

Lan Oak Park District
Committee of the Whole Meeting
September 15, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 p.m. by President Tropp. The following were present: Commissioners Aguilar, Lewis, Lindsay, Kelly, Tropp. Staff Present: Senior Superintendent of Strategy & Operations Desjardins, Superintendent of Park & Maintenance Havran.

Communications & Addresses from the Audience: The committee reviewed a Citizen Comment Form received.

Approval of Committee Meeting Minutes: None.

Senior Superintendent of Strategy & Operations – Report: Desjardins discussed the Bock Park change orders to date, the negotiation with Landworks relating to change orders, the paint colors chosen for the Bock Park courts, the Flanagin Park playground being on schedule for September installation, the progress of the annual audit and anticipated management letter, the continued delay in property tax disbursements, upcoming special events, summer program enrollment, summer camp revenue, Fall enrollment to date, ongoing Playskool enrollment, the success of the July Fitness Special, the status of Sertoma Star special recreation programming, temporary resident rate recreation programming for Riverdale residents, and donations to date for the Corporate Sponsorship Program.

Superintendent of Parks and Maintenance – Havran discussed the multipurpose room project completion, a RFP agreement for HVAC has been issued, further repair may be required for the Desert Aire unit in the indoor pool area, the bike share revenue for the past three weeks, progress on the Bock Park projects, completion of the Oakwood Park playground, status of the tennis rebounder for Rotary Park, the status of the new recreation locker room benches, the anticipated pool area painting scheduled for December 1, current fitness and aquatic program enrollment, current ACH users, current fitness membership count, and current dog park membership count.

Recreation Committee – No Report

Buildings & Grounds Committee – No Report

Planning Committee – No Report

Finance & Personnel Committee – No Report

Bike Path Committee – No Report

Special Projects Committee – No Report

Old Business – None

New Business – Desjardins offered some names for the new basketball facility at Bock Park. The committee and staff discussed various names and suggestions for the facility sign. Commissioner Lindsay stated that she completed the IAPD course and was waiting for her certificate of completion.

There being no further business. Motion by Kelly to adjourn the meeting. Second by Lewis. Upon roll call the following voted “aye”: Lewis, Aguilar, Lindsay, Kelly, Tropp. No nays. Motion passed.

Adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Submitted by,

Sharon Desjardins
Board Secretary
Senior Superintendent of Strategy & Operations