

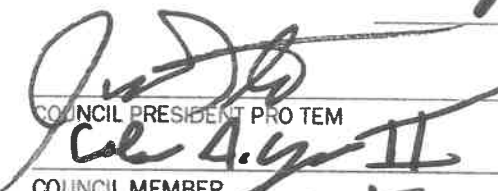
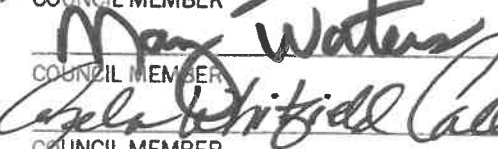





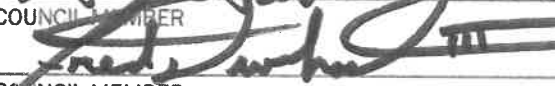
DETROIT CITY COUNCIL

Testimonial Resolution

BRIDGETTE A. BANKS

March 26, 1964 – November 14, 2025
In Memoriam

- WHEREAS** **Bridgette A. Banks** was born on March 26, 1964, to the union of Walter S. and Belle Banks. She was one of four children, alongside her siblings Barbara, Michael, and Brenda; **and**
- WHEREAS** **Bridgette A. Banks** was a proud product of the Detroit Public School System. She began her formal education at Bagley Elementary, continued at Hampton Middle School, and graduated from Renaissance High School in 1982. She went on to study art and history for two years at the University of Michigan; **and**
- WHEREAS** **Bridgette A. Banks** enjoyed a long and influential career in the music industry. In 1990, she began working with her brother, Michael Banks, at Submerge—a techno music distribution company—where she served as the primary point of contact for its global mail-order business. Her name became widely recognized among fans of Detroit’s electronic music scene; **and**
- WHEREAS** **Bridgette A. Banks**, alongside Professor Carla Vecchiola, co-curated Exhibit 3000, a museum dedicated to Detroit techno music. There, she found an outlet for her creativity, sharing the city’s rich musical legacy and introducing audiences to legendary artists and groundbreaking sounds; **and**
- WHEREAS** **Bridgette A. Banks** was deeply loved by all who knew her. She cherished time spent with her family and friends and especially enjoyed traveling with her sister Brenda. She also had a passion for rescuing and caring for stray dogs; **and**
- WHEREAS** It is the will of our Lord to call our beloved Bridgette A. Banks home after a remarkable life of faith, service, and love on November 14, 2024; **THEREFORE, BE IT**
- RESOLVED** **That the Office of Councilman Scott Benson and the Detroit City Council** honor the life and legacy of **Bridgette A. Banks**. May God bless and comfort her family.

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May 22, 2025

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