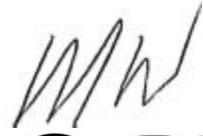


4. Resolution confirming Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council, Mobile GR Commission, Interurban Transit Partnership, Downtown Development Authority, Monroe North Tax Increment Finance Authority, and Waste to Energy Advisory Committee



Item Number: 4



# CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS AGENDA ACTION REQUEST

**DATE:** December 17, 2024

**TO:** Mark Washington, City Manager

**COMMITTEE:** Committee on Appointments  
**LIAISON:** Joel H. Hondorp, City Clerk

**FROM:** Rebecca Bosker, Office Assistant III  
City Clerk's Office

**SUBJECT:** **Resolution confirming Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council, Mobile GR Commission, Interurban Transit Partnership, Downtown Development Authority, Monroe North Tax Increment Finance Authority, and Waste to Energy Advisory Committee**

A resolution has been prepared to confirm Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the following boards and commissions:

The Grand Valley Metropolitan Council for the remainder of a two year term ending September 30, 2025; the Mobile GR Commission for a three-year term ending January 3, 2028; the Interurban Transit Partnership Board for a two year term ending December 31, 2026; the Downtown Development Authority for a four-year term ending January 1, 2029; the Monroe North Tax Increment Finance Authority for the remainder of a three-year term ending December 31, 2025; and the Waste to Energy Advisory Committee for a one-year term ending January 5, 2026.

After these appointments, there will be no vacancies on the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council, Mobile GR Commission, Interurban Transit Partnership board, Downtown Development Authority, Monroe North Tax Increment Finance Authority, or the Waste to Energy Advisory Committee. Board demographic compositions are attached.

Your COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS recommends the adoption of the following resolution confirming Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council, Mobile GR Commission, Interurban Transit Partnership, Downtown Development Authority, Monroe North Tax Increment Finance Authority, and Waste to Energy Advisory Committee.

RESOLVED:

1. That Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council for the remainder of a two-year term ending September 30, 2025, be confirmed; and
2. That Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Mobile GR Commission for a three-year term ending January 3, 2028, be confirmed; and
3. That Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Interurban Transit Partnership Board for a two-year term ending December 31, 2026, be confirmed; and
4. That Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Downtown Development Authority for a four-year term ending January 1, 2029, be confirmed; and
5. That Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Monroe North Tax Increment Finance Authority for the remainder of a three-year term ending December 31, 2025, be confirmed; and
6. That Mayor Bliss' appointment of Mayor-Elect David LaGrand to the Waste to Energy Advisory Committee for a one-year term ending January 5, 2026, be confirmed.

**CORRECT IN FORM**



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**DEPARTMENT OF LAW**

## Grand Valley Metropolitan Council Composition

*0 Vacancies*

*3 Total Seats*

<b>Residency</b>	<b>Total Count</b>	<b>Race/Ethnic Background and Gender</b>	<b>Total Count</b>
Ward 1		African American Female	
Ward 2	3	African American Male	1
Ward 3		Asian or Pacific Islander Female	
OSC		Asian or Pacific Islander Male	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Female	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Male	
		Caucasian Female	1
		Caucasian Male	
		Hispanic or Latino Female	
		Hispanic or Latino Male	
		Multiracial Female	
		Multiracial Male	
		No Response	NR

## Mobile GR Commission Composition

*0 Vacancies*

*13 Total Seats*

<b>Residency</b>	<b>Total Count</b>	<b>Race/Ethnic Background and Gender</b>	<b>Total Count</b>
Ward 1	2	African American Female	
Ward 2	7	African American Male	1
Ward 3	1	Asian or Pacific Islander Female	
OSC	3	Asian or Pacific Islander Male	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Female	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Male	
		Caucasian Female	2
		Caucasian Male	6
		Caucasian non-binary	1
		Hispanic or Latino Female	1
		Hispanic or Latino Male	
		Multiracial Female	
		Multiracial Male	
		No Response	2

## Interurban Transit Partnership Board Composition

*0 Vacancies*

*5 Total Seats*

<b>Residency</b>	<b>Total Count</b>	<b>Race/Ethnic Background and Gender</b>	<b>Total Count</b>
Ward 1	1	African American Female	
Ward 2	3	African American Male	
Ward 3		Asian or Pacific Islander Female	
OSC	1	Asian or Pacific Islander Male	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Female	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Male	
		Caucasian Female	1
		Caucasian Male	3
		Hispanic or Latino Female	
		Hispanic or Latino Male	
		Multiracial Female	
		Multiracial Male	
		No Response	1

## Downtown Development Authority Composition

*0 Vacancies*

*9 Total Seats*

<b>Residency</b>	<b>Total Count</b>	<b>Race/Ethnic Background and Gender</b>	<b>Total Count</b>
Ward 1		African American Female	
Ward 2	7	African American Male	
Ward 3	0	Asian or Pacific Islander Female	
OSC	2	Asian or Pacific Islander Male	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Female	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Male	
		Caucasian Female	3
		Caucasian Male	3
		Hispanic or Latino Female	
		Hispanic or Latino Male	1
		Multiracial Female	
		Multiracial Male	
		No Response	2

**Tax Increment Financing Authority Board Composition**

*0 Vacancies*

*11 Total Seats*

<b>Residency</b>	<b>Total Count</b>	<b>Race/Ethnic Background and Gender</b>	<b>Total Count</b>
Ward 1		African American Female	
Ward 2	4	African American Male	
Ward 3		Asian or Pacific Islander Female	
OSC	7	Asian or Pacific Islander Male	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Female	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Male	
		Caucasian Female	4
		Caucasian Male	5
		Hispanic or Latino Female	
		Hispanic or Latino Male	
		Multiracial Female	
		Multiracial Male	
		No Response	2

## Waste-To-Energy Advisory Committee Composition

*0 Vacancies*

*2 Total Seat*

<b>Residency</b>	<b>Total Count</b>	<b>Race/Ethnic Background and Gender</b>	<b>Total Count</b>
Ward 1		African American Female	
Ward 2	2	African American Male	
Ward 3		Asian or Pacific Islander Female	
OSC		Asian or Pacific Islander Male	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Female	
		American Indian or Alaskan Native Male	
		Caucasian Female	
		Caucasian Male	1
		Hispanic or Latino Female	
		Hispanic or Latino Male	
		Multiracial Female	
		Multiracial Male	
		No Response	1