



GRAND RAPIDS PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

AGENDA DATE: September 23, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Consider a motion to approve the fourth amendment to the antenna lease agreement with AT&T for the north water tower and authorize the General Manager to sign the contract.

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BACKGROUND:

The previous antenna lease agreement with AT&T expires in 2029 and therefore, this amendment extends the lease beyond that expiration for five years with an additional 5-year extension term.

The lease agreement includes the standard GRPU antenna lease language and terms of a five-year lease with a five-year renewal term.

GRPU attorney Roy Christensen at Johnson, Killen & Seiler, P.A i.e. Duluth Law assisted in the drafting and negotiation of the agreement.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve a motion to approve the fourth amendment to the antenna lease agreement with AT&T for the north water tower and authorize the General Manager to sign the contract.