

## Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

- 1. The sponsoring representative's first name: Tullio
- 2. The sponsoring representative's last name: Liberati
- 3. The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.
  n/a
- 4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for: City of Melvindale
- 5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for: 3100 Oakwood, Melvindale, MI 48122
- 6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity: n/a
- Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located: Tullio Liberati, District 2
- 8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution. This highly populated and travel area in Melvindale has several deep cracks, potholes, deterioration, and new road requirements. The new roads and repairs will enhance the safety of our residents as vehicles currently must swerve to avoid potholes. This is hazardous for the driver's safety, the vehicle, and pedestrians crossing. The Department of Public Works currently spends approximately 12 hours per week patching roads to address the issues, and ACT 51 funding does not address these requirements. If funding is

received, the DPW and ACT 51 resources can be utilized in other areas of the City. Finally, the whole community and future generations will also receive the benefits.

- 9. Attach documents here if needed: Attachments added to the end of this file.
- 10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item. 500000
- 11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.["None"]
- Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item: Local unit government
- 13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months? Not applicable
- 14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months? Not applicable
- 15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors? Not applicable
- 16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.' n/a
- 17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item." Yes, this is correct
- 18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item: This project will begin as soon as the funds are available in the first quarter of 2026.
- 19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate." Yes