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I move that the City Administration identify the funds necessary to repair all existing security cameras around the city, at a cost estimate of \$150,000.

I further move that the city administration present a management plan for these assets.

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Statement:

The recent increase of violence in the city has highlighted that many cameras installed to provide security and monitoring have not been functional. Our Police and Fire departments need the tools necessary to respond to this unprecedented uptick of crime. Cameras that are not functioning prevent good police work.

Also, the camera assets are important instruments to combat or to solve crimes. The city administration needs to provide a long-term strategy to manage these assets, including having a maintenance and monitoring plan with recommended additional staffing as needed.