

BARRINGTON HILLS PARK DISTRICT
364 Bateman Road, Barrington, IL 60010
Board of Commissioners
January 11, 2023

Dennis Kelly called meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

Commissioners Present: Dennis Kelly, Jessica Underwood, Drew McMahon (arrived late), Steven Allen.

Absent: Gigi Iacovelli

Visitors attending in person: Jill Zubak, Melissa Kinast

Visitors via Zoom: Jan Nestrud, Deb Gallagher, Matthew P. Vondra

MOTIONS

Motion to approve the December 4, 2022 Park Board Meeting Minutes was made by Jessica Underwood and seconded by Dennis Kelly.

3 ayes 0 nays 2 absent
Motion Passes

Motion to approve the December 4, 2022 Treasurer's Report was made by Steven Allen and seconded by Jessica Underwood.

3 ayes 0 nays 2 absent
Motion Passes

Motion to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. was made by Jessica Underwood and seconded by Steve Allen.

4 ayes 0 nays 1 absent
Motion Passes

Commissioner's Discussion

The Advisory Board reported that the Riding Club's exclusive time on Sundays from 8:00 -9:30 a.m. be changed to Saturdays from 3:00 4:00 p.m. Further discussion among the Clubs and the Advisory Board is needed to work out ride times that considers the Club's and public's riding schedules, especially on weekends when the demand for indoor ride time is high.

Dennis Kelly informed the Board that at the February 8, 2023 Park Board meeting there will be a discussion with the representatives from the Cook County Forest Preserve on a Master Plan for the Horizon Farms property. Comments and suggestions from the community and equestrian clubs are encouraged. Maps with proposed trails will be reviewed.

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Melissa Kinast, the Executive Director of the Barrington Area Conservation Trust (BACT) explained the BACT holds a conservation easement at Horizon Farms and works with the Forest Preserve district of Cook County designating recreation and natural areas along with planning for horse trails.

Respectfully submitted,
Jessica Underwood
Secretary