

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS LOCAL OFFICER'S COMPENSATION COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, January 22, 2025 at 7:00 PM

Robert E. Novitke Municipal Center - Conference Room, 20025 Mack Plaza Dr., Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236 (313) 343-2440

PUBLIC INVITED: IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PUBLIC ACT 267 OF 1976 (OPEN MEETINGS ACT), ALL MEMBERS OF THE GROUP LISTED ABOVE, AS WELL AS THE GENERAL PUBLIC, ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS MEETING.

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA
- 4. **ELECTION OF CHAIR**
- 5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - A. Local Officers Compensation Commission 01/24/23
- 6. **DISCUSSION ITEM**
 - A. Adding an Inflation Formula Tied to Cost of Living
- 7. REVIEW OF COMPENSATION
 - A. Municipal Judge
 - B. Mayor
 - C. City Council
- 8. NEW BUSINESS/PUBLIC COMMENTS
- 9. IMMEDIATE CERTIFICATION OF MINUTES
- 10. ADJOURNMENT

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MINUTES OF THE LOCAL OFFICERS COMPENSATION COMMISSION MEETING OF THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS HELD ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2023, IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 20025 MACK PLAZA, GROSSE POINTE WOODS, MICHIGAN.

PRESENT: Chair Curis

Members Kent, Ulrich

ABSENT: Members McAlpine, Reed

ALSO PRESENT: City Clerk Antolin

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 7:02 p.m.

Motion by Ulrich, seconded by Kent, that all items on tonight's agenda be received, placed on file, and taken in order of appearance.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YES: Curis, Kent, Ulrich

NO: None

ABSENT: McAlpine, Reed

The Chair asked members for a **nomination to serve as Chair** of the Commission.

Motion by Kent, seconded by Ulrich, to nominate Commission Member Curis to serve as Chair.

Commission Member Curis accepted the nomination.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YES: Curis, Kent, Ulrich

NO: None

ABSENT: McAlpine, Reed

The first item discussed was the compensation of **Municipal Court Judge** Ted Metry. There was a brief discussion regarding current and pre-COVID court activity and the salary comparison to the other Grosse Pointes.

Motion by Ulrich, seconded by Kent, regarding Municipal Judge Metry, that there be no increase in compensation and that the compensation of the Judge remain the same, \$30,000 per year.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YES: Curis, Kent, Ulrich

NO: None

ABSENT: McAlpine, Reed

Section 5, Item A.

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Motion by Kent, seconded by McAlpine, regarding the **Mayor's compensation**, that there be no increase in compensation and that the Mayor's compensation remain the same, at \$6,000.00.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YES: Curis, Kent, Ulrich

NO: None

ABSENT: McAlpine, Reed

A brief discussion ensued regarding **City Council's compensation.** The Commission addressed creating a mechanism to include a fair and appropriate increase.

Motion by Ulrich, seconded by Kent, regarding City Council's compensation, that there be no increase in compensation, that the City Council's compensation is to remain the same at \$3,750.00, and to refer to City Administration for guidance for a means to adjust future salary to reflect the cost of living for Mayor and City Council.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YES: Curis, Kent, Ulrich

NO: None

ABSENT: McAlpine, Reed

No one wished to be heard under New Business/Public Comment.

Motion by Curis, seconded by Kent, that tonight's meeting be adjourned at 7:32 p.m. Passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul P. Antolin City Clerk