

Detroit City Council Council Member Angela Whitfield Calloway District 2

MEMORANDUM

TO: David Whitaker, Director

Legislative Policy Division

THROUGH: Mary Sheffield, Council President

FROM: Angela Whitfield Calloway, Council Member

DATE: 11/18/2024

RE: Resolution in Support of Senate Bills 1112 and 1113 of 2024 – Bottle Deposit

Expansion

Council Member Angela Whitfield Calloway is requesting that the Legislative Policy Division draft a resolution in support of Senate Bills 1112 and 1113 of 2024, introduced by Senator Sean McCann (D-Kalamazoo) on November 14, 2024.

Senate Bill 1112 would expand the coverage of bottle deposits to all beverage containers 1 gallon or less (with some exceptions), now also including non-carbonated drinks. Additionally, all eligible retailers will be required to accept returns, regardless of purchase location. The bill will also require annual reporting on bottle deposit performance.

Senate Bill 1113 will allocate \$60 million from corporate income tax revenue to the Michigan Beverage Container Handling Fund for implementation and operations of the bottle deposit bill.

If passed, the legislation will be added to the ballot to be voted on my Michigan residents during the Nov. 3, 2026, general election.

References:



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<u>Senate Bill 1112 of 2024 - Michigan Legislature</u> Senate Bill 1113 of 2024 - Michigan Legislature

Please contact our office with questions or concerns – Breanna Williams, Breanna.Williams@detroitmi.gov, and Peter Rhoades, Peter.Rhoades@detroitmi.gov

CC: Malik Washington, City Council Liaison