

SAFE STREETS: TRUCK TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS ANNOUNCED



On October 1, after working alongside the Administration and community for years, I was thrilled to announce new truck route restrictions in Southwest Detroit, which took effect on October 6 (read full details at bit.ly/det-trucks-1001). Centering the safety of our families and our residential streets, these restrictions help mitigate the harms of heavy truck traffic: poor air quality, reckless driving, and damage to our city infrastructure. Thank you to the coalition of community advocates for their unwavering organizing and partnership.

The City also announced the release of a new platform for reporting truck-related issues such as truck parking, truck idling, and trucks driving on restricted routes to assist with enforcement and further refinement of trucking policies. Residents can report trucking issues at bit.ly/det-report-trucks (or scan the QR code to the right).



As the Detroit Police Department works to enforce these routes, I am working with the Law Department to amend our ordinances to impose a stricter fine structure for drivers and companies in violation.

JOIN US!

November 3, 4-6:00p
Team GSR Office Hours
Patton Rec Center

November 10, 4-6:00p
Team GSR Office Hours
Clemente Rec Center

November 13, 6:00p
(Doors at 5:00p)
Team GSR's 3rd Annual D6
Movie Night at The Senate
Theater

November 17, 3-5:00p
Team GSR Office Hours
Bridging Communities

November 24, 4-6:00p
Team GSR Office Hours
Kemeny Rec Center

DLBA APPROVES MY DISCOUNT POLICY FOR THE INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY

This summer, I worked with the Thečihila Collective to help them engage with the Detroit Land Bank Authority (DLBA) to purchase land. After, I promptly proposed a policy amendment to the DLBA that the Indigenous community be added as an eligible party for discounts to ensure they have equitable access to land they stewarded before colonialization. Last month, the policy was approved and adopted.

LAWTON VIADUCT LIGHTING RESTORED

Every year, I work with the Public Lighting Authority (PLA) to illuminate viaducts across D6. PLA recently confirmed our request to restore lighting at the Lawton viaduct between W. Warren and Buchanan was successful!



TELL US YOUR BUDGET PRIORITIES!

Team GSR is preparing for the City's budget season next spring and we want to hear from you! Please complete this brief anonymous survey to share your funding priorities with us: bit.ly/d6-budget (or scan the QR code to the left).



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Dear Neighbor,

I hope that you are enjoying the fall season.

In this newsletter you will find some exciting policy announcements and service updates, where *you* can connect with Team GSR in November, a link to a survey to share *your* budget priorities for next fiscal year, and more.

Please don't hesitate to reach out to our office for assistance -- we are here to serve!

Take care,

P.S. Sign up for our e-communications for D6 and City happenings at bit.ly/gaby-newsletter



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HONORING OUR COMMUNITY



3rd Annual D6 Celebration honorees

Amiah Burner, Alexis Escoto, McShane's Irish Pub, Core City Neighborhoods, Wanda Lowe-Anderson, Midwest Civic Council of Block Clubs



25th Anniversary Celebration *Transportation Riders United*