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DEPARTMENT PETITION REFERENCE COMMUNICATION

To: The Department or Commission Listed Below

From: Janice M Winfrey, Detroit City Clerk

The following petition is herewith referred to you for report and recommendation to the City Council.

In accordance with that body's directive, kindly return the same with your report in duplicate within four (4) weeks.

Petition No.	2025-259
Name of Petitioner	Sharon E. Sexton
Description of Petition	Petition request to speak before the Detroit City Council regarding the Gateway to Freedom Monument on the Detroit Riverfront on the Hart Plaza Concourse.
Type of Petition	Speak Before Council
Submission Date	10/02/2025
Concerned Departments	City Council, City Clerk
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would like to speak before
Detroit City Council as soon as
possible.

About the Gateway
to Freedom Monument on
the Detroit Riverfront on the
Hart Plaza concourse.

Recently the Detroit Block
History Monument has been
turned into a children's jungle gym
in

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The recent renovations of the structure have made the once beautiful monument now a so-so thing to go past.

The Parks & Rec. ^{Department} ~~Department~~ staff seem to know nothing about any details even though I was supposed to have been on the Citizen Advisory Committee.

I was the original "idea" person to have the monument built back in 2001 and have a vested interest in the monument's future.

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