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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Fw: DETROIT CITY COUNCIL FORMAL SESSION AGENDA AND DOCUMENTS - TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2025 - 10:00 A.M.

Goodmorning,

For the record ;

"Good morning, Council Members. I'm here to address a concern regarding the city's blockchain initiative for cryptocurrency payments. On December 15th, 2024, I submitted a comprehensive proposal in response to the city's call for innovative blockchain solutions. This proposal outlined strategies to enhance transparency, improve data security, and streamline public services in Detroit.

Despite the December 15th deadline and a follow-up email sent on December 20th, I have not received any acknowledgment or response regarding my submission. This lack of communication is concerning, especially given the city's commitment to becoming a leader in blockchain technology and fostering a technology-friendly environment.

I understand that the holiday season may have caused delays, but I believe clear communication is crucial for maintaining the enthusiasm and engagement of potential contributors like myself. This initiative has the potential to significantly impact Detroit's technological advancement and economic growth, particularly in light of recent developments such as the HUD fund allocation and the expansion of solar neighborhoods.

I respectfully request information on the current status of the proposal review process, the expected timeline for responses, and any next steps for applicants. Additionally, I would appreciate guidance on how the city plans to ensure transparent and timely communication with proposal submitters moving forward.

Thank you for your time and consideration in addressing this matter."

Regards,

Emeka Bronson

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