

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Public Comment – Support for CF 26-1273 I strongly support Council File 26-1273 and the allocation of additional funding for beautification services throughout Council District 15. In Harbor Gateway, we have seen firsthand what consistent cleanup and beautification can do for a neighborhood. For years, our community has dealt with chronic illegal dumping, debris, neglected public spaces and areas that fall between different jurisdictions. Cleaning these areas is more than beautification. Clean streets improve public safety, support our local businesses and residents, and help prevent locations from immediately becoming dumping grounds again. I especially encourage the City to ensure that Harbor Gateway receives its fair share of these additional resources, including our commercial and industrial corridors and locations that have historically experienced chronic dumping. Thank you to Councilmember McOskey for continuing to invest in cleaner and safer communities throughout Council District 15. I urge the City Council to approve CF 26-1273. David Matthews Harbor Gateway Stakeholder