

City of Detroit Detroit City Council

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Memorandum

TO: David Whitaker, Legislative Policy Division

Tammy Daniels, Director – Detroit Land Bank Authority **THROUGH:** Mary Sheffield, City Council President **FROM:** Mary Waters, Councilmember At-Large **RE:** Questions RE: DLBA NAP and Buy Back

- Please provide the following information for every property that was taken by the Detroit Land Bank Authority as part of the Nuisance Abatement Program over the past ten (10) years:
 - How many properties were taken
 - When the first notices were given of violations and when the property was finally taken
 - What violations were specifically levied against each property
 - What the addresses of each property are
 - What the current statuses of the properties are (sold, on DLBA roster, etc)
 - Any contact information for the owners of the properties that were taken
- Please provide the following budget information for the Buy Back program administration as it was not detailed in the DLBA's budget submission:
 - How much does it cost, in total, for the DLBA to administer the Buy Back program?
 - How many staff members work on the program?
 - What other costs, beyond staff time, are incurred in administering the program?