

Grand Rapids

Kim Johnson-Gibeau
420 N Pokegama Ave
Grand Rapids, MN 55744

12/15/2023

Dear Clerk Johnson-Gibeau;

It has been an honor to serve as your legal newspaper in the past and we hope to continue the relationship.

Please accept this bid for consideration of the Scenic Range NewsForum to be the legal publication of record for Grand Rapids. The below rates will be honored for all legal proceedings effective issue dated January 4, 2024.

The 2024 rate will be the same as 2023. The first run will be billed at \$7 per column inch and each subsequent run will be \$5 per column inch.

The rate for display advertising is \$5.00 per column inch for black ink and \$7.00 per column inch for full color advertising.

The Scenic Range offers much more than a newspaper. We also offer a full printshop and mail service for newsletters and other marketing-type programs.

It would be an honor to continue serving as the legal publication in our community.

Kim, I know you have felt we do not qualify as the legal publication in Grand Rapids in the past, but with the changes going on at the Herald I want to make sure we are considered. I am prepared to meet and exceed potential challenges you may have with our circulation. Please consider the Scenic Range this year and present it to the council. We meet the qualifications to serve as your legal newspaper.

Respectfully,

Tony Fragnito

Publisher