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Good Morning Ald. Bauman,

I am writing after seeing the violence along the water street corridor.

If I may suggest, ask MPD if they can supply a dedicated limited duty officer to monitor the Water Street Corridor cameras (via Fusus or Genetec, the native VMS system) until bar close to enhance real time operations on weekends (or time of day, day of week when events have been occurring).

Conversely ask MPD if this has already been occurring. If so, asks for specifics including operational plans and or line ups that reflect that personnel was dedicated to this mission.

Next, one of the news stations picked up on an idea and that is that a secured pedestrian corridor might need to be established with security check points. I was thinking the same thing. This idea may need to at be red teamed this idea as to feasibility and costs.

At the very least, officer deployable vehicle stopping technologies may need to be purchased to securely block streets. This is in light of the recent MVA but also the possibility of a ramming attack. DHS has long provided guidance on this especially after the attack in Nice, France.

Sincerely,

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