

**SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE  
ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION**

**Grand Rapids Fire Hall – 18 NE 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
Monday, October 27, 2014  
8:00 – 9:30 am**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special meeting of the Arts & Culture Commission will be held in the Grand Rapids Fire Hall, 18 NE 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Grand Rapids, Minnesota 55744 on **Monday, October 27, 2014** at 8:00 am.

Agenda

1. Call to order
2. Welcome to community members in attendance
3. Discussion of arts and culture in Grand Rapids
4. Discussion of next steps
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**COMMUNITY MEETING  
GRAND RAPIDS ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION**

**ISD 318 Administration Building Board Room  
820 NW First Avenue, Grand Rapids MN 55744**

**Monday, October 27, 2014  
6:00 – 7:30 pm**

The arts are important to all of us in Grand Rapids. With your help we can ensure they stay that way. The City of Grand Rapids is working on the new *GRMN Creates: an arts and culture roadmap* report, and they need your input.

Mark your calendar for **Monday, October 27, from 6:00 - 7:30 pm at the ISD 318 Board Room (820 NW First Ave, Grand Rapids MN 55744)** and join the Arts and Culture Commission along with the project consultants for a community conversation about Grand Rapids' arts and cultural resources. Bring your ideas about the arts and ways we can improve them here in our community.

# GRMN Creates: *Economic Development Strategic Visioning Session*

*Monday, October 27th*

*Fire Hall*

*8:00 -9:30 AM*

## AGENDA

8:00 Welcome and Introductions:

*Chair, Grand Rapids Arts and Culture Commission Kathy Dodge*

Overview: Creative Placemaking across the Nation

Presentation: What We've Been Hearing from the Community – Early Survey Results and Initial Policy Recommendations

Discussion: The Arts and Economic Development in Grand Rapids

9:20 Next Steps

*Consultant Team, Anne Gadwa-Nicodemus, Metris Arts Consulting & Lynn Osgood, GO collaborative*

# GRMN Creates

*an arts and culture roadmap*





**GRMN Creates: Community Meeting 2**  
Monday, October 27th

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Monday, October 27th

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