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ENOUGH. Cut spending and stop opening and expanding programs that are absolutely not the responsibility of city government. Please revisit the city charter for your charge. You are pricing some middle class taxpayers out of the city and frightening away the rest. Cut. Spending. The mayor's job doesn't warrant a cabinet the size of the one assembled. You could start there. I am attaching some recent photos of the cityscape. My money should be spent on cleaning this up. And, thanks for those bike lanes on Jackson. It's giving people visiting the Ramsey County Service Center a place to park or idle their cars.





