

Councilwomen Robinson,

I write this email to express my complete support of the Vine Street CID expansion as proposed for your City Council Legal Review Committee.

As you are aware the Vine Street Community Improvement District formally submitted a request to organize a Community Improvement District within the 18th & Vine area in August of 2021. The District was created after numerous conversations with members of the community that desired to reinvest in the community like numerous other CID Districts have done throughout the City of Kansas City. Property owners within the geographic boundaries of the District (Including the City of Kansas City) agreed to tax themselves to facilitate the formation of a district that would exist to provide better security, find parking solutions and provide other desirable services as needed.

We would look to formalize a resolution from the board of the Vine Street CID as you move closer to final ordinance review. We offer our full support for the expansion and would gladly make ourselves available to assist the committee and Council in supporting your ordinance.

Thank you.

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