# MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STREAMWOODPARK DISTRICT HELD ON SEPTEMBER 11, 2018 AT COMMISSIONERS' PARK (FORMALLY AQUARIUS PARK) 81 LINDA LANE STREAMWOOD, ILLINOIS

#### CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 5:37 p.m. Present were President Janiec, Commissioners Brogan, Wright and Yawer, along with staff members Executive Director Dennis Stein, Superintendent of Business & HR Jennifer Hermonson, Assistant Superintendent of Parks & Planning Ian Pickett, Parks Manager Amy Vito, Parks Supervisor Rob Burke, Parks Supervisor Jose Reyes and Landscape Architect Joe Brusseau with Hitchcock Design Group.

All those answering "present" were physically present at the meeting.

#### INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Guests in attendance were members of the community.

### PUBLIC HEARING ON THE MASTER PLAN OF COMMISSIONERS' PARK

- Superintendent Hermonson gave an overview of the agenda.
- Landscape Architect Brusseau went over all of the visual boards, concepts and plans with all of those present, including, the public, board and staff.
- Superintendent Hermonson also stated that some members of the community who could not attend have already taken the online survey at <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/commissionerspark">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/commissionerspark</a>. However, Superintendent Hermonson encouraged the public to fill out the survey, as it helps collect consistent data, even if they were able to attend the public meeting tonight.
- One resident voiced that his grandson would like to see more soccer-related spaces, activities, clinics and coaching opportunities throughout Streamwood. His family currently travels to Schaumburg for their soccer needs.
- One resident voiced their opinion that a community garden would be nice and she would be willing to assist with getting something like that up and running.
- One resident voiced their opinion that the paths and walkways should be upgraded and expanded; several other residents echoed that comment and added that mile markers would be nice.
- Landscape Architect Brusseau went over the all of the examples of what could go in the possible play area features. He stated it could be anything from pollinator gardens to a challenger course.
- Superintendent Hermonson and Landscape Architect Brusseau went up to the visual boards with the residents to go over possibilities and the conceptual master plan options of Commissioners' Park.
- Superintendent Hermonson stated staff members would stay until 7:30 p.m. to ensure all residents had an opportunity to voice all of their opinions and would stick around in case anyone showed up late.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

At 6:55 p.m., President Janiec moved to adjourn and the motion was seconded by Commissioner Wright. A voice vote was unanimous for approval; motion carried.

Approved:

September 18, 2018

Attest: Rechard T. James
Richard T. Janiec, President