

BOLINGBROOK PARK DISTRICT
Annerino Community Center – Board Room
Workshop Meeting Minutes
May 21, 2026

President Hix called the meeting to order at 6:32 pm. Roll call: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix.

Commissioner Hix made a motion to approve the agenda as submitted. Second: Commissioner McKay. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

District Operations and Activities Update

Executive Director Mike Selep along with staff reviewed the following:

Resolution 26-13 approving an intergovernmental agreement for police services between the Village of Bolingbrook and the Bolingbrook Park District. Mike Selep said this is the same agreement the district had in the last two years with a stipulation to increase the fee by 5% each year.

Ordinance 26-22 to amend General Use Ordinance regarding third party collections; fees and penalties. Debbie Chase said this was discussed last month and the percentage remains the same.

Reminders/Upcoming Events:

Mike Selep reminded the Board to complete the following trainings within the deadlines for Cybersecurity, Harassment Prevention, OMA

Summer Concert Series - Kickoff June 3 – new climbing wall and newly painted train will make an appearance.

Legislative Update

- SB3907 (IDEC Licensure – Park District exception (Standards) – the district is neutral with IDEC language if passed.
- SB3336 (E-Bikes – Community) Allowing park districts to have their own community standards.

BINA Hearing – Debbie Chase, Director of Business & Finance – there will be a hearing at 6:45 tonight it is a legally required hearing the district must have to provide information about the district's upcoming bond issuance.

Auditors will be in attendance at the June 18 board meeting.

Updated Financial Policies - Debbie distributed policy updates to the board for review. Policies being reviewed by legal.

Outdoor Pool Repairs – Chris Finn, Director of BGNR reported:

- Leak detected (3) in lazy river losing 90-100,000 gallons of water per day. Leaks have been repaired and water is in the pool.

Lazy River 5k – Kai Wahlgren, Director of Recreation reported:

- Add post-race social to include beer, wine and seltzers served in cups for the July 9 evening 5k (6:30pm to 9:00pm). Partner with Ashbury's. PDRMA approved. Participants will not be allowed to enter pool after race. Average age is 55.

Public Comment

None

Unfinished Business

None

New Business

None

Closed Session

None

Adjournment

President Hix made a motion to adjourn from the Workshop Meeting at 6:56pm. Second: Commissioner Andrews. All in Favor, "Ayes".

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Bolingbrook Park District Board Secretary

Dorothy J. Andrews

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May 21, 2026 - 6:45 PM

Concerning the Intent of the Board of Park Commissioners of
the Bolingbrook Park District, Will County, Illinois to Sell not
to Exceed \$5,000,000 General Obligation Limited Tax Park Bonds

President Hix made a motion to open the Public Hearing at 6:57 pm for the Bond Issue Notification Hearing of the Bolingbrook Park District. The purpose is to receive public input concerning intent of the Park Board Commissioners and Bolingbrook Park District, Will County, Illinois to Sell not to Exceed \$5,000,000 General Obligation Limited Tax Park Bonds. Second Commissioner McKay. Roll call: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

President Hix made a motion to approve the agenda as submitted. Second: Commissioner McVey. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

President Hix made a motion to open the Public Hearing Concerning the Intent of the Board of Park Commissioners of the Bolingbrook Park District, Will County, Illinois to Sell not to Exceed \$5,000,000 General Obligation Limited Tax Park Bonds. Second Commissioner Andrews. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

President Hix reported notice was published in the Herald News as required by law. The bonds, if sold, will be used for purposes as stated in the public notice. Primarily the district is funding the Capital Asset Replacement Program and other items as well. This provides a cost effective and a flexible means to fund needs now and into the future.

The Board had no comments.

Comments from the Public

No comments from the public. No public in attendance

President Hix made a motion to adjourn the public hearing at 7:02pm. Second:

Commissioner Andrews. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix.

Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

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President Hix called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm. Roll call: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix.

Jalen Reneau began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Hix made a motion to approve the agenda as submitted. Second: Commissioner McKay. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

President Hix made a motion to approve the following meetings:

- Monthly Board Workshop Meeting Minutes of April 16, 2026
- Closed Session Meeting Minutes of April 16, 2026
- Monthly Board Meeting Minutes of April 16, 2026

Second: Commissioner Bagnuolo. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

Correspondence to the Board from Pubic

Commissioner Bagnuolo had some conversations with members of the public asking questions regarding the rental and usage for the new climbing wall and redesigned train. Bagnuolo thanked Mike and Anthony for meeting with him to discuss the best ways to service the taxpayers.

Public Comment

None

Attorney's Report

No report

Leadership Team Report

Executive Director Mike Selep turned the floor over the Lindsey Pollina, Dance Program Manager who introduced Jalen Reneau the summer intern for the recreation and facilities department. He is from Manhattan, NY. Jalean is attending school at St. Francis. Jalen was recruited from St. Francis for basketball which brought him to the Chicagoland area. Jalen chose Bolingbrook Park District due to our variety of offerings. He also enjoyed having Mike Selep as his professor.

Mike Selep thanked Kai Wahlgren and Chris Corbett and everyone involved with the Park Pursuit who made it a memorable day. It was a great opportunity for the Park District to shine in the State of Illinois. Park and recreational professionals had nothing but great things to say about our district and the town of Bolingbrook.

Treasurer's Report

Commissioner McKay made a motion for the approval of payment of bills including travel reimbursement in the amount of \$929,716.48 subject to audit. Second: Commissioner Andrews. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

Liaison Reports

Administration and Personnel – Commissioner Andrews reported:

- With staff recommendation Commissioner Andrews made a motion to approve Resolution 26-13 approving an intergovernmental agreement for police services between the Village of Bolingbrook and the Bolingbrook Park District.

Second: Commissioner Bagnuolo. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

- Commissioner Andrews commented on the annual Parkiepalooza held on Saturday, May 16. Recognitions were announced for 3, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, and 30 years of service to the park district. Andrews thought the new format worked very well. There was a total of 14 nominations for the Susan-Hoster Suggs Award of Excellence. Out of the 14 nominations received 6 nominees won the award.

Finance and Technology – Commissioner McKay reported:

- The district has begun using a new collections agency, The Municipal Collection Specialist (MCS). MCS has offered an opportunity to recoup our full collections by adding a 35% charge to all outstanding balances submitted for collections. This would allow full recovery of any collected balances. With staff recommendation Commissioner McKay made a motion to approve Ordinance 26-22 amending the General Use Ordinance regarding Third Party Collections; Fees and Penalties. Second: Commissioner McVey. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.
- Commissioner McKay announced and acknowledged for the 25th year in a row, the District has been awarded the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) Certificate of Achievement in Excellence in Financial Reporting. The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting. Congratulations to the District, the Finance Team, and the Business Office for all the efforts in preparation of the annual comprehensive financial report for 2024.

Buildings, Grounds and Natural Resources – Commissioner Hix reported:

- BGNR staff have been busy in the parks & facilities getting them ready for spring time activities.
- The buildings team continues preparations for the opening of Pelican Harbor on Friday, May 22 and the Parks & NRHT crews have been out at Pelican Harbor doing a variety of different tasks in preparation for the pool opening.
- Staff have been working hard getting the parks ready and maintaining baseball and softball fields for summer play.
- The grounds and NRHT departments helped The Conservation Foundation host its annual River Sweep along the DuPage River Greenway on Saturday, April 18 at Royce Rd. 27 volunteers come out to help pick up garbage, hand pull invasive plants and remove cages and staking from trees along the local waterways.
- The natural resources and horticulture crews have been spraying in naturalized areas.
- Playground replacement at River Hills was completed on May 12. Replacement at Liberty Park has begun.
- Staff received the NOSA (Notice of State Award) for the DCEO Grant related to the Knights of Columbus trail replacement project (\$100,000). District is awaiting the formal agreement to be provided by the State to begin the process for reimbursement on this project that was completed in 2025.
- Noblewins Bench at Knights of Columbus production & delivery was delayed. Staff are now anticipating delivery of this bench by the end of June, early July.

Recreation & Facilities – Commissioner McVey reported:

Recreation

- Commissioner McVey gave a shout out to all the preschool teachers. He said we appreciate all our teachers and know they are so important to shaping the lives of our youngest community members. Registration is on-going for the 2026-2027 school year.

- The annual May Dance Concert will be held on Sunday, May 3 at Bolingbrook High School. There were a 128 dancers ages 3-39 that performed a total of 34 dances over 2 shows. There were 827 tickets sold for the May Dance Concert, exceeding that in 2025 by 50 tickets.

- The Illusions Gymnastics Team had a busy and successful April season bringing home several awards at the Aurora Luau Meet and AAU Central District Meet. These girls competed against teams from all around the Midwest.

- The 2026 camp season will run from June 1 through August 7.

- There were 10 participants enrolled in the Babysitter Training class (in partnership with Westmont Park District) in April.

- Preparations are underway for a brand-new, large-scale Community Recreation Event on June 12 - Glowing Into Summer. This nighttime event will feature glow in the dark and light-up activities before a “grand finale” display from Chicago Kite.

- Starting the first Friday in June, the Visit Your Local Park series will began.

- Wednesday Night Summer Concerts begins Wednesday, June 3.

Fitness

- April 2026 recorded 894 memberships: 43 new memberships and 36 renewals. Insurance members outpacing full pay, annual members.
- Lifestyles App launched on May 1. Fitness Manager, Dave Burisek said 502 people are currently using the app.

Aquatics

- There have been over 200 staff members hired for the summer.

Commissioner Andrews commented on what a great dance concert Lindsay Pollina, Dance Program Manager and her staff put on. Andrews said she is so happy Lindsey is growing in this field. Andrews heard wonderful comments from the parents.

Marketing – Commissioner Bagnuolo reported:

- Illinois Park and Recreation Association is producing a series of videos to promote careers within the park and recreation field. The Bolingbrook Park District was chosen as the perfect site for their video shoot. Commissioner Bagnuolo said he loved that the district was selected for this video shoot.
- Bagnuolo thought it was a great choice to repaint the trains and wrap with stars and stripes in honor of 250 Years of the United States.

Golf Course & Ashbury's – Commissioners Bagnuolo reported:

- Summer season is in the swing. Stop by and check out the new carpeting and flooring.

NWCSRA – Commissioner Bagnuolo reported:

- NWSRA is extremely grateful for the local police departments in each of our members' support of the Bolingbrook Police Department as they are very active in fundraising efforts for Special Olympics with Cop on a Rooftop program that took place May 14.
- Law enforcement agencies raised over \$5.96 million dollars for Special Olympics Illinois through the Law Enforcement Torch run (LETR) in 2025. Grassroots.

Unfinished Business

None

Public Comment

None

New Business

- A. Election of Board Officers – President Hix made a motion to nominate Commissioner McVey as President of the Board. Second Commissioner McKay. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

Commissioner McVey thanked the board for their trust and he is very excited to take this seat. Board members congratulated McVey.

- B. Commissioner McVey made a motion to keep Commissioner McKay as the Treasurer, Dorothy Andrews as Secretary, Commissioner Hix as Vice President. Second: Commissioner Hix. Roll call: Ayes: Bagnuolo, McKay, Andrews, McVey, President Hix. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion passed 5/0.

Announcements

Commissioner Bagnuolo announced May is Mental Health Awareness month.

Commissioner Bagnuolo attended Parkiepalooza. Bagnuolo liked that we kept it fun and combined training and awards.

Closed Session

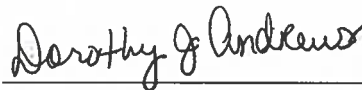
None

Adjournment

President Hix made a motion to adjourn from the regular Board Meeting at 8:02 pm.

Second: Commissioner Bagnuolo. All in Favor "Ayes".

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Bolingbrook Park District Board Secretary

Dorothy J. Andrews