



City of Detroit

COUNCILMAN SCOTT R. BENSON

MEMORANDUM

TO: Denise Fair Razo, Director, Detroit Health Department
FROM: Hon. Scott Benson, City Council District 3

CC: Hon. Gabriela Santiago-Romero, Chair, Public Health & Safety
Standing Committee
Hon. Janice Winfrey, City Clerk
Malik Washington, Mayor's Liaison

VIA: Hon. Council President Mary Sheffield

DATE: 6 August 2024

RE: UPDATE REQUEST ON "TOO COOL FOR DRUGS"
SUBSTANCE USE PREVENTION PROGRAM

I am writing to request an update on the "Too Cool for Drugs" substance use prevention program. Specifically, I would like to know:

1. The proposed implementation date.
2. The DPSCD school(s) where it will be implemented.
3. The DPSCD point of contact.
4. Has DHD received the estimated \$40k allocation from the state tax receipts as per the ordinance?
5. The proposed metrics to measure success.

Your prompt attention to this request is greatly appreciated. Please provide the requested information by mid-August 2024.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact my office at 313-224-1198.

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