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**MARY SHEFFIELD**  
COUNCIL PRESIDENT  
DISTRICT 5

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Ron Brundidge, Director, Department of Public Works

**FROM:** Council President Mary Sheffield

**DATE:** January 3, 2025

**RE:** **Requesting Traffic Signage on East 8 Mile and Hayes**

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Our office recently received a resident request to install directional street signs on East and West 8 Mile Road near Gratiot Avenue to guide drivers to Hayes Street.

Given the recent upgrades to Hayes Street, we believe that adding directional signage would improve navigation for motorists unfamiliar with the area and enhance overall traffic safety.

My office kindly requests the Department of Public Works to evaluate the necessity of this signage and inform us how we can assist in advancing this request. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please contact Yvonne Ragland from my office at [yvonne.ragland@detroitmi.gov](mailto:yvonne.ragland@detroitmi.gov).

cc: Honorable Colleagues  
Hon. Janice Winfrey, Detroit City Clerk