

**Regular Board Meeting of the
Board of Commissioners
CHICAGO RIDGE PARK DISTRICT
March 25, 2026
7:00pm**

CALL TO ORDER

President Pratl called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

ROLL CALL

The following Commissioners were present: Pratl, Crout, Conrad, Albon, Meyer
Commissioner -name- was absent with notice.

Also present: Director King, Attorney Sterk, Recreation Supervisor Grabowski, Maintenance Supervisor Paul Ruppert.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Everyone joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Albon made a motion to approve minutes of January 28, 2026. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Meyer.

Roll Call

Ayes: Commissioners Pratl, Albon, Meyer

Nays: None

Abstain: Commissioners Crout and Conrad

Motion carried.

Commissioner Conrad made a motion to approve minutes of February 11, 2026. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Crout.

Roll Call

Ayes: Commissioners Pratl, Crout, Conrad, Albon, Meyer

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Motion carried.

Commissioner Meyer made a motion to approve minutes of February 25, 2026. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Conrad.

Roll Call

Ayes: Commissioners Pratl, Crout, Conrad, Albon, Meyer

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Motion carried.

PUBLIC/STAFF WISHING TO ADDRESS THE BOARD

There was no one to address the Board.

FINANCE

No report.

A motion to approve payment of bills from February 23, 2026 to March 19, 2026 in the amount of \$62,473.60 was made by Commissioner Albon seconded by Commissioner Crout.

Roll Call

Ayes: Commissioners Pratl, Crout, Conrad, Albon, Meyer

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Motion carried.

REPORTS

President

President Pratl discussed the Director search.

Attorney

The bid package for lawn maintenance is ready for approval.

Director

Director King discussed his report. Contracts for 2027 are underway

COMMITTEES

Special Projects

Commissioner Meyer discussed the basketball court color selection. Commissioner Meyer discussed the mural work and the next possible mural project.

Maintenance

Commissioner Conrad discussed the many quote maintenance has received for projects. Maintenance Supervisor Paul Ruppert discussed his report.

Recreation

Commissioner Albon discussed adding a rib cooking contest to the June 6th event along with bands and food trucks.

Recreation Supervisor Grabowski discussed her report.

OLD BUSINESS

Nothing to report.

NEW BUSINESS

A motion was made to approve Ordinance #2026-03 Budget Appropriations for Fiscal Year Beginning May 1, 2026 and Ending April 30, 2027 by Commissioner Meyer and seconded by Commissioner Conrad. All Ayes

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Nothing to report.

OPEN SESSION

Nothing to report.

ADJOURN

Motion to adjourn meeting at 8:02 pm. Motion was made by Commissioner Albon and seconded by Commissioner Meyer. All ayes.

Respectfully Submitted,

Carrie Dellamano

Carrie Dellamano, Secretary of Chicago Ridge Park District

Approved by the Board of Commissioners on this 27th day of May 2026

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