



# MICHIGAN SENATE

## Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

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Date Submitted: 04/16/2026

**1. Sponsoring legislator's full name:**

Senator Mary Cavanagh

**2. Cosponsoring legislators' names (if applicable):**

N/A

**3. Intended legislatively directed spending item recipient:**

FORCE Detroit

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

7310 Woodward Ave Suite 400 Detroit, MI 48202 Funding will be used around the city of Detroit

**5. The recipient's employer identification number:**

852023097

**6. Requested amount of the legislatively directed spending item:**

\$2,000,000.00

**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?**

FORCE Detroit is seeking \$2,000,000 in funding to expand and strengthen its Community Violence Intervention (CVI) and prevention infrastructure, with targeted investment in communities. This investment will directly support community safety, reduce violence, and strengthen long-term stabilization efforts in some of the most impacted areas of Detroit

- 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:**

Funding will be used within 24 months of receipt

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

Yes

*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?**

Yes

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

Yes

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

Yes

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

Omari Barksdale Board Chair Dr. Ashlee Barnes-Lee Board Secretary Dr. Tammara L. Moffitt Board Member Mikai Green Board Member James King Board Member

*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 Mary Cavanagh*