

**Reinstatement of Petition 231**  
**Michael Williams and The Williams Park Alliance, Inc.**  
**The Etheldra Mae Williams Park**

Record #1382\_2021 Review #1309

In March of 2018 the Williams Park Alliance, Inc., petitioned the City of Detroit for a temporary closure of Burgess Street between addresses 14300 and 14430. The purpose of the request was to stop the illegal dumping, prostitution and street drug abuse/usage on the block. In 2019 we were granted a one-year temporary closure permit. The permit was renewed in 2020 and expired in October 2021.

The intended results have been achieved, lauded by the community and recognized by the Department of Neighborhoods, District 1, Councilmember Pro Tiem James Tate's office, Detroit Land Band Authority and Mayor Mike Duggan.

We now request a reactivation of the previous permit with a five-year duration.

Thank you in advance,

Michael E. Williams, President  
Williams Park Alliance, inc.