



Special Meeting  
6:00 p.m., Monday, May 1, 2023  
Farmington City Hall  
23600 Liberty Street  
Farmington, MI 48335

## FINAL

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### SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

A special meeting of the Farmington City Council was held on May 1, 2023, in Farmington City Hall, Farmington, MI. Notice of the meeting was posted in compliance with Public Act 267-1976.

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m. by Mayor Sara Bowman.

#### 1. ROLL CALL

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Johnna Balk	Councilmember	Present	
Sara Bowman	Mayor	Present	
Joe LaRussa	Mayor Pro Tem	Present	
Steve Schneemann	Councilmember	Present	
Maria Taylor	Councilmember	Present	

#### City Administration Present

Director Houhanisin  
Executive Director Knight  
City Clerk Mullison  
City Manager Murphy

#### 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Move to approve the agenda as presented.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED AS PRESENTED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Balk, Councilmember
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Taylor, Councilmember

#### 3. PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comment was heard.

#### 4. DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BUDGET OVERVIEW

Executive Director Knight presented the proposed Downtown Development Authority budget for FY 2023-2024.

Council commented on how effective the DDA has become, how they are held in high esteem by residents, business owners, and other municipalities, and how much their photography and publicity projects enhance the City's image.

#### 5. OTHER BUSINESS

City Manager Murphy contacted Laura Myers about previous Council discussion concerning the Historical Commission. She was fine with a reduction of their budget to \$500 annually.

#### 6. PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comment was heard.

#### 7. COUNCIL COMMENT

Bowman apologized for missing the city-wide cleanup event this past weekend and spoke about upcoming DDA events.

#### 8. ADJOURNMENT

Move to adjourn the meeting.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Balk, Councilmember
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Taylor, Councilmember

The meeting adjourned at 6:42 p.m.

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Sara Bowman, Mayor

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Mary J. Mullison, City Clerk

Approval Date: May 15, 2023