

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COMMISSION  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS

**Regular Meeting Held May 2, 2016**

Mayor Seibold called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers at the East Grand Rapids Community Center and led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Commissioners Dills, Duncan, Hamrick, Miller, Skaggs, Zigel and Mayor Seibold

Absent: None

Also Present: City Attorney Huff; City Manager Donovan; Assistant City Manager LaFave; Public Safety Director Herald; Finance Director Mushong; City Clerk Brower

2016-44. John Langdon of the Michigan Association of Railroad Passengers presented the City Commission with the results of the latest passenger rail study and thanked them for their support of the railroad transit system.

2016-45. Commissioner Zigel announced the EGR Now campaign was kicking off its annual fundraising drive to assist with school programs in East Grand Rapids.

Parks & Recreation Director Bunn reported the Reeds Lake Trail was featured in the latest issue of the Michigan Trail Magazine.

Mayor Seibold noted that East Grand Rapids celebrated the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of its incorporation as a village recently. The first meeting of the Village Council of the newly created Village of East Grand Rapids was held on April 13, 1891. She noted that several photos on social media and a Cadence newspaper article helped commemorate the occasion.

2016-46. Zigel-Miller. To approve the consent agenda as follows:

2016- -A. To approve the minutes of the rescheduled regular meeting held April 18, 2016.

2016- -B. Report of Finance Committee on disbursement of funds: payroll disbursements of \$203,752.87; county and school disbursements of \$-0-, and total remaining disbursements of \$349,865.00.

2016- -C. A hearing date of June 6, 2016 for public hearings on the proposed FY 2016-17 budget and the placement of delinquent accounts on the summer property tax bill.

2016- -D. A resolution amending the FY 2015-16 budget for the quarter ending March 31, 2016.

2016- -E. The quarterly financial reports for the quarter ending March 31, 2016.

2016- -F. Permission to send obsolete equipment to auction as requested.

2016- -G. A contract with A-1 Asphalt for street repair and restoration associated with water leak patching in the amount of \$10,601.00.

Yeas: Dills, Duncan, Hamrick, Miller, Skaggs, Zigel and Seibold – 7

Nays: -0-

The meeting adjourned at 6:09 p.m., subject to the call of the Mayor until May 16, 2016.

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Karen K. Brower, City Clerk