

**CITY OF GRAND HAVEN
GRAND HAVEN, MICHIGAN
SPECIAL WORK SESSION
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2021**

The Special Work Session of the Grand Haven City Council was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Bob Monetza in the Council Chambers of City Hall.

Present: Council Members Mike Dora, Ryan Cummins, Dennis Scott, Mike Fritz, and Mayor Bob Monetza.

Absent: None.

Others Present: City Manager Patrick McGinnis, Assistant City Manager Ashley Latsch, Public Works Director Derek Gajdos, and Main Street Executive Director Jeremy Swiftney.

1. Infrastructure Review Committee

Public Works Director Gajdos reviewed work completed by the committee. In reviewing the City's Capital Improvement Plan, road system ratings, infrastructure failures, and maintenance programs, the committee determined the best path forward would be to have a qualified engineer complete an asset management plan encompassing all city infrastructure. Gajdos concluded that the committee proposed funding the asset management program effort through Water, Sewer, and Major & Local Street funds.

Council Member Cummins inquired, given the significant cost, what benefit/value there would be to the proposed plan that staff couldn't already provide. Cummins expressed that he would also like to see further detail in the proposal regarding specific hours and tasks anticipated rather than round figures.

Mayor Monetza commented that he felt the original intent of the committee was to review priority lists that the City already, but was not opposed to the idea of developing a formal plan.

Council Member Scott concurred, stating that all of the infrastructure needs to be considered as a whole.

2. EDA Grant Proposal

3. Adjournment

Mayor Monetza adjourned the Work Session at 7:30p.m. to be continued during the Regular City Council Meeting



Bob Monetza, Mayor



Ashley Latsch, Assistant City Manager