



MICHIGAN SENATE

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

Date Submitted: 04/08/2026

1. Sponsoring legislator's full name:

Senator Dayna Polehanki

2. Cosponsoring legislators' names (if applicable):

N/A

3. Intended legislatively directed spending item recipient:

City of Inkster

4. Physical address of legislatively directed spending item recipient and the intended location of the project or activity:

Address: 26215 Trowbridge, Inkster, MI 48141; Project Location: 2121 Inkster Rd, Inkster, MI 48141

5. The recipient's employer identification number:

38-6007226

6. Requested amount of the legislatively directed spending item:

\$750,000.00

7. What is the purpose and how does the legislatively directed spending item provide a public benefit that is an appropriate use of taxpayer money?

This funding will support the planning, design, and construction of a modern, accessible amphitheater in Downtown Inkster. The City currently does not have an amphitheater or comparable outdoor performance venue. This project will create a dedicated space for concerts, performances, community programming, and private rentals, serving as a central gathering place for residents and visitors while supporting downtown revitalization efforts. The new amphitheater will provide significant public benefit by expanding access to cultural, recreational, and entertainment opportunities for residents of all ages. It will foster community engagement, encourage social connection, and create a safe and vibrant destination for families and visitors. In addition, the amphitheater will stimulate local economic

activity by increasing foot traffic to downtown businesses, attracting visitors, and supporting special events. This investment will enhance quality of life, promote community pride, and contribute to the long-term revitalization and economic development of Downtown Inkster.

- 8. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received or been awarded any of the following types of funding in the past 5 years? If so, how much? Check all that apply:**

N/A

Amount

N/A

- 9. Estimated time frame for completion of the legislatively directed spending item project:**

2 years from October 1st, 2026 to September 30th, 2028

- 10. Is the recipient a nonprofit corporation?**

No

Additional Information for Nonprofit Corporations (if applicable)

The answer to questions 1 to 3 must be "Yes" for the nonprofit corporation to qualify for a legislatively directed spending item.

- 1. Has the nonprofit corporation continuously operated in this state for the preceding 36 months?**

No

- 2. Has the nonprofit corporation had a physical office in this state for not less than the preceding 12 consecutive months?**

No

- 3. Does the organization have a board of directors?**

No

- 4. List all of the officers and active members on the board of directors:**

N/A

Certification By Sponsoring Legislator

"I certify that my immediate family members, legislative staff members, and I have no direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the requested legislatively directed spending item."

"I certify that the intended recipient of this legislatively directed spending item is not a for-profit entity."

"I certify that the information in this form is true to the best of my knowledge."

Senator Dayna Polehanki