

URBAN AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE AGENDA

May 13, 2026 – 4:00 PM

Kid's Food Basket – KC Community Room
(1300 Plymouth Ave NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49505)

Committee Members:

Connie Bohatch, Amanda Faber, Sarah Larson, Muriel (Dolli) Lutes, Euvia Marshall, Kimberly Moore, Stacy Stout

Mission:

To educate and empower the community by providing policy review, recommendations, and support for urban agriculture.

Agenda:

- Call to Order
- Determination of Quorum
- Approval of Agenda
- Approval of Minutes of April 15 meeting
- Public Comments (*limited to 3 minutes per person*)
- Old Business
 - Urban agriculture policy recommendations for compost
 - Urban Agriculture Project Update – Angélica De Jesus, *City of Grand Rapids*
- New Business
 - New appointments
 - Stacy Stout, *Blandford Nature Center, 2nd Ward Appointment*
 - Sarah Larson, *The Hartford Insurance, 3rd Ward Appointment*
 - Election of Committee Chair
 - Determine format for UAC strategic plan review
 - i. Office of Innovation & Continuous Improvement [Project Request Form](#)
 - Urban agriculture policy recommendations for backyard chickens
- Partner Reports
 - City of Grand Rapids
- Agenda Items for future meeting
- Adjournment

Next Meeting – Wednesday, June 10, 2026, at 4pm
at Roberto Clemente Park (outside) (546 Rumsey St SW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503)