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The Honorable Shenise Turner-Sloss  
Mayor, City of Dayton  
101 West Third Street  
Dayton, Ohio 45402

Dear Mayor and Commissioners,

Thank you for your commitment and dedication to the City of Dayton. The Downtown Dayton Security Working Group first came together on October 31, 2025. Since that time the Group has seen significant progress.

We have met regularly to address growing concerns from the community regarding downtown Dayton, and have identified four areas of concern: safety, social services, intergovernmental coordination, and economic development. Several recommendations resulted from these targeted areas.

Today at our meeting, we greatly appreciated your presentation concerning the City of Dayton staff report and the mayor and commissioners' direction to staff concerning implementation of our working group's recommendations. We look forward to working with you and the Commission to achieve your vision for progress in downtown Dayton for future economic development and growth.

We look forward to meeting again as we work together for the implementation of these recommendations.

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Sincerely,



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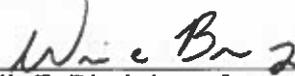
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