

## City of Grand Island

## Tuesday, October 8, 2013 Council Session

## Item C-1

## Presentation of ICMA Video

The city of Grand Island was proudly featured as one of approximately 20 community video productions throughout the United States at the recent national International City/County Management Association (ICMA) conference. The ICMA recognized these cities because of the positive and unique activities and development taking place within their communities.

Grand Island was highlighted because of its creative packaging and funding of development projects, such as the extension of sewer along Highway 281 to Interstate 80 and the funding of Lincoln Park Pool. Additional developments featured in the film will be the Nebraska State Fair, use of economic development funds, and the completion of a downtown study and upcoming downtown redevelopment projects.

Grand Island was also acclaimed for its use of the budget funding methodology of Program Prioritization, as well as community involvement in city government through citizen participation in the Mayor's Advisory Council and the Grander Visioning process.

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