

CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS GOVERNMENT ACADEMY

<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 1</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE <i>Wednesday, April 2, 2025</i> <i>City Hall</i> <i>420 N. Pokegama Avenue</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">AT THE HELM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City Government Structure • Finance & Budget • Property Taxes • Elections & Licensing • Boards & Commissions 	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 2</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">PUBLIC WORKS/ENGINEERING <i>Wednesday, April 9, 2025</i> <i>Public Works Facility</i> <i>500 SE 4th Street</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">EVERYDAY HEROES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engineering/PW – What we do • Facility & Equipment Tour • Airport • Cemetery 	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 3</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">POLICE DEPARTMENT <i>Wednesday, April 16, 2025</i> <i>City Hall</i> <i>420 N. Pokegama Avenue</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">SERVING WITH PRIDE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department Operations • Squad & Station Tour • Equipment Overview • Mock Traffic Stop
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 4</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">YANMAR ARENA & PARKS <i>Wednesday, April 23, 2025</i> <i>Yanmar Arena</i> <i>1401 NW 3rd Avenue</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">PROMOTING ACTIVE LIVING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programming • Local Collaborations • Facility • Bus Tour of Parks 	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 5</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">GRAND RAPIDS LIBRARY <i>Wednesday, April 30, 2025</i> <i>Library</i> <i>140 NE 2nd Street</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">WISDOM WITHIN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services Offered • Education Programming • Events • Library Tour 	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 6</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT <i>Wednesday, May 7, 2025</i> <i>City Hall</i> <i>420 N. Pokegama Avenue</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">PLANNING FOR TOMORROW</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic Development • Planning & Zoning • Housing • City Codes & Development Permits
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 7</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">FIRE DEPARTMENT <i>Wednesday, May 14, 2025</i> <i>Grand Rapids Fire Hall</i> <i>104 SE 11th Street</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">WHO YOU GONNA CALL?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department Operations • Fire Prevention & Education • Fire Hall Tour • Demonstrations 	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 8</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">POKEGAMA GOLF COURSE <i>Wednesday, May 21, 2025</i> <i>City Hall</i> <i>420 N. Pokegama Avenue</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">EVERY SHOT COUNTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Golf & Government • Services Provided • Community Programs • Golf Course Tour 	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 9</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">CITY COUNCIL MEETING <i>Tuesday, May 27, 2025</i> <i>City Hall Council Chambers</i> <i>420 N. Pokegama Avenue</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">GRADUATION</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>

Sessions 1–8 begin with snacks at 6 p.m. and end by 8:30 p.m.

NOTE: Session 8 will begin at City Hall and transition out to the Golf Course.

Session 9 will be at an official meeting of the City Council.