



City of Detroit ~ Detroit City Council
Coleman A. Young II
Councilman At Large #1

MEMO

TO: David Whitaker, Director
Legislative Policy Division

FROM: COLEMAN A. YOUNG II, COUNCIL MEMBER AT LARGE #1

THRU: Mary Sheffield, President, Detroit City Council

CC: James Tate, President Pro Tem, District #1
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DATE: May 16, 2024

RE: Business Development in the City of Detroit

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Coleman A. Young II".

Dear Mr. Whitaker:

Please provide a report that examines business development in Detroit.

- Identify what determines whether a business is small, medium, or large.
- Identify steps needed to start a business.
- Identify the costs of regulating businesses.
- Please include a list of agencies that encourage business development in the City of Detroit.

Thank you.