

Grosse Pointe Woods City Council 11/13/23  
Minutes Excerpt

**Motion** by Granger, seconded by Gafa that the previous motion be amended by approving all items on the Consent Agenda except item A3 with the recommendation in the September 26, 2023 Planning Commission minutes regarding Front Yard Structures, which will be tabled and placed on a Committee-of-the-Whole agenda for discussion.

**A. Approval of Minutes**

1. Council 10/16/23
2. Election Commission 10/31/23
3. Planning Commission 07/25/23, Special 07/31/23, 08/22/23, and 09/26/23 with recommendations\*

\*a. Recommendation for Council to approve the recommended variances of off street parking requirements to reduce parking spaces from 42 to 38, and the Zoning Board of Appeals to grant the reduction of the number of off street waiting spaces for the bank drive-through from 48 to 14.

\*b. Recommendation that the current ordinance restricting front yard structures not be expanded to include within its exemptions raised planters. (This item is tabled and will be placed on a future COW meeting agenda)

4. Board of Retiree Health Care Benefit Plan & Trust 11/03/22
5. Board of Trustees for the Retirement System 11/03/22
6. Beautification Advisory Commission 09/13/23
7. Tree Commission 09/06/23 with recommendation, 10/04/23

Motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: Brown, Bryant, Gafa, Granger, Koester, McConaghy, Vaughn  
No: None  
Absent: None