

# City of Ann Arbor

301 E. Huron St.

Ann Arbor, MI 48104

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## Meeting Minutes - Draft

Monday, May 11, 2020

7:00 PM

Work Session - live on CTN Cable Channel 16, ATT Channel 99,  
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City Council

**Council meets in Caucus at 7:00 p.m. on the Sunday prior to each Regular Session.**

**CALL TO ORDER**

*Mayor Christopher Taylor called the electronic Work Session of the Ann Arbor City Council to order at 7:00 p.m. in accordance with Governor Gretchen Whitmer's Executive Order 2020-48.*

**Present:** 11 - Councilmember Jane Lumm, Councilmember Jack Eaton, Mayor Christopher Taylor, Councilmember Julie Grand, Councilmember Zachary Ackerman, Councilmember Chip Smith, Councilmember Anne Bannister, Councilmember Jeff Hayner, Councilmember Kathy Griswold, Councilmember Elizabeth Nelson and Councilmember Ali Ramlawi

**WS WORK SESSION**

**WS-1**    [20-0611](#)    Public Policy Update

*Kirk Profit and Gary Owen, from Governmental Consulting Services, Inc., and John Fournier, Assistant City Administrator presented on the City's policy and lobbying efforts. It was noted that there has been very little movement on legislative issues in Lansing due to the COVID-19 pandemic and statewide Stay Home order.*

*A copy of the presentation is on file in the City Clerk's Office.*

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**WS-2**     **20-0612**     Financial Recovery Plan Discussion: General Fund, Water, Sewer, and Roads

*Tom Crawford, Interim City Administrator, presented a proposed Financial Recovery Plan to City Council for discussion. Mr. Crawford stated that the proposed City budget for Council's consideration on May 18 was prepared prior to the pandemic and the City's financial outlook has changed since then. Mr. Crawford stated it is still not known what the full impacts of the pandemic will be to the economy and this proposed recovery plan represents many options for worst-case scenario. Staff from Public Works and other service areas throughout the City were also present to discuss their budgets.*

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**PUBLIC COMMENT - GENERAL (3 MINUTES EACH)**

*Louis Vasquez, resident, spoke about funding for the Center of the City project and the City's priorities as the economy changes.*

**ADJOURNMENT**

*Seeing no further business before the City Council, Mayor Taylor declared the Work Session adjourned at 8:51 p.m.*

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