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January 23, 2023

Honorable City Council:

RE: Resolution modifying the State Trunkline Maintenance Agreement Contract

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) and the City of Detroit entered a contract titled the 'Michigan Department of Transportation State Trunkline Maintenance Contract ('Contract'') on March 8th, 2022.

The intent of the Contact is to describe the municipality's construction, improvement, and maintenance responsibilities of State Trunklines. Said Contract is to remain in effect until either replaced or modified through the issuance of a Letter of Understanding by the MDOT Region Engineer and approved by the Municipality.

On December 22nd, 2022, a Letter of Understanding was issued by the MDOT Regional Engineer to provide clarification to the Scope of Work, as set forth in Section 2, of the Contract. Said Letter of Understanding provides language describing the service areas, required standards of maintenance, and compensation schedule.

This resolution, if approved by Council, will authorize the Department of Public Works Director to accept the modifications as provided in the Letter of Understanding issued by the MDOT Region Engineer, Gorette Yung, dated December 22nd, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Resolution

BY	COUNCIL MEMBER	

WHEREAS the City of Detroit, through its Department of Public Works and the State of Michigan, through its Department of Transportation (MDOT), agree to execute an Letter of Understanding that will transfer certain maintenance responsibilities along freeways from the State to the City, and

WHEREAS these maintenance activities will include mowing of grass on the freeway slopes, picking up litter and trimming of vegetation around posts, trees, etc. and

WHEREAS MDOT agrees to reimburse the City for the cost of two (2) grass cuts and two (2) litter pickups, and

WHEREAS, this resolution, if approved by Your Honorable Body, will authorize the Department of Public Works Director to accept the modifications to the State Trunkline Maintenance Contract ("Contract") between the Michigan Department of Transportation and the City of Detroit, as described in the Letter of Understanding issued to the City of Detroit by the MDOT Region Engineer on December 22, 2022.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby expresses its support to authorize acceptance of the modifications to the State Trunkline Maintenance Contract.