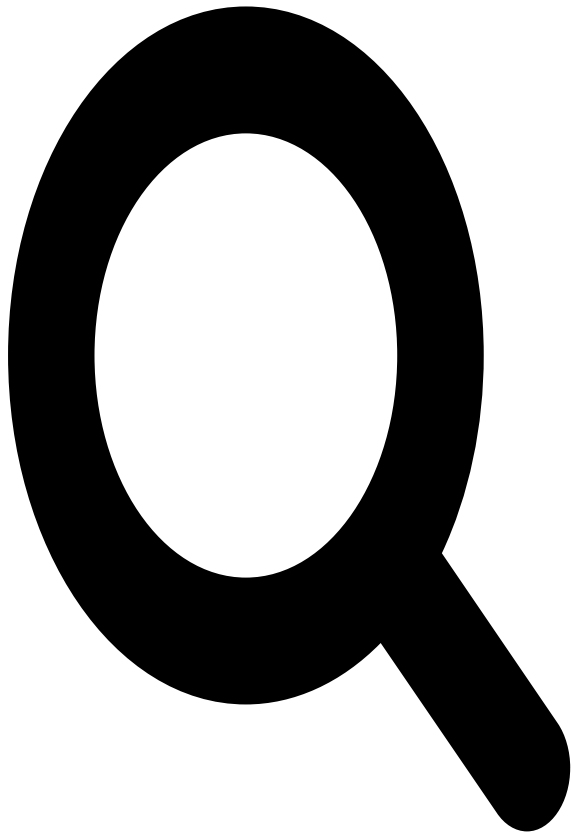


DETROIT IN DEMOLITION

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A graphic image of what is happening in **Detroit**. In red, the points of the city in which licenses for building demolitions have been approved, compared to the licenses granted for new buildings (in blue). The [demolition](#) has been an option, at least there. According to the article [With so much space, so few options -- Detroit's vast vacant lots are a burden](#), the city of Paris could enter the entire surface of Detroit's **empty or abandoned land**.



Months ago I dedicated several posts to this very particular issue in Detroit and then we saw how social organizations and public authorities proposed [solutions](#) for this problem. However, the authorities seem to accept reality: barely a part of these lands and buildings will be able to be activated and most of them **will remain empty or without a specific use for years** because there is no comprehensive and short-term response term for such magnitude. The [zombie houses](#) they will be there for a long time.

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