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RE: 1395 Antietam, 1 Lafayette Plaisance, 1300-1 Nicolet Place, 1300-01 Joliet Place, adjacent ROWs – Detroit Thermal Project

To the Commission,

I am writing today to support Detroit Thermal's plan to execute a necessary infrastructure upgrade for 1300 Lafayette that will transverse though the Historic Lafayette Park/Mies van der Rohe area. I have reviewed the plan and find it to be attentive to detail and care for the park, its users, and area residents. Upgrading infrastructure, especially when underground, is a disruptive but necessary measure to keep our city humming – our residents warm, and our businesses in operation.

DTE has easements and future work to complete in Historic areas. From what I have reviewed, Detroit Thermal's current plan forward for this project is a roadmap for utilities to follow.

Regards,

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