

City of Ann Arbor

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Action Minutes

Monday, October 10, 2011

7:00 PM

Work Session

City Hall, 301 E. Huron Street, 2nd Floor
City Council meets in caucus the Sunday prior to each regular session at 7 p.m. in the Council Chamber.

City Council

WS WORK SESSION

Mayor Hieftje called the Working Session of the Ann Arbor City Council to order at 7:07 p.m. in the City Council Chamber, 301 E. Huron Street, Ann Arbor.

Present: 8 - Mayor John Hieftje, Councilmember Stephen Rapundalo, Councilmember Marcia Higgins, Councilmember Sabra Briere, Councilmember Sandi Smith, Councilmember Tony Derezinski, Councilmember Christopher Taylor and Councilmember Carsten Hohnke

Absent: 3 - Councilmember Stephen Kunselman, Councilmember Margie Teall and Councilmember Mike Anglin

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Ann Arbor Community Awareness: Diversity and Accessibility

Councilmember Derezinski updated Council on the history of this project regarding community awareness on diversity and accessibility in Ann Arbor.

Dr. Els Nieuwenhuijsen, former Chair of the Ann Arbor Commission on Disability Issues, spoke about accessibility issues in Ann Arbor. She highlighted some successes in Ann Arbor, including the wheelchair seats at Michigan Stadium and the accessible sidewalk curbcuts as well. A copy of Dr. Nieuwenhuijsen's presentation is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

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Connector Feasibility Study, Final Presentation

Eli Cooper, City Transportation Manager, and Rick Nau, consultant from URS Corporation, presented to City Council the final presentation of the Connector Feasibility Study. A copy of the presentation is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

Other members of the project, including Michael Ford, AATA CEO; and Jim Kosteva, University of Michigan VP of Government Affairs, were also available to answer any questions of Council.

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ADJOURNMENT

Seeing no further business before the City Council, Mayor Hieftje called the meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

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