



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

301 E. Huron St.
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
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Thursday, August 3, 2023

4:30 PM

Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St, Second floor, City Council Chambers

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1. **CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Riggs called the meeting to order.

2. **ROLL CALL**

Staff - 2: Remy Long and Juliet Harvey.

Present: 5 - Robert Gordon, Rosanne Bloomer, Elizabeth Riggs, Deaver Armstrong, and Travis Radina

Absent: 3 - Sheila Schueller, Jason Boggs, and Kate Laramie

3. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Motion to approve Agenda made by Commissioner Bloomer, seconded by Commissioner Armstrong. On unanimous vote, Chair Riggs declared the Agenda approved.

4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Upon unanimous vote, Chair Riggs declared the GAC Meeting Minutes from June 1, 2023 approved.

4-a. [23-1322](#) Thursday, June 1, 2023 GAC Meeting Minutes

Approved

5. **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.

No speaker for first Public Commentary.

6. NEW BUSINESS

6-a. Staff Report

Presented by Remy Long

6-b. Budget Review

Presented by Remy Long.

6-c. RCPP Update

Presented by Remy Long.

6-d. USDA NRCS ACEP-ALE Grant Application Recommendations

Presented by Remy Long.

A motion was made by Commissioner Armstrong and seconded by Chair Riggs to recommend to City Council to apply for USDA-NRCS Agriculture Conservation Easement Program (ACEP) funding for the Fishbeck III property identified in application ID 2020-01. Upon unanimous vote, Chair Riggs declared the motion passed.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bloomer and seconded by Commissioner Armstrong to recommend to City Council to apply for USDA-NRCS Agriculture Conservation Easement Program (ACEP) funding for the St Johns property identified in application ID 2018-15. Upon unanimous vote, Chair Riggs declared the motion passed.

A motion was made by Chair Riggs and seconded by Commissioner Gordon to recommend to City Council to apply for USDA-NRCS Agriculture Conservation Easement Program (ACEP) funding for the Hamilton II property identified in application ID 2021-02.

6-e. Buy-Protect-Sell Update

Presented by Remy Long.

7. NEXT AGENDA ITEMS

September 2023 GAC Meeting to be cancelled reconvene in October 2023.

8. ROLL CALL TO MOVE INTO CLOSED SESSION

Motion to move into Closed Session made by Commissioner Armstrong and seconded by Commissioner Gordon. Chair Riggs declared on unanimous vote that the Commission move into Closed Session.

9. CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS LAND ACQUISITION

10. PUBLIC COMMENTARY

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

No callers for second Public Commentary.

11. COMMUNICATION

11-a. Reports from Commission Members

11-b. Reports from Managers

12. ADJOURNMENT

Commission declared the meeting adjourned.

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