

Ann Arbor City Council Regular Session: May 20, 2019
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2	9:41 PM		Jacqueline Beaudry	Ali Ramlawi			
3	7:41 PM		Ali Ramlawi	Nancy Meadow			
4	7:05 PM		Jane Lumm, Kathy Griswold, Anne Bannister, Ali Ramlawi, Elizabeth Nelson	Jack Cederquist			
5	11:30 PM		Jacqueline Beaudry	Jane Lumm			
6	11:59 PM		Jacqueline Beaudry	Jane Lumm			
7	9:38 PM		Jacqueline Beaudry	Jane Lumm	City Council, Howard Lazarus		
8	8:52 PM		Jane Lumm	Eric Sturgis	Jeff Hayner, Anne Bannister		
9	8:44 PM		Jane Lumm, Kathy Griswold	Mary Salley			
10	8:48 PM		Ackerman, Julie Grand	Edmond Nadler			
11	9:39 PM		Howard Lazarus	Kathy Griswold	Jeff Hayner		
12	12:45 AM		Tom Crawford, Karen Lancaster	Jane Lumm			
13	11:42 PM		City Council	Jane Lumm	Howard Lazarus		
14	9:05 PM		Julie Grand	Edmond Nadler		Email address	Privacy
15	7:40 PM		Christopher Taylor	Sebastian Gerstner			
16	10:46 PM		Jeff Hayner	Eric Sturgis			
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20	12:25 AM		Zach Ackerman, Jane Lumm, Jacqueline Beaudry, City Council	Julie Grand			
21	8:15 PM		Julie Grand	Julie Quiroz		Email address, phone number	Privacy
22	7:49 PM		Julie Grand	Deborah VandenBroek		Email address	Privacy
23	1:48 AM		Jane Lumm, Zach Ackerman, Jeff Hayner, Anne Bannister, Chip Smith, Jack Eaton, Elizabeth Nelson, Julie Grand, Christopher Taylor, Kathy Griswold, Ali	Stephen Gill		Address	Privacy
24	1:23 AM		Jane Lumm, Zach Ackerman, Jeff Hayner, Anne Bannister, Chip Smith, Jack Eaton, Elizabeth Nelson, Julie Grand, Christopher Taylor, Kathy Griswold, Ali Ramlawi	Peter Westerman		Address	Privacy
25	11:18 PM		Jane Lumm, Jeff Hayner, Anne Bannister, Jack Eaton, Kathy Griswold, Ali Ramlawi, Zach Ackerman, Elizabeth Nelson, Christopher Taylor, Julie Grand, Chip Smith	Sandip Bhattacharya		Address	Privacy

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29	10:18 PM		Jack Eaton, Elizabeth Nelson, Jane Lumm, Christopher Taylor, Ali Ramlawi, Chip Smith, Jeff Hayner, Kathy Griswold, Julie Grand, Anne Bannister, Zach Ackerman	Andrew Mohr		Address	Privacy
30	10:18 PM		Elizabeth Nelson, Chip Smith, Anne Bannister, Jane Lumm, Jeff Hayner, Julie Grand, Kathy Griswold, Zach Ackerman, Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton, Ali Ramlawi	Shaffhanjali Chakraborty		Address	Privacy
31	10:18 PM		Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton, Chip Smith, Elizabeth Nelson, Anne Bannister, Zach Ackerman, Jeff Hayner, Julie Grand, Kathy Griswold, Ali Ramlawi, Jane Lumm	Pamela Smock		Address	Privacy
32	9:48 PM		Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton	April Phoenix		Address	Privacy

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36	9:17 PM		Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton	Christie Walker		Address	Privacy
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40	8:18 PM		Chip Smith, Jack Eaton, Ali Ramlawi, Christopher Taylor, Jeff Hayner, Julie Grand, Elizabeth Nelson, Jane Lumm, Anne Bannister, Kathy Griswold, Zach Ackerman	Wendy Piepenburg		Address	Privacy
41	8:18 PM		Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton	Karen May		Address	Privacy
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44	8:17 PM		Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton	Elli Penning		Address	Privacy
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49	7:47 PM		Chip Smith, Jack Eaton, Ali Ramlawi, Christopher Taylor, Jeff Hayner, Julie Grand, Elizabeth Nelson, Jane Lumm, Anne Bannister, Kathy Griswold, Zach Ackerman	Marshall Grimm		Address	Privacy
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53	7:22 PM		Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton	Mallory Dockery		Address	Privacy
54	7:22 PM		Christopher Taylor, Jack Eaton	Heather Nicholas		Address	Privacy
55	10:48 PM		Jane Lumm, Jack Eaton, Anne Bannister, Kathy Griswold, Ali Ramlawi, Elizabeth Nelson	Libby Brooks		Address	Privacy
56	11:09 PM		Anne Bannister	Susan Wright			
57	10:59 PM		Elizabeth Nelson	Curt Mark			

From: [Ramlawi, Ali](#)
To: [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#)
Subject: Add CM Ramlawi to DC-15
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 9:41:52 PM

Please add CM Ramlawi to DC-15 as amended as a co-sponsor.

Thank you!
Ali

From: [Nancy Meadow](#)
To: [Ramlawi, Ali](#)
Subject: Climate Funding
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:41:26 PM

Mr. Ramlawi --

I'm writing again to urge you to support climate adaptation funding in the Ann Arbor city budget. Leaders in cities across the U.S. are realizing that more extreme weather has the potential to do serious damage to homes and small businesses in their cities. Even Flint and Grand Rapids are investing in measures to increase climate resilience. Please help make sure that Ann Arbor, a city that should be a leader in these efforts, isn't left behind.

Thank you for representing me on the city council.

Cheers,
Nancy Meadow

From: [JACK CEDERQUIST](#)
To: [Lumm, Jane](#); [Griswold, Kathy](#); [Bannister, Anne](#); [Ramlawi, Ali](#); [Nelson, Elizabeth](#)
Subject: Continue funding for the deer cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:05:53 PM

Hello City Council members - Just a note to encourage you to defeat Jeff Hayner's attempt to end the deer cull. I believe we are seeing less damage in Ward 2 from deer.

Thanks, Jack Cederquist

From: [Lumm, Jane](#)
To: [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#); [CityCouncil](#)
Subject: DC-3 - Nixon Corridor budget amendment, amendment
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 11:30:56 PM

Delete 1st resolved clause and replace with:

RESOLVED, that it is City Council's expectation that Phase 1 of the Nixon Corridor Improvement Project (Plymouth to Bluett) will be included in the FY21 Capital Budget; and

From: [Lumm, Jane](#)
To: [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#); [CityCouncil](#)
Subject: DC-3 Budget Amendment for Amendment #3 -- increase police staffing
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 11:59:00 PM

RESOLVED, that the recommended FY20 budget be amended to increase the budgeted FTE's in the Police Department by two (152 FTE to 153 FTE) and that FY20 Police General Fund expenditures be increased by \$191,144 funded with corresponding reductions to the General Fund expenditures in the proposed FY20 budget as follows:

- \$99,000 – eliminate new FTE for Contract Administrator
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From: [Lumm, Jane](#)
To: [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#)
Cc: [CityCouncil](#); [Lazarus, Howard](#)
Subject: DC-15 Amendments
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 9:38:44 PM

Ms. Beaudry, Council, These are amendments I will propose for DC-15. Thank you, Jane

1. Amend the last resolved clause to:

Whereas, the artist has offered to sell the piece to the City at the reduced price of \$35,000, but is requesting a right-of-first refusal if the City decided to remove or destroy the artwork

2. Add new last whereas clause

Whereas the City's normal practice and standard purchase agreement for artwork retains the City's right to dispose of the artwork as it sees fit, but not alter the artwork without the artist's permission

3. Change \$40,000 in the first resolved clause to \$35,000
4. Change \$40,000 in second resolved clause to \$35,000
5. Change \$40,000 in title of resolution to \$35,000

From: [Eric Sturgis](#)
To: [Lumm, Jane](#)
Cc: [Hayner, Jeff](#); [Bannister, Anne](#)
Subject: Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:52:06 PM

Vote for Amendment 6.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Mary Salley](#)
To: [Lumm, Jane](#); [Griswold, Kathy](#)
Subject: Deer Herd, Ward 2 (Monday Night, 8:30pm)
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:44:57 PM

Today's herd (5) in real time, at my neighbor's home, near Green Rd. They heard the deer management budget is under review, and send their regards.



Sent from my iPhone

From: [Edmond Nadler](#)
To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#); [Ackerman, Zach](#); Grand@a2gov.org
Subject: defunding the deer cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:48:35 PM

Dear Mayor Taylor and Council Members Grand and Ackerman,

I support Council Member Hayner's amendment to the budget to defund the deer cull, which has been an awful thing in our city. I hope you will vote for that amendment.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Edmond Nadler, Ph.D.
Ward 3

From: [Hayner, Jeff](#)
To: [Lazarus, Howard](#)
Cc: [Griswold, Kathy](#)
Subject: EPA coordinating
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 9:39:41 PM

Dear Mr. Lazarus,

Consider this a formal request to be cc'd on any relevant correspondence or meeting scheduling correspondence that is happening as a result of the May 6th passage of DC-5, the resolution to seek EPA Superfund preliminary assessment. As co-author and co-sponsor of the resolution I want to make sure that I am aware of what's happening. I feel I have taken on this responsibility by championing this resolution with Cm Griswold, and I want to see it through.

Of course, if there is anything I can do to assist in moving this forward, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Jeff Hayner
Ward 1 City Council

From: [Lumm, Jane](#)
To: [Crawford, Tom](#); [Lancaster, Karen](#)
Subject: FW: DC-3 Budget Amendment for Amendment #3 -- increase police staffing
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 12:45:21 AM

FYI What council approved:

From: Lumm, Jane <JLumm@a2gov.org>
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 11:59 PM
To: Beaudry, Jacqueline <JBeaudry@a2gov.org>; CityCouncil <CityCouncil@a2gov.org>
Subject: DC-3 Budget Amendment for Amendment #3 -- increase police staffing

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From: [Lumm, Jane](#)
To: [CityCouncil](#)
Cc: [Lazarus, Howard](#)
Subject: FW: Fall Leaves 1-4
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 11:42:59 PM
Attachments: [Fall Street Leaves 1-4.pdf](#)

For your viewing pleasure. Sights of leaves filling the streets after we transferred the labor and cost to our residents.

From: Washtenaw <usa1781@fedex.com>
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 7:18 PM
To: Lumm, Jane <JLumm@a2gov.org>
Subject: Fall Leaves 1-4

Thank you,

FedEx Office
3354 Washtenaw Ave. Suite C
Ann Arbor, MI. 48104
734.975.0496 TEL
734.975.2315 FAX
usa1781@fedex.com

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From: [Edmond Nadler](#)
To: [Grand, Julie](#)
Subject: Fwd: defunding the deer cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 9:05:41 PM

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Edmond Nadler** [REDACTED] >
Date: Mon, May 20, 2019 at 8:48 PM
Subject: defunding the deer cull
To: Mayor Christopher Taylor <CTaylor@a2gov.org>, Zachary Ackerman
<ZAckerman@a2gov.org>, <Grand@a2gov.org>

Dear Mayor Taylor and Council Members Grand and Ackerman,

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

Edmond Nadler, Ph.D.
Ward 3

From: [Gerstner, Sebastian](#)
To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
Subject: Mayor visit to Thurston
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:40:53 PM
Attachments: [Questions for the Mayor.docx](#)

Hello mayor Taylor,

Our second grade classes are incredibly excited to meet and talk with you tomorrow from 1-2.

The students were very thoughtful and planned out some questions they wanted to ask you. We wanted to send you the questions so none of them were a surprise to you.

Please let us know if there are any questions you have for us or if there's anything we can do to help!

We will see you tomorrow!
Mr. Gerstner

From: [Eric Sturgis](#)
To: [Hayner, Jeff](#)
Subject: North side steam
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:46:28 PM

Please explain your Yes vote? Why would having a sidewalk on brookside improve safety?

Sent from my iPhone

From: [David Kierys](#)
To: [Eaton, Jack](#)
Subject: Please Vote No for "Amendment 3"
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:50:15 PM

Hello,

My name is Dawid Kierys & I live at [REDACTED], Ann Arbor, MI 48104 within the ward that you represent. As our council member please vote NO for amendment 3 - I don't believe that there's any further investment required in the most well-funded portion of our budget. We need funding allocated in other - more pressing - areas of our day-to-day lives than more policing, especially affordable housing & improved public transportation. I hope you respectfully consider my request & thank you for your time & effort working for our community.

Best,

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David Kierys
Civil Engineer
Ann Arbor, MI

[REDACTED]

From: [David Kierys](#)
To: [Nelson, Elizabeth](#)
Subject: Please Vote No on Amendment 3
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:51:18 PM

Hello,

My name is Dawid Kierys & I live at [REDACTED], Ann Arbor, MI 48104 within the ward that you represent. As our council member please vote NO for amendment 3 - I don't believe that there's any further investment required in the most well-funded portion of our budget. We need funding allocated in other - more pressing - areas of our day-to-day lives than more policing, especially affordable housing & improved public transportation. I hope you respectfully consider my request & thank you for your time & effort working for our community.

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David Kierys
Civil Engineer
Ann Arbor, MI
[REDACTED]

From: [Ackerman, Zach](#)
To: [Lumm, Jane](#); [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#); [CityCouncil](#)
Subject: RE: DC-3 Budget Amendment for Amendment #3 -- increase police staffing
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 12:16:12 AM

RESOLVED, that the recommended FY20 budget be amended to increase the budgeted FTE's in the Police Department by *one* (152 FTE to *153 FTE*) and that FY20 Police General Fund expenditures be increased by *\$99,000* funded with corresponding reductions to the General Fund expenditures in the proposed FY20 budget as follows:

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REMOVE TEXT IN RED

Zachary Ackerman

Ann Arbor City Council

Ward 3

(734) 883-8391

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From: Lumm, Jane
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 11:59 PM
To: Beaudry, Jacqueline; CityCouncil
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From: [Grand, Julie](#)
To: [Ackerman, Zach](#); [Lumm, Jane](#); [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#); [CityCouncil](#)
Subject: RE: DC-3 Budget Amendment for Amendment #3 -- increase police staffing
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 12:25:36 AM

Second resolved:

RESOLVED: That the ICPOC provides input into the roles and responsibilities of the FTE.

From: Ackerman, Zach
Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 12:16 AM
To: Lumm, Jane; Beaudry, Jacqueline; CityCouncil
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Ann Arbor City Council
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From: [Julie Quiroz](#)
To: [Grand, Julie](#)
Subject: Re: Fund climate and community mental health -- not police
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:15:28 PM

Thank you.

On Mon, May 20, 2019 at 5:48 PM Grand, Julie <JGrand@a2gov.org> wrote:

Thank you. You have my support.

From: Julie Quiroz [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 12:40 PM
To: CityCouncil
Subject: Fund climate and community mental health -- not police

Dear City Council Members,

I'm writing to express my strong support for funding for climate resilience and affordable housing strategies, which are urgent local and global priorities. I'm also writing to express my strong support for investments in community mental health and wellness. I understand that both of these priorities were highly ranked in surveys of A2 residents, as they should be since they are core values and necessities.

I strongly oppose the shifting of funding from these priorities to policing, and am deeply disturbed by the lack of transparency in shifts taking place in the budget.

Sincerely,

Julie Quiroz
Ward 3
[REDACTED]

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"I don't really like uncertainty. I'd much rather know, but then again, not-knowing keeps all the possibilities open. It keeps all the worlds alive." -Ruth Ozeki, *A Tale for the Time Being*

Julie Quiroz | Director of Future Narrative| Movement Strategy Center
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message.

From: [Deborah VandenBroek](#)
To: [Grand, Julie](#)
Subject: Re: Please Fully Fund Affordable Housing According to the City Administrator's Budget
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:49:24 PM

Thanks

Sent from my iPhone

On May 20, 2019, at 17:39, Grand, Julie <JGrand@a2gov.org> wrote:

Thank you. You have my support.

From: Deborah VandenBroek [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 2:39 PM
To: CityCouncil
Subject: Please Fully Fund Affordable Housing According to the City Administrator's Budget

Please stay faithful to this commitment voted on by our citizens and so desperately needed in our community. The data are incontrovertible that affordable housing prevents homelessness; is a pathway out of chronic homelessness; reduces traffic flow for folks needing to work further and further away from jobs due to housing costs and overall contributes to the livability and dignity of our community.

Thank you

Deb

Deborah VandenBroek
[REDACTED]

From: [Humane Society of Huron Valley](#) on behalf of [Stephen Gill](#)
To: [Eaton, Jack](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 1:48:23 AM

May 21, 2019

Council Member - Ward 4 Jack Eaton
Ann Arbor, MI

Dear Council Member - Ward 4 Eaton,

I strongly support Amendment 6 proposed by City Council Member Jeff Hayner to end deer culling operations in FY 2020/21.

The deer cull has always been a faulty, short-sighted plan that wastes taxpayer dollars on needless killing, causing unnecessary controversy and strife.

Data have shown that Ann Arbor is not now, nor has it ever been, overpopulated with deer. This is a known fact.

Here is what else we know:

Culls do **not** reduce the incidence of Lyme Disease.

There are better ways to address concerns around deer/vehicle collisions.

There are humane and inexpensive ways of managing damage to gardens.

The true harm to biodiversity is man-made (99% of the threat of species extinction comes from human action related to pollution, habitat loss and climate change).

Culling should never have been our first step. Ann Arbor City rushed to the decision to cull, without solid information, data and goals -- simply looking for a quick fix in order to protect gardens. More humane, cost-effective strategies were never attempted. This is not just a waste of tax-payer money, but also is a waste of time and attention needed for more pressing matters facing our community.

In addition, the cull causes frustrating park closures and puts sharpshooters right next to our homes, schools and bus stops. Each year, parents and school administrators are forced to tell our kids to steer clear of certain parks and paths because of the use of firearms, while our schools are on lock-down to prevent random gun violence. How do we teach our young people that violence doesn't solve problems when we continue to shoot?

Over the years the cull has grown in expense and intrusion on our daily lives -- and there is no end in sight.

With plans created by an out-of-state private cull contracting company, considerations around cost and burden on the Ann Arbor community are left out of the equation.

Perhaps the most important fact is that whether we love them or hate

them, urban deer are here to stay. *We need sustainable solutions!*
We can pay the price of endless shooting or we can work together as a community to find effective, humane and non-controversial solutions.

Ann Arbor's history of nonviolence, tolerance and respect for nature should guide an approach that focuses on education and peaceful co-existence. Let's work together to create a successful model of urban wildlife conflict management in which we can all be proud.

The \$250,000 budgeted for FY 2020/21 is a total misuse of taxpayer money.

Please use our taxpayer dollars more responsibly to address other pressing City issues like road repairs and improving the safety of crosswalks, and support Amendment 6.

Sincerely,

Mr. Stephen Gill



From: [Humane Society of Huron Valley](#) on behalf of [Stephen Gill](#)
To: [Ramlawi, Ali](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 1:48:23 AM

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Council Member - Ward 5 Ali Ramlawi
3rd Floor
301 East Huron Street
Ann Arbor, MI 48104-5522

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To: [Grand, Julie](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 1:23:08 AM

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To: [Lumm, Jane](#)
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To: [Smith, Chip](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:18:08 PM

May 20, 2019

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To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
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To: [Lumm, Jane](#)
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Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:18:06 PM

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To: [Ramlawi, Ali](#)
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To: [Grand, Julie](#)
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To: [Griswold, Kathy](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:18:05 PM

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Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:18:05 PM

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To: [Ramlawi, Ali](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:18:02 PM

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Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:18:01 PM

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To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
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To: [Smith, Chip](#)
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Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 9:22:49 PM

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To: [Hayner, Jeff](#)
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To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
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To: [Griswold, Kathy](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:18:20 PM

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Council Member - Ward 2 Kathy Griswold
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To: [Ackerman, Zach](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
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From: [Humane Society of Huron Valley](#) on behalf of [Jenifer Pastor Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:17:59 PM

May 20, 2019

Mayor Christopher Taylor
Ann Arbor, MI

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To: [Bannister, Anne](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:17:59 PM

May 20, 2019

Council Member - Ward 1 Anne Bannister
3rd Floor
301 East Huron Street
Ann Arbor, MI 48104-5522

Dear Council Member - Ward 1 Bannister,

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I have always felt bad when I read about plans to kill the deer. I am thankful that City Council Member Jeff Hayner has introduced this amendment.

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To: [Smith, Chip](#)
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To: [Grand, Julie](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:17:58 PM

May 20, 2019

Council Member - Ward 3 Julie Grand
3rd Floor
301 East Huron Street
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To: [Nelson, Elizabeth](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:17:58 PM

May 20, 2019

Council Member - Ward 4 Elizabeth Nelson
3rd Floor
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To: [Griswold, Kathy](#)
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Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 8:17:57 PM

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To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:52:43 PM

May 20, 2019

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Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:48:02 PM

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To: [Ramlawi, Ali](#)
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To: [Nelson, Elizabeth](#)
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To: [Lumm, Jane](#)
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To: [Ackerman, Zach](#)
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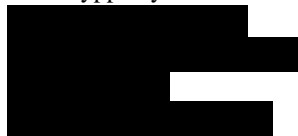
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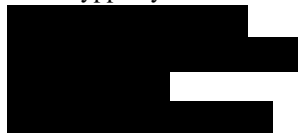
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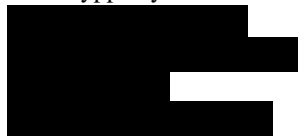
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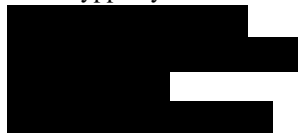
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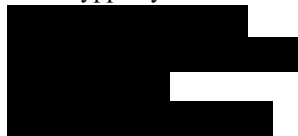
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Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:47:55 PM

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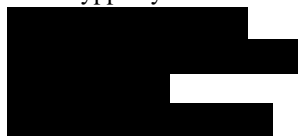
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To: [Ramlawi, Ali](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:47:51 PM

May 20, 2019

Council Member - Ward 5 Ali Ramlawi
3rd Floor
301 East Huron Street
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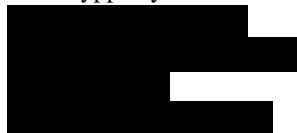
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To: [Grand, Julie](#)
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To: [Ackerman, Zach](#)
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From: [Humane Society of Huron Valley](#) on behalf of [Katy Fritts](#)
To: [Eaton, Jack](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:22:40 PM

May 20, 2019

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From: [Humane Society of Huron Valley](#) on behalf of [Mallory Dockery](#)
To: [Taylor, Christopher \(Mayor\)](#)
Subject: Stop the Ann Arbor Deer Cull
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 7:22:39 PM

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From: [Humane Society of Huron Valley](#) on behalf of [Heather Nicholas](#)
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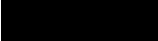
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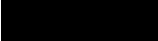
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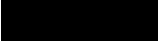
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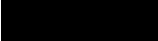
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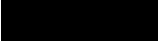
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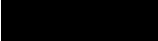
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To: [Bannister, Anne](#)
Subject: Thanks!
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 11:09:51 PM

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I'll be back in AA in July and hope to see you then,

Susan

From: [Curt Mark](#)
To: [Nelson, Elizabeth](#)
Subject: You're a loser. A spineless loser.
Date: Monday, May 20, 2019 10:59:13 PM

What if a kid dies on Traver? You voted right the first time. But now you see the light?

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Sent from my iPad