



CITY OF DETROIT

GABRIELA SANTIAGO-ROMERO

COUNCIL MEMBER

MEMORANDUM

To: Jason Watt, Airport Director

Through: Council President Mary Sheffield

From: Council Member Gabriela Santiago-Romero submitting memorandum relative to

Date: 3/18/2022

RE: FY 2022-2023 Budget: Airport

SUMMARY:

1. What new revenue streams are being explored for the airport?
2. Does commercial freight represent a potential new revenue source - specifically remotely piloted aircraft systems and tie-ins with recent commercial business investment in the city (ex: Amazon)?
 - a. If so, what kind of revenue could that potentially create for the airport, and what is the content of current conversations on this topic?

Please do not hesitate to contact my office if you have any questions. Thank you.

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