

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Regular Meeting Highlights April 17, 2018



RECOGNITION – PARK DISTRICT SUPPORT STAFF

The Park Board of Commissioners recognized the long-time service of three front desk staff: Maureen Ray, Shanda Cotter and Rebecca Karales who each have over 20 years of service with the Glen Ellyn Park District. Nephew stated that these employees are critical to the everyday operations of the centers and require a thorough knowledge of various responsibilities while dealing with the public on a daily basis and going the extra mile to improve the customer's experience. President Nephew spoke of Maureen Ray who began her career with the Park District 26 years ago. She started at Main Street Recreation Center then worked at Spring Avenue Recreation Center when it opened in 2000 and currently works at the front desk of Ackerman Sports and Fitness Center. Shanda Cotter has worked for 24 years servicing those at Main Street Recreation Center and Rebecca Karales is in her 22nd year of service and works at the front desk of the Spring Avenue Recreation Center. President Nephew praised these employees for their dedication, knowledge and reliability and read several letters of praise from the patrons of the District. The Park Board of Commissioners thanked them for their loyalty and years of service to the Community and presented a small token of appreciation.

MAIN STREET RECREATION CENTER PLAYGROUND INSTALLATION BID

As discussed at the April 3, 2018 Workshop meeting, bids were presented for the installation of the Main Street Recreation Center (MSRC) playground equipment. With no further discussion needed, the Park Board of Commissioners awarded the Main Street Recreation Center Playground Installation (Base Bid) to D & J Landscape for an amount not to exceed \$63,138.00

MAIN STREET RECREATION CENTER PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT BID

Also discussed at the April 3, 2018 Workshop Meeting were the four (4) playground designs that were submitted to the Park District. The Park Board discussed elements at that time and with no further discussion needed, the Park Board of Commissioners authorized the purchase of the Landscape Structures, Inc. playground equipment for the Main Street Recreation Center for the amount of \$113,961.00 as it is within the 2018 budgeted allocation for the project.

DISCUSSION OF BOARD OFFICERS AND ADVISORY COMMITTEE LIAISONS FOR MAY, 2018-MAY, 2019

President Nephew discussed the selection of officers and members of various advisory committees that will be selected at the May 1, 2018 Workshop meeting and will serve through May of 2019. President Nephew led an open discussion of interest in the various officer positions and the advisory committee positions. Nephew stated she will be reaching out further to the Commissioners over the next two weeks.