

Cary Park District
Board of Commissioners
Committee of the Whole Meeting
May 14, 2026
7:00 PM
Community Center
255 Briargate Road
Cary, IL

Minutes

Board Members Present: Victor, Stanko, Frangiamore.

Staff Present: Jones, Horn, Kelly, Mach.

President Frangiamore called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Frangiamore asked if there were any Matters from the Public, Commissioners, and Staff.

Under Matters from the Public, none.

Under Matters from Commissioners, none.

Under Matters from Staff, none.

The minutes from April 9, 2026, Committee of the Whole meeting was presented for approval.

Stanko moved to approve the minutes as presented. Second by Victor.

Frangiamore asked for any discussion.

Voice vote: Yes – 3. No – None. Motion carried.

The first two Direction Items were Resolution R-2026-27-01, A Resolution to support National Trails Day and Resolution R-2026-27-02, A Resolution to support National Pollinator Week.

Kelly stated National Trail's Day is celebrated on the first Saturday in June and is the country's largest celebration of trails. Kelly further stated the day increases awareness about trails and encourages community members to enjoy them through the variety of activities trails can be utilized for. Kelly shared National Pollinator Week has grown into an international celebration, promoting the valuable ecosystem services provided by bees, birds, butterflies, bats, beetles, moths, wasps and flies. Kelly stated the Park District is a supportive partner in this effort and has several segments throughout the agency that contain pollinator plants and blue bird boxes, to continue promoting pollinators in our community.

Victor moved to recommend Board of Commissioner approval of Resolution R-2026-27-01, A Resolution to support National Trails Day on June 6, 2026, and Resolution R-2026-27-02,

A Resolution to support National Pollinator Week from June 22-28, 2026. Second by Stanko.

Frangiamore asked for discussion. Hearing none, he asked for a voice vote.

Voice vote: Yes – 3. No – None. Motion carried.

Direction Items three through six were Replacement – 2016 John Deere Utility Tractor and 2014 Caterpillar Backhoe Loader, and Purchase – 2026 Ford F-150 Super Duty Truck and 2024 Ford Transit 250 Van. Mach reviewed the two items up for replacement and briefly shared how each piece of equipment is used. Mach stated both pieces of equipment have a replacement timeline of 10 years and were allocated for within the Capital Equipment Replacement Fund (CERF) schedule. Mach further stated the equipment will be traded in and was approved for disposal per Ordinance O-2025-26-11. Mach shared the two vehicles for purchase are new vehicles also allocated for within the CERF schedule. Due to the growth and changes in operations over the years, staff identified the need for both vehicles to shift the way job tasks are accomplished, as well as how staff travel to and from parks and facilities throughout the agency.

Stanko moved to recommend Board of Commissioner approval for the purchase of a 2026 John Deere Utility Tractor in the amount of \$77,367.42 from AHW LLC, Wauconda, IL, purchase of a 2026 Caterpillar Backhoe Loader in the amount of \$162,500 from Altorfer/CAT, Wauconda, IL, purchase of a 2026 Ford F-150 Regular Cab 4x4 Pickup Truck in the amount of \$47,987 from Morrow Brother Ford, Inc in Greenfield IL, and purchase of a used 2024 Ford Transit 250 Van in the amount of \$33,444 from Martin Chevrolet in Crystal Lake, IL. Second by Victor.

Frangiamore asked for discussion. Hearing none, he asked for a Roll Call vote.

Roll Call vote: Yes – Stanko, Victor, Frangiamore. No – none. Motion carried.

Stanko moved to recommend Board of Commissioner's authorize the Executive Director to purchase an equivalent make and model vehicle not to exceed the budget amount of \$35,000, should the recommended 2024 Ford Transit 250 Van no longer be available from the dealer. Second by Victor.

Frangiamore asked for discussion. Hearing none, he asked for a Roll Call vote.

Roll Call vote: Yes – Stanko, Victor, Frangiamore. No – none. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Victor. Second by Stanko.

Voice vote: Yes – 3. No – None. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:31 PM.



Daniel C. Jones, Secretary
Park District Board of Commissioners