



CITY OF
GRAND RAPIDS
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CITY COUNCIL WORKSESSION MINUTES

Monday, March 24, 2025

4:00 PM

Mayor Connelly called the meeting to order at 4:00 PM.

PRESENT: Mayor Tasha Connelly, Councilor Molly MacGregor, Councilor Rick Blake, Councilor Dan Mertes. ABSENT: Councilor Tom Sutherland.

STAFF: Tom Pagel, Kimberly Gibeau, Chad Sterle, Rob Mattei

BUSINESS:

1. Minnesota Power Presentation - Kate Van Daele

Representatives from MN Power provided presentation including overview of services and customer makeup, carbon free goals, plan highlights, conversion & continued use of Boswell Energy, increasing energy demands, etc. The presentation can be viewed in its entirety at watchictv.org.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORT:

2. Community Development - Rob Mattei

Community Development Director Rob Mattei presented annual update on department activities including areas of work, planning and economic development, permit valuation stats, Building Safety, staffing and upcoming projects. A full report is available upon request.

REVIEW OF REGULAR AGENDA:

Upon review, no changes or additions are noted.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted:

Kimberly Gibeau

Kimberly Gibeau, City Clerk