



# CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS

## Minutes - Final - Final City Council Work Session

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Monday, April 8, 2019

4:00 PM

Conference Room 2A

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**CALL TO ORDER:** Pursuant to due notice and call thereof a Special Meeting/Worksession of the Grand Rapids City Council was held on Monday, April 8, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. in City Hall Conference Room 2A, 420 North Pokegama Avenue, Grand Rapids, Minnesota.

**CALL OF ROLL:** On a call of roll, the following members were present:

**Present** 5 - Mayor Dale Adams, Councilor Dale Christy, Councilor Rick Blake, Councilor Tasha Connelly, and Councilor Michelle Toven

**Staff present:**

*Tom Pagel, Chad Sterle, Rob Mattei*

### Discussion Items

1. Arts & Culture Commission Update  
  
*Sonja Merrild, Chairperson for Arts & Culture Commission, provides overview of Public Art Project, grant funding and execution of the project. Artists have been selected for series of three sculptures and one mural, theme around water and nature. Rural Arts & Culture Summit will be held in Grand Rapids fall 2019.*  
  
**Received and Filed**
2. Discuss proposed amendment to Ordinance Chapter 10, Animals  
  
*Police Chief Johnson provided overview of proposed changes to Grand Rapids Municipal Code related to animal control. The changes will be brought back to Council for consideration on Monday, April 22, 2019.*  
  
**Referred to the City Council due back on 4/22/2019**
3. Review 5:00 PM Regular Meeting  
  
*Rob Mattei, Community Development Director, discussed Great River Acres project that will require an easement purchase from neighboring property owners and need to relocate driveway for Garden Court Chateau. Item #7 on the is requesting the approval of purchase agreement and adoption of resolution.*  
  
*Other notes include addition of 4A, contract with Shred-it, information regarding City Hall construction project and how this may affect the public, update on pedestrian bridge*

**ADJOURN**

*There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:41 PM.*

*Respectfully submitted:*

*Cynthia Lyman, Recorder*