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DIRECTOR'S OFFICE MEMORANDUM 2019 - 9

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TO: Executive Policy Team
Administrative Management Team
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FROM: Heidi E. Washington, Director

SUBJECT: Detroit Detention Center

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The Department has entered into an interagency agreement with the Detroit Police Department/City of Detroit to house persons 17 years of age or older who have been arrested by law enforcement but not yet arraigned. The pre-arraigned detainees are held for no more than 72 hours at the former Mound Correctional Facility, which has been repurposed as the Detroit Detention Center (DDC). DDC is managed by Field Operations Administration (FOA) employing Department staff. DDC and the Detroit Reentry Center operate under the administration of a single Warden with separate Deputy Wardens for each facility. The former Administration Building is used by the Detroit Police Department to conduct suspect interviews, line-ups, and other detective duties.

DDC operates under the terms and conditions of the Agreement. Department policies that apply to prisoners do not apply to detainees at DDC. However, Department policies which govern personnel matters, custody and security measures, use of force, physical plant requirements, and other non-prisoner related matters apply unless specifically exempted by the FOA Deputy Director or designee.