-5-20)**
14. Status of **Department of Public Works/City Engineering Division** submitting reso. autho. Petition of ODM Parking Properties, **(1293)** request to vacate and convert to easement the public alley between Clifford Street and Park Avenue, bounded by Montcalm Street and Fisher Freeway Service Drive. The request is being made for the construction of a parking owned by ODM Parking Properties, LLC. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 10-5-20)**

NEW BUSINESS

MAYOR'S OFFICE

15. Submitting Mayor's Office Coordinators Report relative to Petition of Central Baptist Church **(#1327)**, request to hold "1st Annual Community Harvest Parade" on October 31, 2020 from 12:00pm - 2:30pm on Outer Drive & 7 Mile to Outer Drive & Livernois and

back. (The Mayor's Office and all other involved City Departments RECOMMEND APPROVAL of the Petition.) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)

OFFICE OF CONTRACTING AND PROCUREMENT

Submitting the following Office of Contracting and Procurement Contracts:

16. Submitting reso. autho. **Contract No. 6002534** - 100% Federal Funding – AMEND 1 – To Provide an Emergency Increase of Funds Only Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic for Outreach and Engagement Services to Support the Additional Costs Associated with Aiding People Experiencing Homelessness and Living on the Streets. – Contractor: Cass Community Social Services, Inc. – Location: 11745 Rosa Parks Boulevard, Detroit, MI 48206 – Contract Period: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 – Contract Increase Amount: \$10,000.00 – Total Contract Amount: \$160,000.00. **HOUSING AND REVITALIZATION (Will Apply for Reimbursement from Federal COVID-19 Funding Source) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

17. Submitting reso. autho. **Contract No. 6002531** - 100% Federal Funding – AMEND 1 – To Provide an Emergency Increase of Funds Only Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic to Support Additional Clients with Short Term Financial and Case Management Services. – Contractor: Neighborhood Legal Services Michigan – Location: 7310 Woodward Avenue Suite 301, Detroit, MI 48202 – Contract Period: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 – Contract Increase Amount: \$301,117.00 – Total Contract Amount: \$619,860.00. **HOUSING AND REVITALIZATION (Will Apply for Reimbursement from Federal COVID-19 Funding Source) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

18. Submitting reso. autho. **Contract No. 6002530** - 100% Federal Funding – AMEND 1 – To Provide an Emergency Increase of Funds Only Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic to Support Additional Clients with Short Term Financial and Case Management Services. – Contractor: Southwest Counseling Solutions – Location: 1600 Porter Street, Detroit MI 48216 – Contract Period: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 – Contract Increase Amount: \$185,000.00 – Total Contract Amount: \$335,000.00. **HOUSING AND REVITALIZATION (Will Apply for Reimbursement from Federal COVID-19 Funding Source) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

19. Submitting reso. autho. **Contract No. 6002519** - 100% Federal Funding – AMEND 2 – To Provide an Emergency Increase of Funds Only to Support the Homeless Shelters Increase in Operations and Additional Expenses (Sanitation/Sterilization Services) Due to Covid-19. – Contractor: Detroit Rescue Mission Ministries – Location: 3535 Third Street, Detroit MI 48201 – Contract Period: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 – Contract Increase Amount: \$10,000.00 – Total Contract Amount: \$212,158.00. **HOUSING AND REVITALIZATION (Will Apply for Reimbursement from Federal COVID-19 Funding Source) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

20. Submitting reso. autho. **Contract No. 3045652** - 100% Federal Funding – To Provide a Commercial Demolition to 8600 Traverse (Group 170). – Contractor: Inner City Contracting, LLC – Location: 18701 Grand River, Detroit, MI 48223 – Contract Period: Upon City Council Approval through October 15, 2021 – Total Contract Amount: \$34,910.00. **HOUSING AND REVITALIZATION (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**
21. Submitting reso. autho. **Contract No. 3045546** - 100% Federal Funding – To Provide a Commercial Demolition to 12816 Buena Vista (Group 167). – Contractor: Inner City Contracting, LLC – Location: 18701 Grand River, Detroit, MI 48223 – Contract Period: Upon City Council Approval through October 15, 2021 – Total Contract Amount: \$58,050.00. **HOUSING AND REVITALIZATION (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER/OFFICE OF DEVELOPMENT AND GRANTS

22. Submitting reso. autho. Request to Accept and Appropriate FY 2021 Local Health Department Coronavirus Relief Fund Testing Grant. **(The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services has awarded the City of Detroit Health Department with the FY 2021 Local Health Department Coronavirus Relief Fund Testing Grant for a total of \$120,000.00. There is no match requirement for the grant. The total project cost is \$120,000.00. The grant period is October 1, 2020 through December 30, 2020.) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**
23. Submitting reso. autho. Request to Accept and Appropriate FY 2021 COVID-19 Epi Lab Capacity Contact Tracing Testing Coordination Violation Monitoring Grant. **(The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services has awarded the City of Detroit Health Department with the FY 2021 COVID-19 Epi Lab Capacity Contact Tracing Testing Coordination Violation Monitoring Grant for a total of \$2,755,800.00. There is no required match. The total project cost is \$2,755,800.00. The grant period is October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021.) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

24. Submitting report relative to Detroit Department of Transportation Safety Plan. **(This document has been prepared to meet the requirements of the Public Transportation Agency Safety Plan (PTASP) final rule (49 C.F.R. Part 673) which requires certain operators of public transportation systems that receive federal funds under FTA's Urbanized Area Formula Grants. DDOT receives Section 5307 Urban Area funding. DDOT's Agency Safety Plan includes the processes and procedures for implementing a Safety Management System (SMS) and performance targets based on safety performance measures. Approval of this plan by the Detroit City Council is required to be in compliance with the PTASP final rule.) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

25. Submitting report relative to Update on Trash Removal Services with Advanced Disposal. **(In response to Council Member McCalister's September 19th Memorandum.) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**
26. Submitting report relative to Pedestrian Safety Concerns at Livernois and Outer Dr., Livernois and Pembroke. **(In response to Councilmember Ayers September 14, 2020 memorandum, in which she outlines pedestrian safety concerns at Livernois and Outer Drive, the Department of Public Works – Traffic Engineering Division (TED) visited the site to re-evaluate the traffic signal timing at the intersection of Livernois and Outer Dr. It was observed that the intersection is operating as originally designed and no malfunctions were observed.) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**
27. Submitting report relative to Speed Hump Report. **(In response to Council President Jones' September 23rd memorandum regarding speed humps.) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**
28. Submitting reso. autho. Petition of The Parade Company (#1331), request to install 50 banners on Woodward Ave. between John R. St. and Jefferson Ave. from November 02, 2020 to November 27, 2020 in order to commemorate the 2020 America's Thanksgiving Parade. **(The Department of Public Works, Traffic Engineering Division received the above referenced petition. This department has no objections to the placement of banners, provided that the banner installation is in compliance with the banner policy adopted by your Honorable Body on November 30, 2001) (REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

MISCELLANEOUS

29. **Council Member James Tate, Jr.** submitting memorandum relative to Comprehensive Traffic Study on Bretton Drive between Grand River Ave. and Edenborough Rd. **(REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**
30. **Council President Brenda Jones** submitting memorandum relative to Resolution Supporting DDOT Drivers. **(REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**
31. **Council Member Andre Spivey** submitting memorandum relative to Detroit Medical Center: Tenet Healthcare. **(REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 10-12-20)**

E. MEMBERS REPORT