



CITY OF DETROIT

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COUNCIL MEMBER

MEMORANDUM

To: Antoine Bryant, Director, P&DD

Through: Hon. Mary Sheffield, City Council President

From: Council Member Scott Benson submitting memorandum relative to

Date: 3/17/2022

RE: PLANNING DEPARTMENT BUDGET QUESTIONS

SUMMARY:

The FY 2023 budget identifies a \$2 million increase in Equipment Acquisition on page B43-4. You indicated that this line item is the cost of the neighborhood plans for FY 2023. Please modify the budget to clearly state this and identify the cost and funding source of the neighborhood plans moving forward in the four-year plan.

The budget identifies the removal of the following FTE positions. Please identify why your department is removing these three positions and how their output will be replaced?

1. Planner IV Historic Preservation
2. Associate Director of Design
3. Administrative Assistant III

How does sustainability guide planning/policy decisions within P&DD?

If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact my office at, 313-224-1198

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