

CITY OF DETROIT

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO-TEM

MEMORANDUM

To: Art Thompson, Director, Department of Innovation & Technology

Through: Mary Sheffield, President, Detroit City Council

From: Council Pro Tem James Tate submitting memorandum relative to

Date: 9/17/2020

RE: Department of Innovation & Technology, Budget Hearing Questions, FY 2022-

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SUMMARY:

Following the Department of Innovation & Technology's (DoIT) budget presentation on March 14, 2022, my office has the following requests.

- 1. Please describe the partnership between DoIT, HumanIT, and Connect313.
- 2. Please provide data that explains the \$600,000.00 in savings in digital imaging as referenced by the use of the Detroit Street View system.
- 3. Please explain how District 2 was selected as the starting location for the digital inclusion pilot.
 - a. If successful, please explain the plan to extend the program to other council districts.
- Please explain the costs of the pilot program to equipt DDOT buses with wifi connection.

If you have any questions, please contact my office.

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