



[EXTERNAL] Detroit Therma

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To Historic District Commission (Staff) <hdc@detroitmi.gov>

Dear Commissioners.

You have each been appointed to "ensure the preservation of historically and culturally significant areas of the city." As I have followed your reviews of Detroit Thermal's request to tunnel through land belonging to the Lafayette Park Co-Op's, I have not found any evidence that you have asked Detroit Thermal to provide alternative plans for connecting the 1300 Building to the steam system at a different point. Given your failure to do so, It now appears that you are deciding the issue on economic grounds and upon the premise that it would be too expensive for the 1300 Building to connect to the steam system at a different location.

May I remind you that we have a Downtown Development Authority to address economic issues. Your responsibility, as stated on your website is, as I've already pointed out, "to ensure the preservation of historically and culturally significant areas of the city." Please fulfill your obligations to the residents of the City that you represent, or resign.

Sincerely,

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