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**DOWNTOWN
DETROIT
PARTNERSHIP**

To:

Honorable City Council
ATTN: Office of the City Clerk
200 Coleman A. Young Municipal Center
Detroit, MI 48226

Who:

Permit requesting entity: Downtown Detroit Partnership (DDP)

In partnership with:

Councilwoman Sheffield
Greektown Preservation Society

What:

Detroit Donates – A program that allows for the repurposing of parking meters in both public and private spaces downtown. Parking meters are to be installed in the right-of-way in order to allow for the collection of money. The money that is collected will go toward certified non-profit organizations that service homeless individuals.

When:

From July 2015 –Until. These will be permanent encroachments

Where:

See attached documents

Why:

To provide an alternative method of donating money to the homeless population without giving money directly to a panhandler. In other cities this has provided a shift in how people interact with the homeless. The less money someone gives to a panhandler the less likely a panhandler is to wander downtown. Additionally, the more money we collect to address the root causes of homelessness (rather than just the symptoms) the more we can get people back on their feet and reduce the number of homeless in the City of Detroit.

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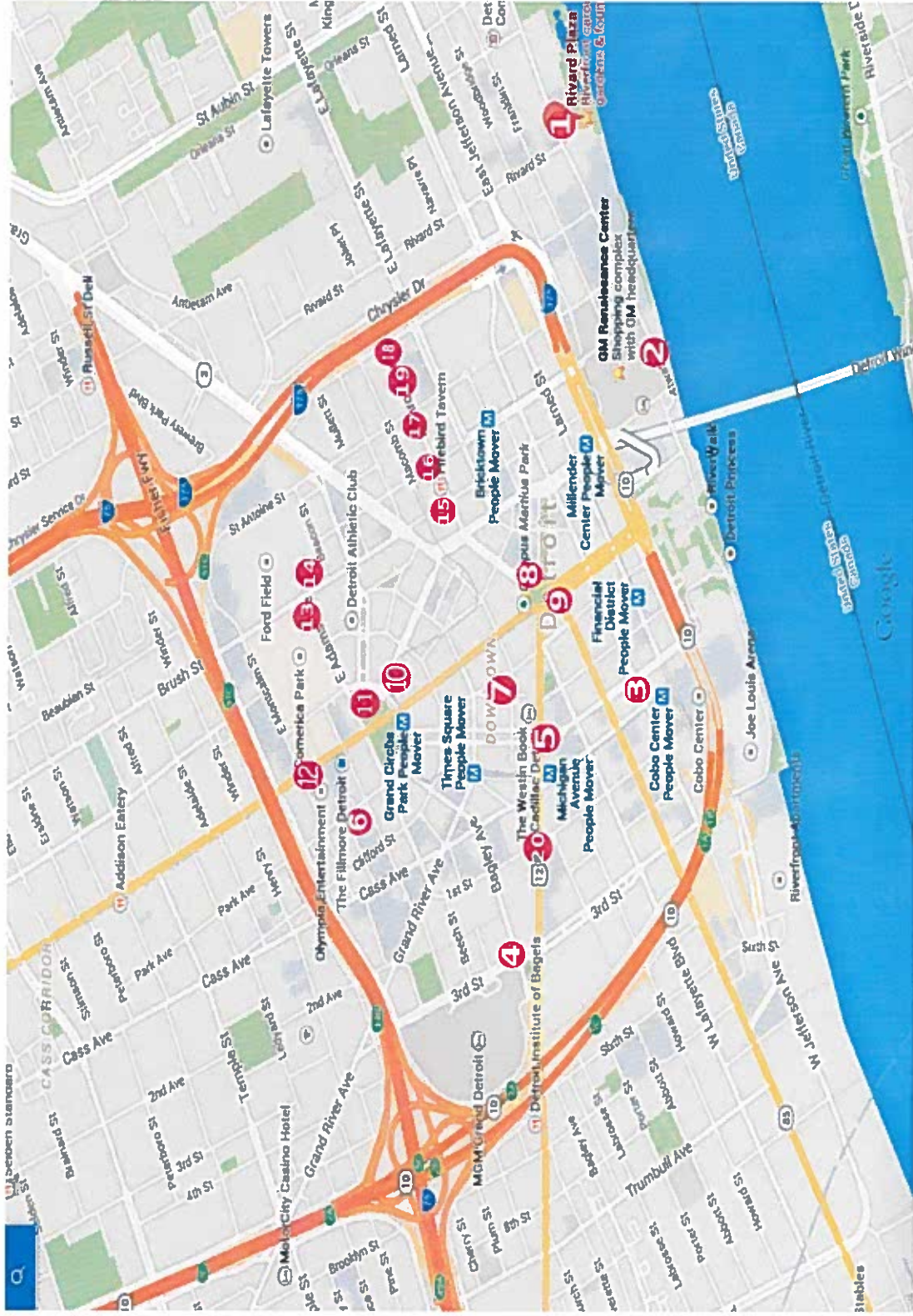
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Detroit Donates:

Meter locations



Detroit Donates: Location Legend

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| 1 | Riverfront Conservancy, Rivard Plaza | 11 | Grand Circus Park |
| 2 | Detroit Riverfront | 12 | Fox Theater |
| 3 | Cobo Hall | 13 | Comerica Park |
| 4 | DTE/ MGM | 14 | Ford Field |
| 5 | Outside Holiday Inn Express | 15 | Red Smoke Barbeque |
| 6 | Bucharest Grill | 16 | Astoria Pastry Shop |
| 7 | Capitol Park | 17 | Santorini Estiatorio Restaurant |
| 8 | Woodward Avenue & Monroe Avenue | 18 | Firehouse Tavern |
| 9 | Campus Martius Park | 19 | The Old Shillelagh |
| 10 | Detroit Opera House | 20 | Rosa Parks Transit Center |

1 Riverfront Conservancy, Rivard Plaza



2 Detroit Riverfront - Atwater St in front of Renaissance Center

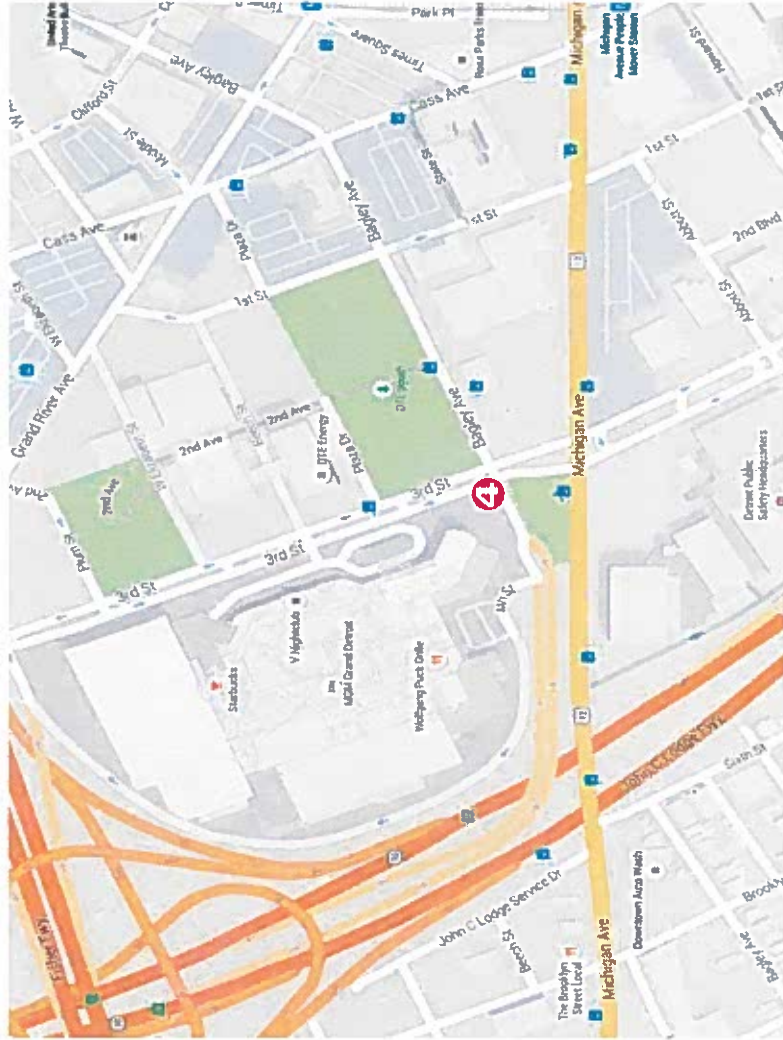


E Cobo Hall
(Southwest corner of Washington & Congress)



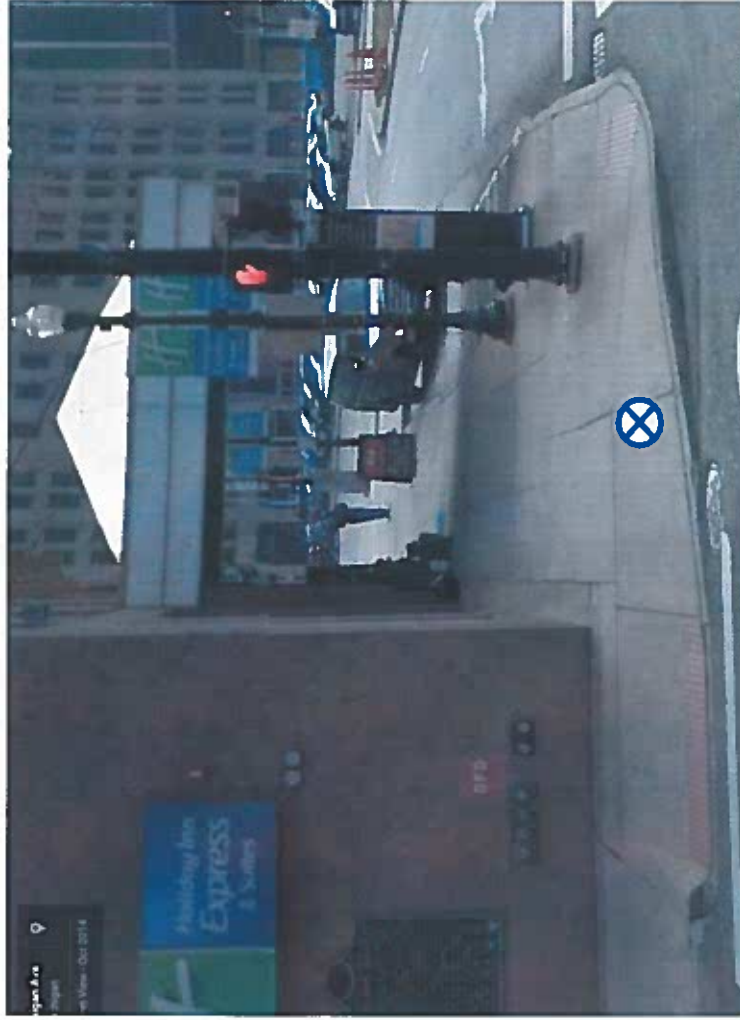
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4 DTE & MGM Location
(Northwest corner of 3rd St & Bagley Ave.)

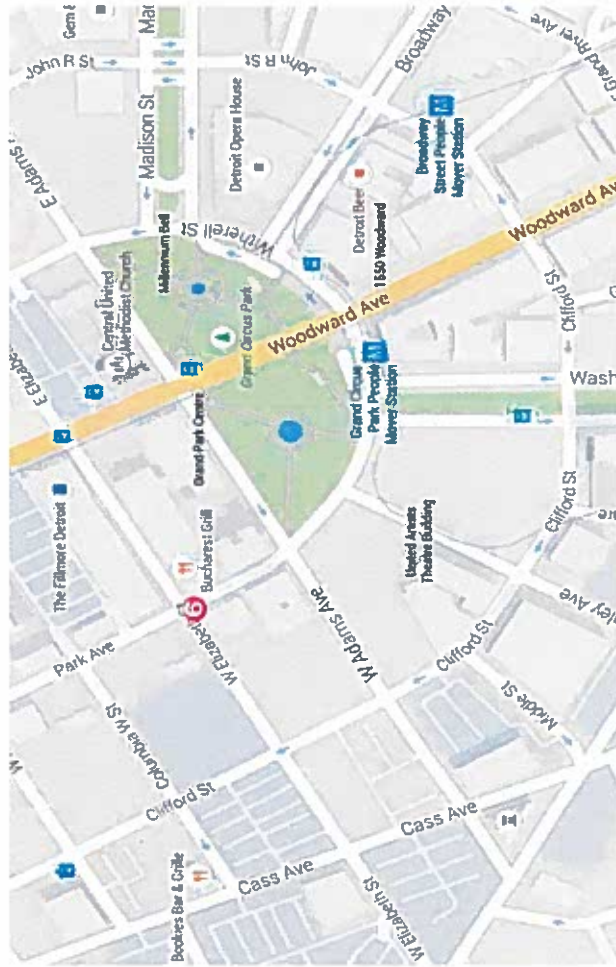




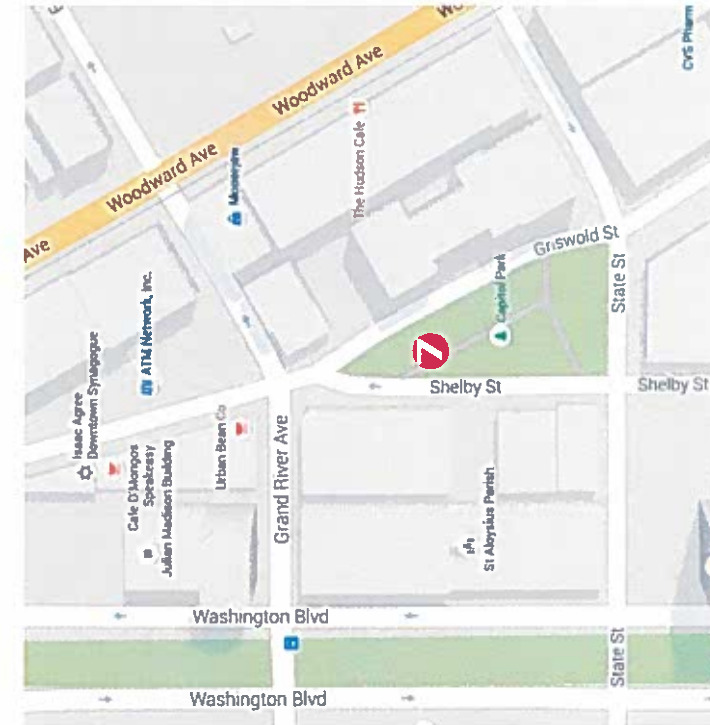
Holiday Inn Express & Suites (Southeast corner of Washington Blvd & Michigan Avenue)



**6 Bucharest Grill (2040 Park Avenue)
(Southeast corner of Elizabeth St. & Park Ave.)**



7 Capitol Park

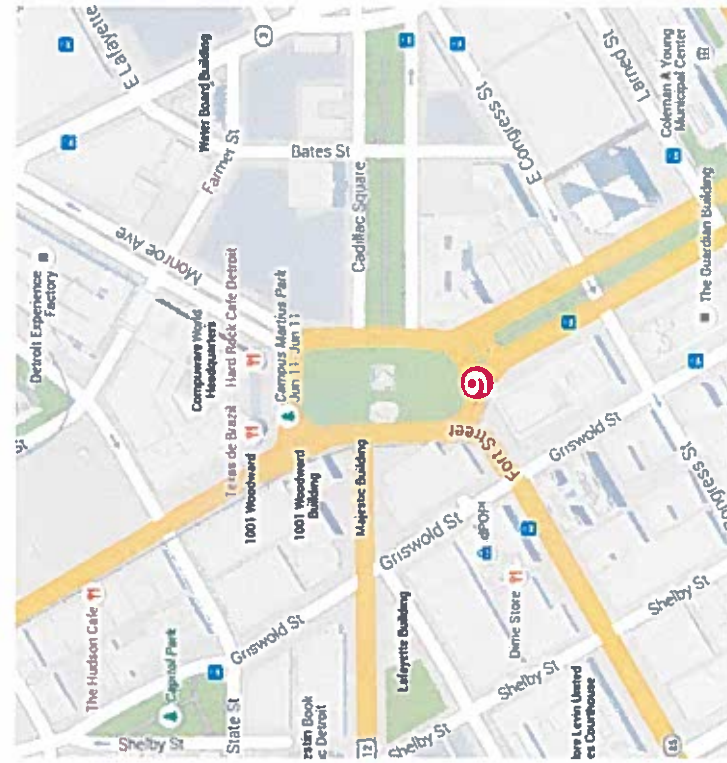


**8 Woodward Avenue & Monroe Avenue
(Across the street from Campus Martius Park)**



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Campus Marius Park

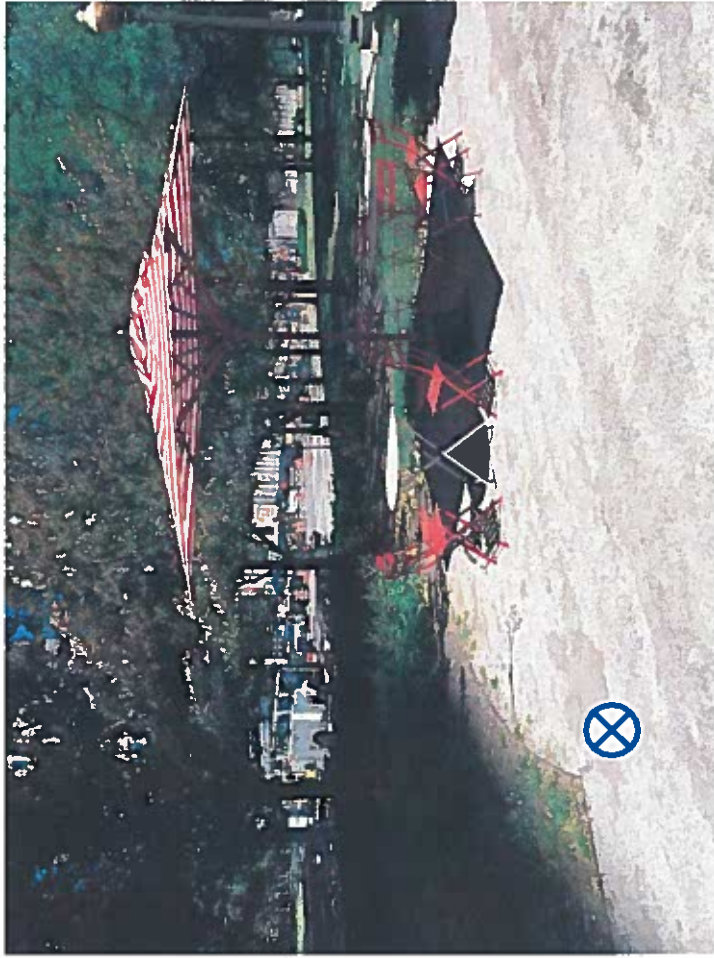
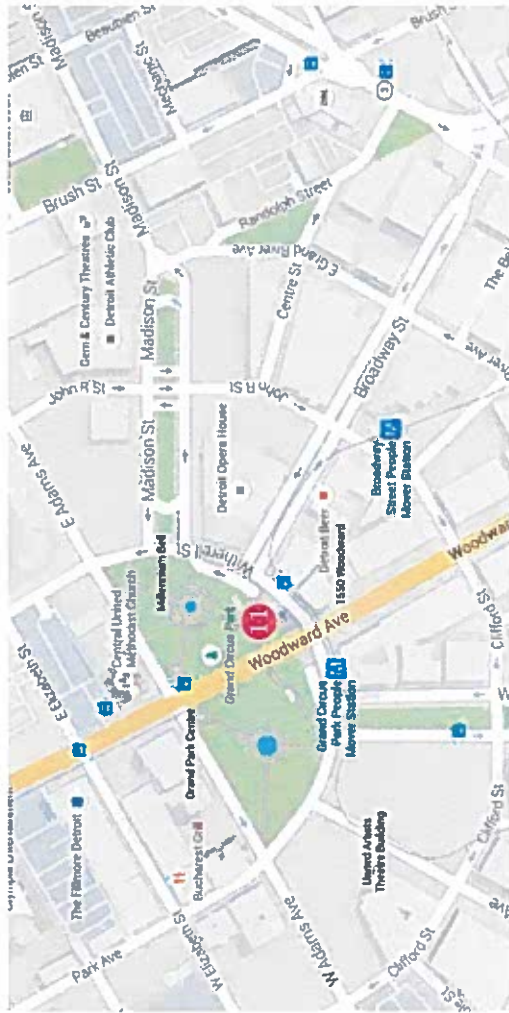


10 Detroit Opera House
(Broadway Ave, between Witherell & John R. St.)

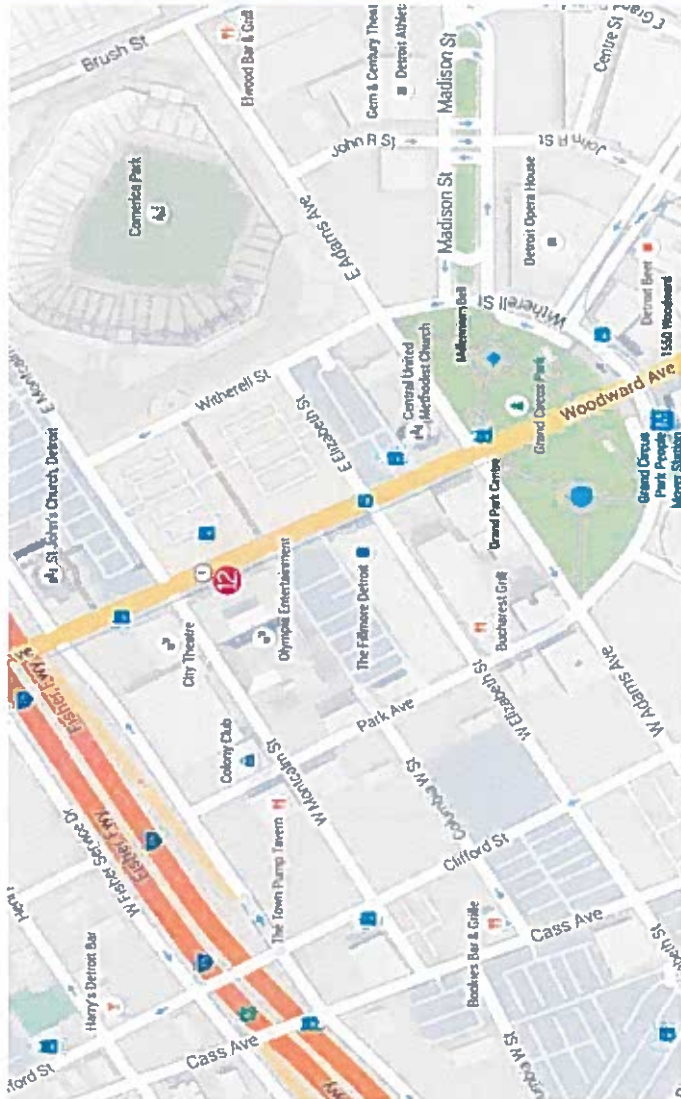


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11 Grand Circus Park (East side)



12 Fox Theater (2211 Woodward Ave)
(Woodward Ave, between Montcalm St
& Columbia W St.)

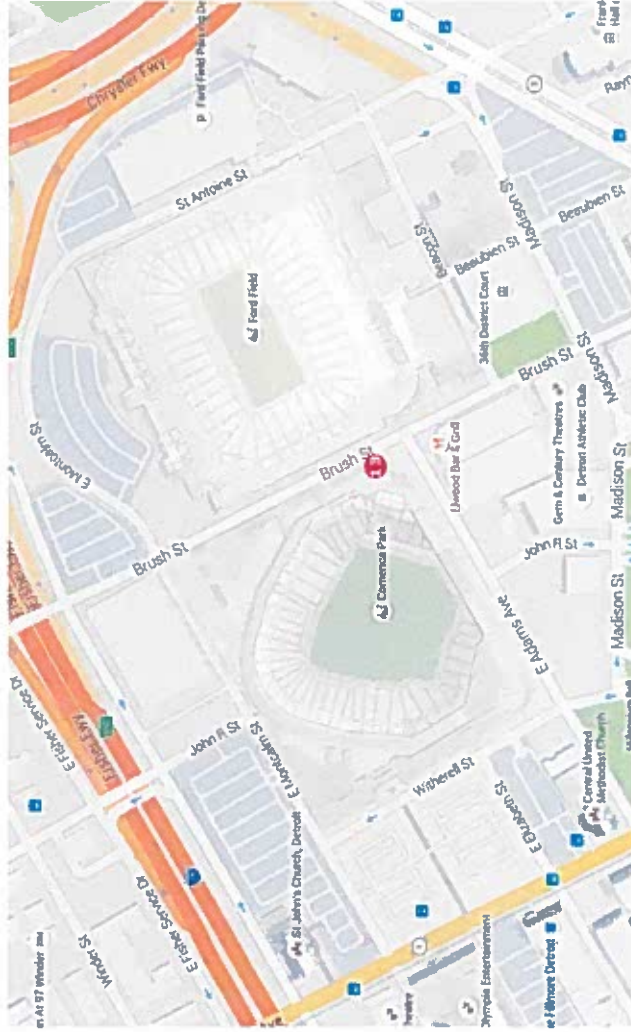


12 Fox Theater Alternate Location
(Southwest corner of Woodward Ave, & W. Montcalm St)

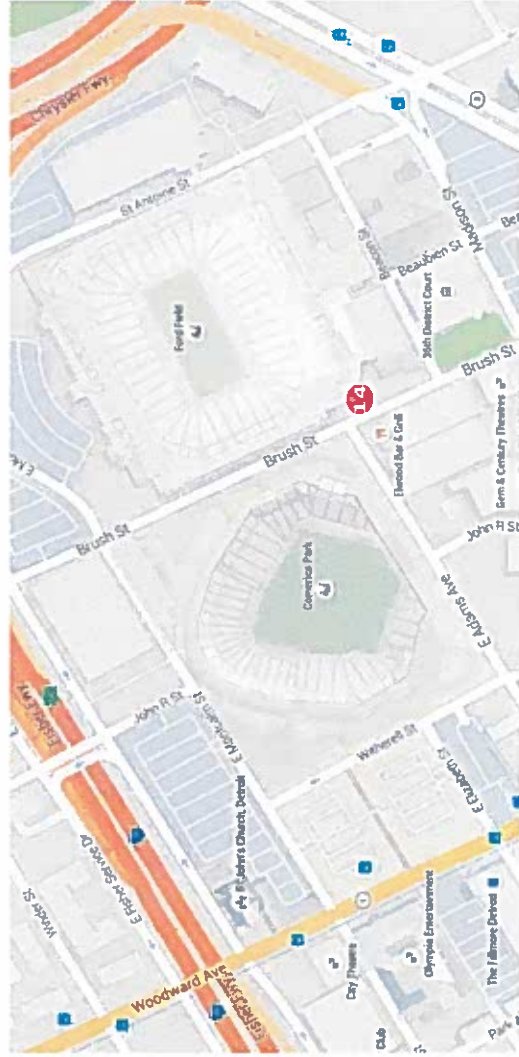




Comerica Park (Corner of Brush St. & E. Adams Ave.)

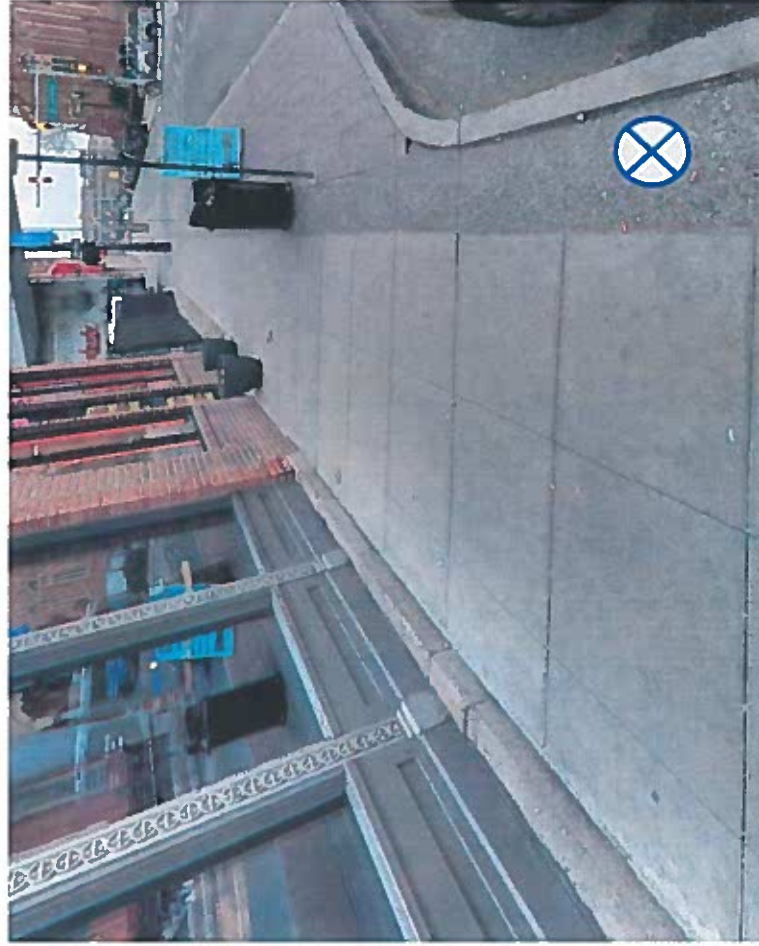
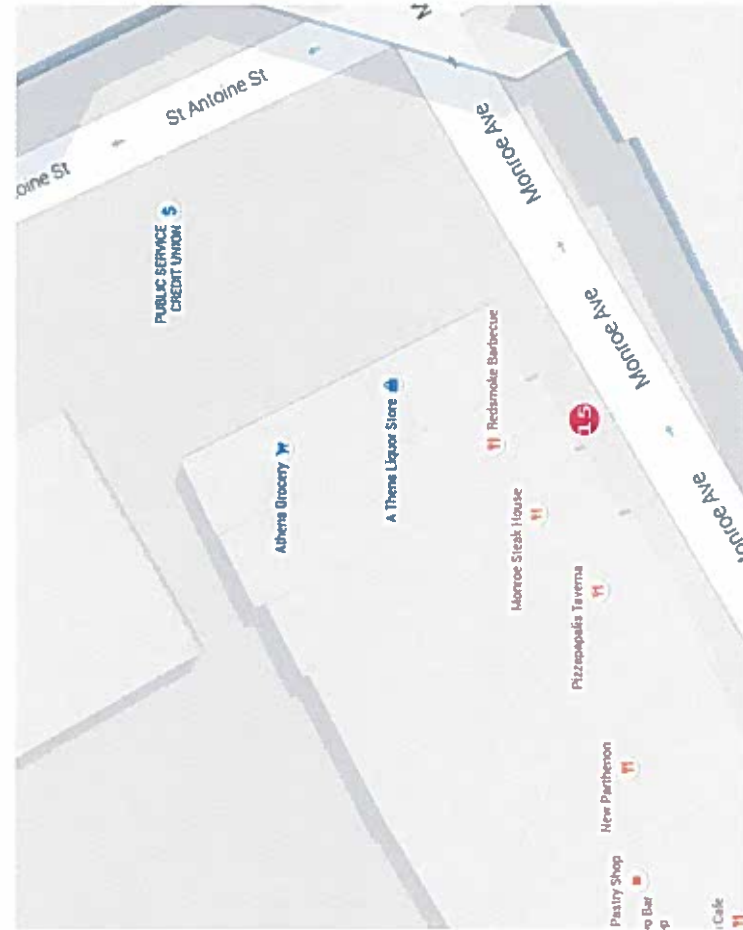


14 Ford Field
(Corner of Brush St. & E. Adams Ave.)



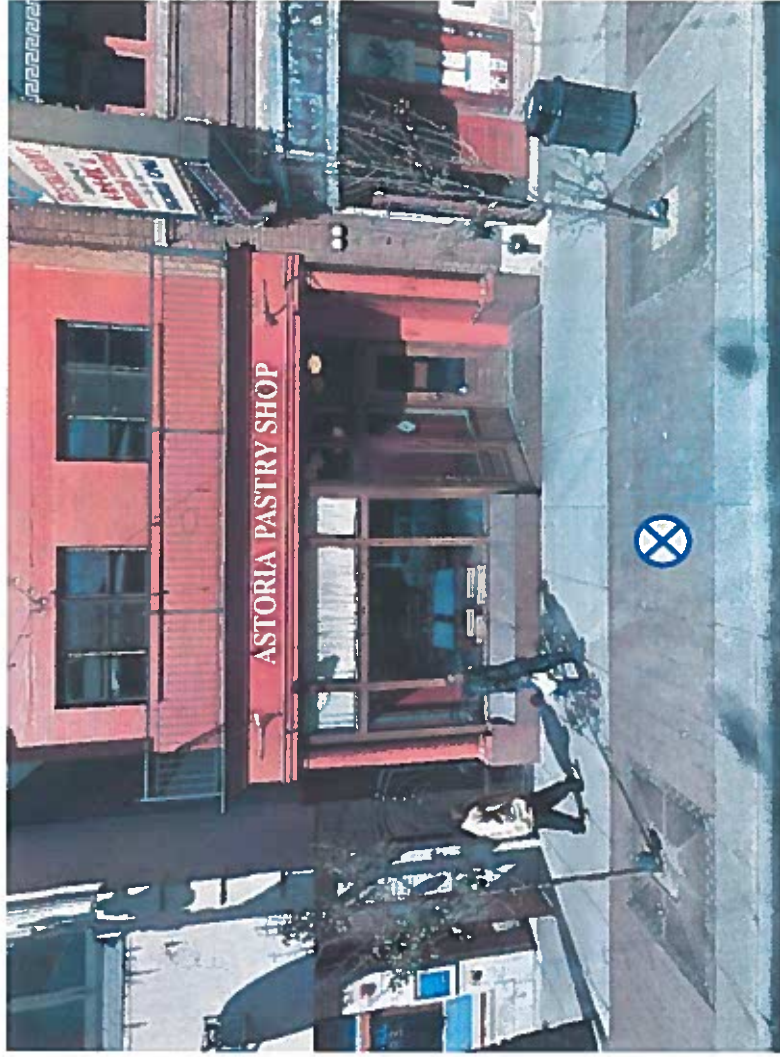
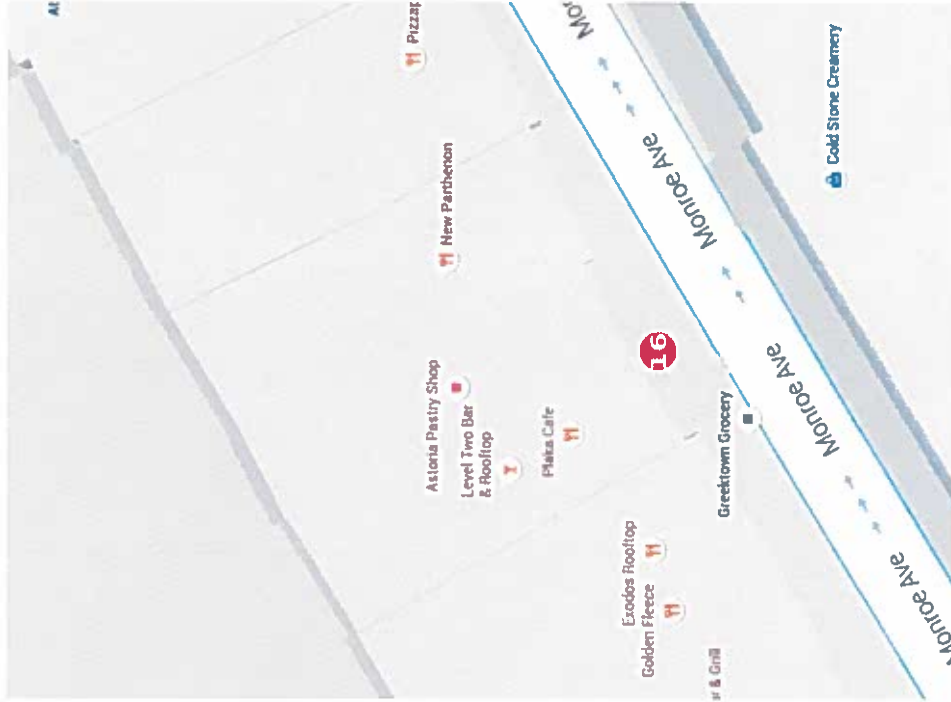
Please note: We intentionally picked a location that is far enough away from the game day entrance lines that it will not interfere.

15 Red Smoke Barbeque
(573 Monroe Ave.)



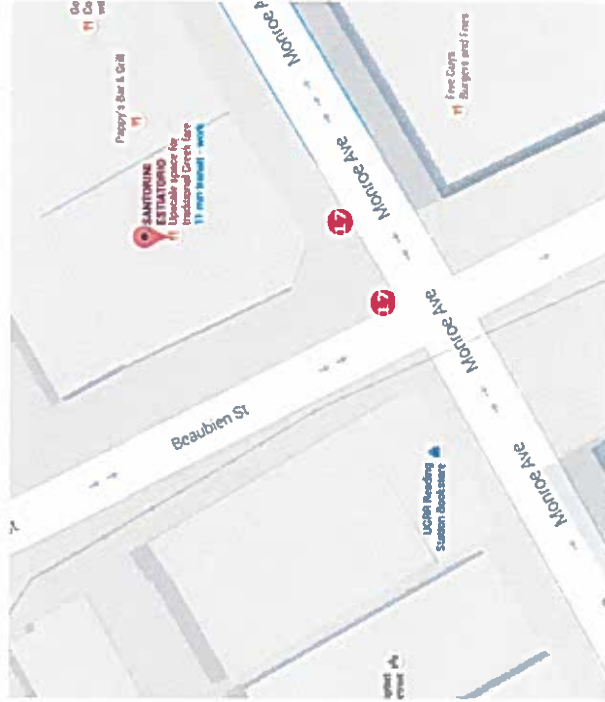
Please Note: the parking outside Redhouse is being filled in with outdoor patio seating. With a seating patio between drivers and the Donation Meter, drivers will not confuse the meter as a parking meter

16 Astoria Pastry Shop
(541 Monroe Ave)



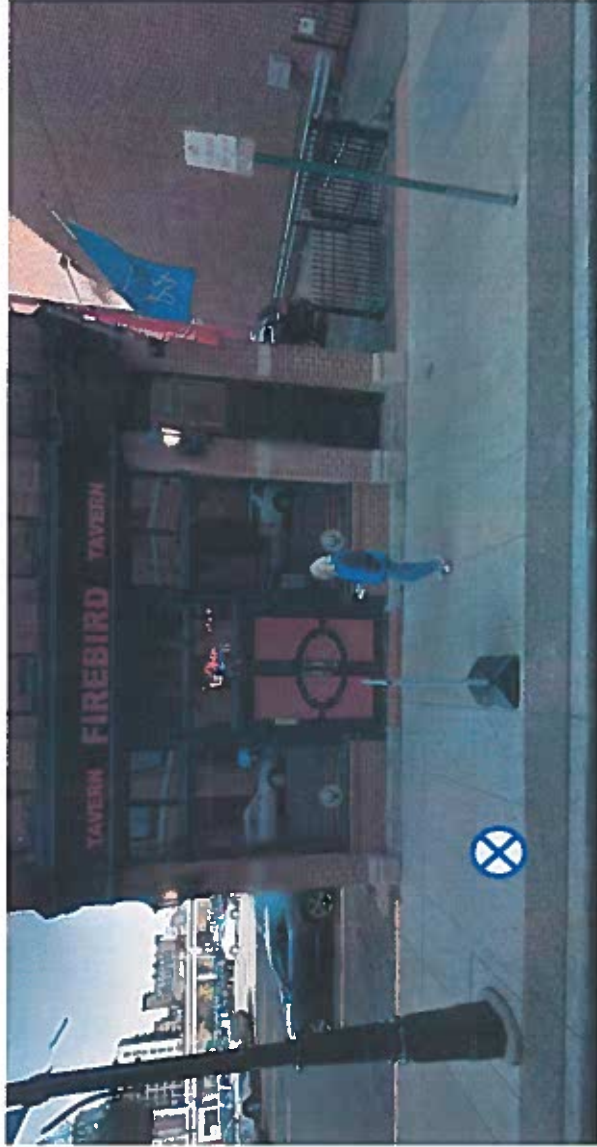
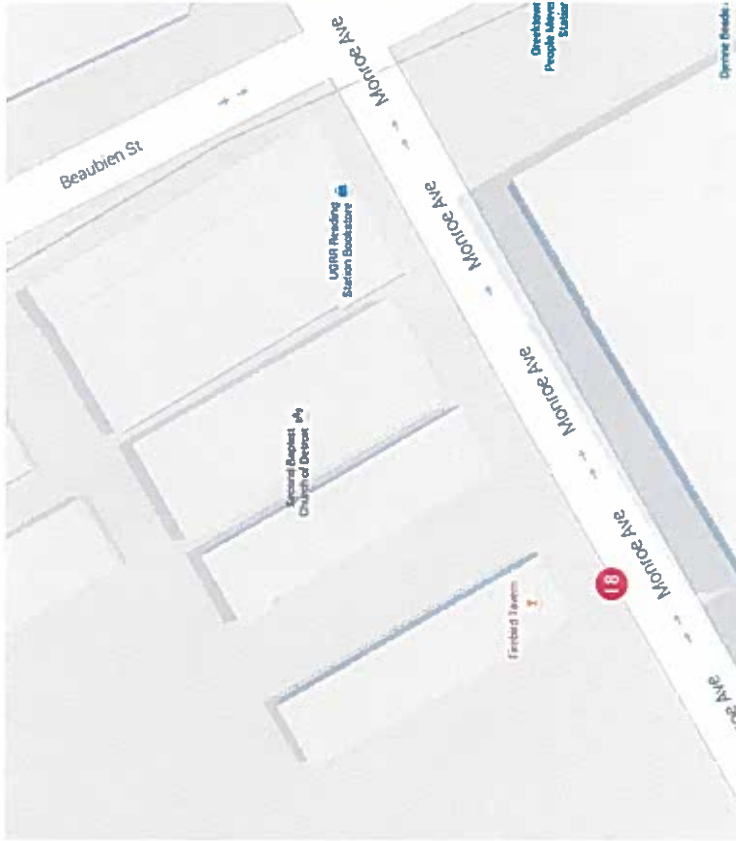
Please Note: the meter should be installed 4 feet from the curb, in line with the 2 trees

 **Santorini Estiatorio Restaurant**
(501 Monroe Ave)

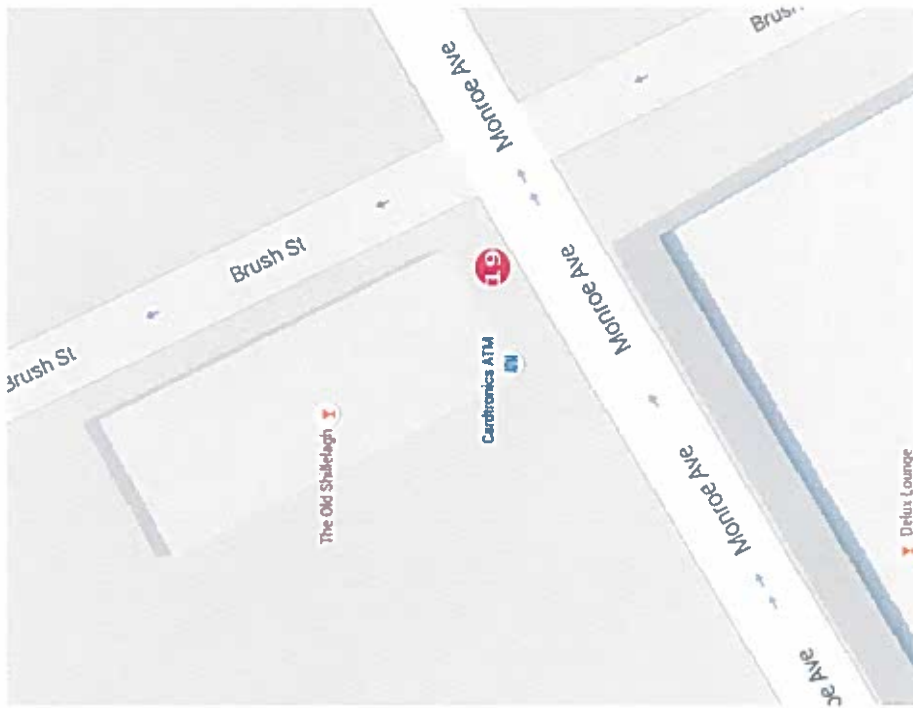


Please note: We are comfortable with either of the marked locations. Also, please note that the trees are being removed as part of a right of way redesign. We propose putting the meter where the tree was.

18 Firehouse Tavern
(419 Monroe Ave)



19 The Old ShilleLagh
(349 Monroe Ave)





Rosa Parks Transit Center (along Michigan Ave, just east of Cass Ave.)

