

The Regular Park Board Meeting of the Town of Schererville, Indiana, was called to order by President Brad Bassick, at 6:00 p.m. in the Schererville Town Hall, 10 East Joliet Street, Schererville, Indiana.

The Pledge of Allegiance

Attendance was taken with the following Board Members present: Brad Bassick, Joseph Skvarek, Nicole Kelly and Jen Wilson. Board Members not present: Ed Repay. Staff members present: Superintendent John Novacich, Assistant Superintendent Irene Mireles, Facilities Supervisor Karley Morris, Attorney Christian Bartholomew, and Recording Secretary Kristen Bohling.

THEREUPON, Approval of minutes for November 5, 2025

Mr. Skvarek made a motion to approve the minutes from the November 5, 2025 meeting, seconded by Ms. Kelly. All in favor (4-0).

THEREUPON, Correspondence NONE

THEREUPON, Reports

ITEM A. Staff

Ms. Bohling discussed room rentals for 2025.

Mr; Novacich reported that the Town Council passed the fee ordinance last month. He also reported the Kennedy Avenue Project started and the first phase includes removing some of the existing bike trail, however there will be an alternate route.

THEREUPON, Old Business

ITEM A. Any other from the Park Board NONE

THEREUPON, New Business

ITEM A. Consider Acceptance of Fireworks Agreement

Mr. Novacich said the Mad Bomber proposal increased to \$36,000.00, due to inflation and tariffs. The proposal also includes an additional display for America's 250th, for \$15,000.00.

Mr. Skvarek made a motion to approve the Fireworks Agreement from Mad Bomber, for \$36,000.00, and the additional display for 250th Anniversary, for \$15,000.00. Ms. Kelly seconded the motion. All in favor (4-0).

ITEM B. 2026 Park Board Meeting Dates

After some discussion the Board agreed to keep all the meetings on the first Wednesday of every month at 6pm, except for the July meeting, which will be Tuesday, July 7, 2026 at 6pm.

Ms. Kelly made a motion to accept the proposed meeting dates for 2026, seconded by Ms. Wilson. All in favor (4-0).

ITEM C. Any other from the Park Board

Ms. Wilson asked if there were any updates on Illiana at this time. Mr. Novacich and Councilman Caleb Johnson said there were no updates at this time.

THEREUPON, Business from the floor NONE

Ms. Kelly made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Ms. Wilson. All in favor (4-0).

Next Park Board meeting is on January 7, 2026 at 6pm.

NICOLE KELLY
PARK BOARD SECRETARY

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