



**City of Ann Arbor**  
**Meeting Minutes - Draft**  
**Greenbelt Advisory Commission**  
**(GAC)**

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Thursday, October 1, 2020

4:30 PM

Electronic Meeting

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**CALL TO ORDER**

*Chair Fike called the meeting to order at 4:33 p.m.*

**ROLL CALL**

*Chair Fike called the electronic meeting of the Greenbelt Advisory Commission*

**Present:** 7 - Jennifer Fike, Robert Gordon, Julie Grand, Sheila Schueller, Rosanne Bloomer, Elizabeth Riggs, and Elizabeth Lillard

**Absent:** 1 - Jason Boggs

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Bloomer, seconded by Council Rep. Grand, that the Agenda be approved as presented. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.**

**A APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**A-1**      [20-1492](#)      Greenbelt Advisory Commission Minutes of September 3, 2020

**Attachments:**      09-03-20 GAC Minutes.pdf

**A motion was made by Commissioner Riggs, seconded by Commissioner Gordon, that the Minutes be Approved as presented by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.**

**PUBLIC COMMENTARY**

**4 SPEAKERS MAXIMUM - 5 MINUTES SPEAKING TIME.** Sign up must take place prior to the meeting by notifying the chair or city staff. This section of public commentary is limited to items related to the agenda.

*None.*

**B OLD BUSINESS**

*None.*

**C NEW BUSINESS**

**C-1 Introduction of New GAC Members**

*Chair Fike introduced new Commissioner Elizabeth Lillard to the Commission.*

**C-2 FY20 Regional Conservation Partnership Program Proposal Overview and Recommendation**

*Mr. Long provided an update on the FY20 Regional Conservation and FY2020-21 Lake Erie Conservation Partnership.*

**A motion was made by Commissioner Gordon, seconded by Commissioner Bloomer, to recommend City Council approve an application to the USDA FY 2020 Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP), in Partnership with Washtenaw County Parks & Recreation Commission, Ann Arbor Township, Scio Township, Webster Township, and others, to secure funding to complete RCPP-funded purchases of development rights (RDP) conservation easements and committing up to \$3,145,000 of Open Space & Parkland Preservation Milage funding as match from June 20121-June 2026. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.**

**D NEXT AGENDA ITEMS**

*None.*

**PUBLIC COMMENTARY**

**5 MINUTES MAXIMUM SPEAKING TIME - NO LIMIT TO THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE SPEAKING IN THIS SECTION.**

*None.*

**E REPORT FROM COMMISSION COMMITTEES**

**E-1 Executive Committee Report**

*Chair Fike reported she had discussed the need for tonight's revised RCPP Proposal recommendation so that it accurately reflected the City's total contribution including in-kind contributions.*

**E-2 Communications Committee**

*Nothing to Report.*

**E-3 Scoring Committee**

*Nothing to report.*

**ADJOURNMENT**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Schueller, seconded by Commissioner Gordon, that the meeting be adjourn. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 4:57 p.m.**

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