



GLENVIEW PARK DISTRICT

Public Hearing OSLAD Grant Application – Renovations of Jackman Park

@ Park Center
2400 Chestnut Avenue
Glenview, IL 60025
Meeting Minutes
June 27, 2013

Notice of the public hearing was published in the June 20, 2013 edition of the Glenview Announcements.

1. Roll Call

President Bill Casey opened the public hearing at 7:05 p.m. on the Open Space Land Acquisition and Development grant proposal for renovations of Jackman Park located at 1930 Prairie Street, Glenview, IL, and the roll was called.

Commissioners present: Charles J. Kuhn, Robert J. Patton, Ted M. Przybylo, David S. Tosh and William M. Casey. *Commissioner Mary Jean Coulson arrived at 7:07 p.m. Commissioner Daniel B. Peterson arrived at 7:12 p.m.*

Official Staff present: Attorney Samuel W. Witwer, Jr., Treasurer William D. Moore, Executive Director/Secretary Charles Balling, Superintendent of Administrative Operations Barbara Cremin, Superintendent of Leisure Services Robert Quill, Superintendent of Park and Facility Services James Warnstedt, Recording Secretary Joanne Capaccio and Park District Landscape Architect Ken Wexler. Please refer to the attendance record for other visitors.

2. Public Comment

President Casey stated that the purpose of tonight's public hearing is to review the specific components of the proposed application for funds from the State of Illinois' 2013 OSLAD grant program and that a notice of the public hearing was published in the June 20, 2013 edition of the Glenview Announcements.

The proposed renovations at Jackman Park include: new pathways, installation of a new "Historic Downtown Glenview" themed playground that will meet the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) standard, installation of poured-in-place rubber for playground surfacing, installation of new gardens, new benches and trash receptacles, enhancements to the Bear fountain, an addition of multi-generational game tables, renovation to the Concert Bowl to include an ADA viewing area and lighting enhancements throughout the park. President Casey noted it is proposed that the Park District apply for funding with the State of Illinois' Open Space, Land Acquisition and Development grant program in the amount of \$315,000 in matching

funds for these improvements. In addition to the grant, the Glenview Park District Foundation is allocating \$200,000 for the playground and plaza renovation.

Landscape Architect Ken Wexler presented a conceptual design overview of the proposed improvements to Jackman Park that will have a historic Glenview theme. He noted that Jackman Park is a key gathering space for the community and the closest park to downtown Glenview and the neighborhood park for residents in the area. He also acknowledged that Jackman Park is on the district's list for capital replacement this year, so the timing for the grant application is warranted. Ken concluded by asking if there were any questions. President Casey asked that the proposed pathway from the concert bowl to the playground be limited so sledding could continue on the berm. Commissioner Tosh asked about related costs of the renovations and those will be discussed at an upcoming Board Committee meeting before the project moves into the construction phase.

President Casey thanked everyone and asked if there were any comments from the public and there were none.

3. Adjourn

With there being no further comments, President Casey asked for a motion to adjourn the public hearing.

Commissioner Przybylo moved seconded by Commissioner Kuhn to adjourn the Public Hearing at 7:15 p.m. On Voice Vote, all present voted aye. Motion Carried.

The following action on the proposed OSLAD Grant funding was taken during the June 27, 2013 Glenview Park District Regular Board meeting which followed this public hearing in room 101 at Park Center, 2400 Chestnut Avenue, Glenview, IL.

Commissioner Przybylo moved seconded by Commissioner Coulson to approve submitting the renovations for Jackman Park, 1930 Prairie Street, Glenview, IL for the State of Illinois Open Space Land Acquisition Development (OSLAD) Grant application for the Glenview Park District. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Peterson, Przybylo, Tosh, Coulson, Patton, Casey. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

ATTEST:

Charles T. Balling, Secretary

William M. Casey, President

Approved this 25th day of July 2013

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