

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, Ed Repay, and Nicole Kelly. Board Members not present: Joe Skvarek and Jen Wilson. Staff members present: Superintendent John Novacich, Assistant Superintendent Irene Mireles, Recreation Director Josh Barnes, and Attorney Kallee Sears. Staff not present: Recording Secretary Kristen Bohling.

THEREUPON, Approval of minutes for April 2, 2025

Ms. Kelly made a motion to approve the minutes from the April 2, 2025 meeting, seconded by Mr. Repay. All in favor (3-0).

THEREUPON, Approval of Donations

Mr. Novacich said the donations were for the Pennsy, Pints, and Performers Event.

B & D Sewer	\$1,000.00
Kelly Law Office	\$ 500.00

Mr. Repay made a motion to approve the donations, seconded by Ms. Kelly. All in favor (3-0).

THEREUPON, Correspondence NONE

THEREUPON, Reports

ITEM A. Staff

Mr. Novacich said this will be Mr. Barnes last meeting, as he accepted a new job. He thanked Mr. Barnes for all his hard work over the years.

Mr. Barnes said he has been giving notes to staff, about his job and what needs to be done for upcoming and future events, to help with the transition. Mr. Bassick asked who is going to be taking over for events, when Mr. Barnes leaves. Ms. Mireles said herself and Kim Evanatz will be taking over.

The Board thanked Mr. Barnes for everything he has done over the years.

Ms. Mireles said Rohrman Concession is open.

Mr. Novacich said Foxwood North and South playgrounds are done. The ribbon cutting is the coming weekend. He also mentioned that there will be some seal coating done on the trails soon.

THEREUPON, Old Business NONE

THEREUPON, New Business NONE

THEREUPON, Business from the floor NONE

Ira Zimmer, from 1720 South Park Avenue, approached the Board, to discuss the layout of the fest. In the past, the Showmobile was closest to his home

and the music was not problem. Last year, the rides were closest to his home and there were a lot of kids screaming all day. Mr. Zimmer requested that the rides be in a different area this year. Mr. Barnes said they can take a look as the layout with staff and see what can be changed.

Mr. Novacich said that there is a joint study session on the Monday, June 9 and the Park Board meeting will be on Tuesday, June 10.

Ms. Kelly made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Repay. All in favor (3-0).

Next Park Board meeting is on June 10, 2025 at 6pm.

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NICOLE KELLY  
PARK BOARD SECRETARY

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