

**CITY OF GRAND HAVEN
GRAND HAVEN, MICHIGAN
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION
MONDAY, MARCH 3, 2025**

The Special Work Session of the Grand Haven City Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mayor Bob Monetza in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 519 Washington Ave.

Present: Council Members Mike Fritz, Karen Lowe, Mayor Pro-tem Kevin McLaughlin, and Mayor Bob Monetza.

Absent:

Others Present: City Manager Ashley Latsch, City Clerk Maria Boersma, Assistant City Manager Dana Kollewehr, Public Safety Director Nichole Hudson, and Waterfront/Special Events Manager Brian Jarosz.

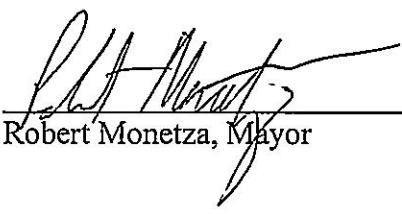
PRESENTATIONS

Students from the Future Prep'd program through Grand Haven High School presented on their 2025 project. The student's guiding question for their project was "What strategies and tools can the City of Grand Haven and MSDDA create and implement to attract and retain resilient businesses, connect property owners with new businesses to strengthen the downtown, and, assist small business owners with succession planning?"

Executive Director Tracy Riley of the Coast Guard Festival presented plans for the 2025 Grand Haven Coast Guard Festival. The festival will be taking place from July 25, 2025, through August 3, 2025.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Monetza adjourned the meeting at 7:08 p.m.



Robert Monetza, Mayor



Maria Boersma, City Clerk