

**Chicago Heights Park District  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
Park District Board of Commissioners  
January 13, 2025  
6:00 p.m.**

**Meeting Called to Order:** The Regular Board meeting of the Chicago Heights Park District Board of Commissioners was called to order at 6:00p.m.

**Pledge of Allegiance / Roll Call:** Upon roll call, the following board members were recorded present: Commissioner Foston, Commissioner Robinson, Commissioner Baikauskas, and President Mangiaracina. Commissioner Perez, Commissioner Straczek and Commissioner Guzman were recorded absent. A quorum was established.

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion to approve the Regular Board Meeting minutes from December 9, 2024, by Commissioner Baikauaskas, seconded by Commissioner Robinson. The following ayes were recorded. Commissioner Foston, Commissioner Robinson, Commissioner Baikauskas, and President Mangiaracina. Motion Passed.

**Reports from the President and other officers:**

**Treasure's Report:** A Treasurers report November 2024 was presented by Chicago Heights Park Board Treasurer, Commissioner Baikauskas. On a motion to accept the Financial Report by Commissioner Baikauskas, seconded by Commissioner Foston. The following ayes were recorded. Commissioner Foston, Commissioner Robinson, Commissioner Baikauskas, and President Mangiaracina. Motion Passed.

**Motion to Appoint Commissioner Foston as Pro-Temp Secretary** by Commissioner Baikauskas, seconded by Commissioner Robinson. The following ayes were recorded. Commissioner Foston, Commissioner Robinson, Commissioner Baikauskas, and President Mangiaracina. Motion Passed.

**Commissioners Report**

**Commissioner Foston:** Wished everyone Happy New Year.

**Commissioner Robinson:** Hoped everyone had a nice Christmas and New Year.

**Commissioner Baikauskas:** Will host a joint Ward Meeting on January 27 at 6:00p.m. at Roosevelt School and wished everyone a Happy New Year.

**President Report:** President Mangiaracina announced who will be attending the IAPD Conference and Thanked everyone for the Winter Wonderland event. On March 22<sup>nd</sup> there will be a ribbon cutting for the Park Renovations at 9:30am at the Recreation Center

**Superintendent Report:** On February 1<sup>st</sup> the Recreation Center will be Closed for the Black History Jamboree and the Recreation Center will close for construction on February 7 and 8<sup>th</sup>. Ribbon Cutting on

March 22<sup>nd</sup> for Park Renovations. Commissioners Park will be closed in April for construction and planning will start for Palooza in the Park.

**Attorneys Report:** No Report

**Public Participation:** None

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

**Presentation GolfNow:** Andy Perez from GolfNow gave a presentation concerning Golf numbers from 2023 - 2024.

**Presentation Year in Review:** Dr. Shari Demitrowicz gave a presentation for the year in review and Goals.

**Submission of Bills:** On a motion to pay the bills for December 2024, by Commissioner Foston, seconded by Commissioner Robinson. Discussion None: The following ayes were recorded. Commissioner Foston, Commissioner Robinson, Commissioner Baikauskas, and President Mangiaracina. Motion Passed.

**Adjournment:** On a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:57p.m. by Commissioner Baikauskas, seconded by Commissioner Robinson. The following ayes were recorded. The following ayes were recorded. Commissioner Foston, Commissioner Robinson, Commissioner Baikauskas, and President Mangiaracina. Motion Passed.

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**Secretary**

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**Date**