

Driving Directions to the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council

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NORTH



From US-131 Northbound

Follow US-131 northerly into downtown Grand Rapids. Take Exit 85B: Business US-131 - Downtown, following BUS US-131 northerly to Oakes St. Turn right (east) on Oakes St for one block, then left (north) on Ionia St. Follow Ionia St northerly for six blocks to Pearl St. Turn left (west) on Pearl St. The offices of the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council are in the Trust Building on the southeast corner of Pearl & Ottawa Streets, one block from Ionia. The city-operated Pearl-Ionia parking ramp is located immediately before the Trust Building, and a privately operated parking lot is located across the street.

SOUTH



From US-131 Southbound

Follow US-131 southerly into downtown Grand Rapids. Take Exit 86B: Pearl St - Downtown. Turn left onto Pearl St, crossing over the Grand River and into downtown. The offices of the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council are in the Trust Building on the southeast corner of Pearl & Ottawa Streets, approximately 1/2 mile from US-131. The city-operated Pearl-Ionia parking ramp is located on the right immediately past the Trust Building, and a privately operated parking lot is located across the street.



From I-196/Gerald R Ford Freeway

From I-196/Gerald R Ford Frwy from either east- or westbound, take Exit 77C: Ottawa St - Downtown. Follow Ottawa St south for three blocks to Pearl St. The offices of the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council are in the Trust Building at the southeast corner of Pearl & Ottawa Streets. The city-operated Pearl-Ionia parking ramp is located on Pearl St, 1/2 block east of the Trust Building, and a privately operated parking lot is located across the street.

WEST



From I-96 Westbound (Lansing)

Follow I-96 westerly to Exit 37: I-196/Gerald R Ford Frwy - Downtown Grand Rapids/Holland. Continue westerly on I-196 for approximately three miles into downtown Grand Rapids. Take Exit 77C: Ottawa St - Downtown. Follow Ottawa St south for three blocks to Pearl St. The offices of the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council are in the Trust Building at the southeast corner of Pearl & Ottawa Streets. The city-operated Pearl-Ionia parking ramp is located on Pearl St, 1/2 block east of the Trust Building, and a privately operated parking lot is located across the street.

EAST



From I-96 Eastbound (Muskegon)

Follow I-96 easterly to Exit 31A: US-131 South - Grand Rapids/Kalamazoo. Continue southerly on US-131 into downtown Grand Rapids. Take Exit 86B: Pearl St - Downtown. Turn left onto Pearl St, crossing over the Grand River and into downtown. The offices of the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council are in the Trust Building on the southeast corner of Pearl & Ottawa Streets, approximately 1/2 mile from US-131. The city-operated Pearl-Ionia parking ramp is located immediately past the Trust Building, and a privately operated parking lot is located across the street.

Also Available: Map of Downtown Grand Rapids online at
<http://www.gvmc.org/administration/documents/GRDowntown.pdf>