

**GRAND FORKS CITY COUNCIL AGENDA**  
**Special Meeting**  
**Monday, March 29, 2021 – 5:30 p.m.**  
**Council Chambers**

Notice is hereby given that the City Council will meet at the above date, time and place. Members of the Grand Forks City Council may be attending this meeting in person, electronically or telephonically. All in person participation will be conducted in accordance with COVID-19 precautions including social distancing modifications as recommended by the CDC, the North Dakota Department of Health and/or the Grand Forks Public Health Department. Limited space is available for public attendance.

Members of the public may view the live airing of the City Council meeting on Grand Forks Channel 2 or streamed live through the City's Facebook page at [facebook.com/cityofgrandforks](https://facebook.com/cityofgrandforks). Any member of the public seeking to submit comments relating to an agenda item or public hearing without appearing in person should submit their comments to [www.grandforksgov.com/councilcomments](https://www.grandforksgov.com/councilcomments) or call 701-746-2664 for further information. All comments received prior to 5:00 p.m. on the meeting date will be considered part of the record of the meeting as if personally presented.

Persons with disabilities who may need assistance should contact the ADA Coordinator at least 24 hours prior to this meeting at 746-2665.

**1. GENERAL BUSINESS**

1.1 Welcome and Roll Call

\_\_\_ Weigel \_\_\_ Dachtler \_\_\_ Weber \_\_\_ Mock \_\_\_ Kvamme \_\_\_ Sande \_\_\_ Vein

1.2 Pledge of Allegiance

1.3 Mayor's Announcements

**2. ACTION ITEMS**

2.1 Award Bid for Project No. 8352, Columbia Road Forcemain Relocation at UND Memorial Village Development

2.2 Award Bid for Project No. 8059, Columbia Road Reconstruction (Overpass to north of University Ave)

2.3 Beacon By EPIC Development Demolition Agreement

2.4 Master Plan for City Land South of Alerus Center, Master Plan Presentation, and Associated BMX Club License Agreement

**3. CITIZEN COMMENTS**

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**4. CITY ADMINISTRATOR COMMENTS**

**5. MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBER COMMENTS**

**6. ADJOURNMENT**

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**2. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**City Processes**

- 2.1. Current process of setting Council Agendas and potential changes to city code to have council set its own agendas.
- 2.2. Current process for nominating citizens to Grand Forks boards, and potential changes to city code to adjust the process.

**Economic Development Issues**

- 2.3. A system or set process for issuing city investment in quality of life features that may include arts, parks, recreation, facilities like children's museum etc.
- 2.4. Redevelopment strategies for areas of town that may need reinvestment (e.g. large retail store that have gone under and are sitting vacant).
- 2.5. Increase of childcare availability. Where we are today and what can we do to improve?

**3. ADJOURN**