



City of Detroit
Detroit City Council - District 4

MEMORANDUM

DATE: February 24, 2025

TO: Donnie Johnson, Deputy Budget Director, Office of the Chief Financial Officer; Dana O'Byrne, Deputy Director, Planning and Development Department

FROM: Latisha Johnson
District 4 Councilmember

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SUBJECT: Capital Agenda Questions

Greetings,

Please respond to our questions regarding the Capital Agenda.

1. What's the timeline for technology infrastructure installation relative to the utilization of fiber optic lines to help reduce internet costs for residents?
2. How do we stabilize EMS units throughout the city to ensure residents receive a timely response?
3. How are we utilizing the public health fund? What would be the cost to install air monitoring stations throughout the city to ensure we understand where improvements to air quality is needed?
4. Where are the proposed sewer improvements going to be within the districts? For example, are they going to be in alleys, main streets, or residential streets? How are locations being determined?
5. There is no information about funding being allocated to the Health Department specifically. The health department should provide crucial services to Detroiters including preventing diseases like diabetes,

asthma, and heart disease. What is the plan for the Health Department to expand its services and provide additional services for our residents?

If you have any questions, please contact Mari Grate, our Policy Analyst, at mary.grate@detroitmi.gov.