

**MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING  
OAK LAWN PARK DISTRICT  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
HELD ON JANUARY 10, 2022**

The Board of Commissioners of the Oak Lawn Park District was convened in a Regular Meeting on January 10, 2022 at 7:02 p.m. with President Boland presiding.

**ROLL CALL:**

Present: Buschbach, Coughlin, Donahue, Johnson, and Boland  
A quorum was present.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

**Regular Meeting of December 13, 2021**

Johnson moved, Buschbach seconded to approve.

Voting: Aye: All  
Nay: None

**CITIZENS TO BE HEARD/CORRESPONDENCE:**

**Volunteer of the Month – Monica Janicki**

The Volunteer of the Month is Monica Janicki. Monica volunteers with the dance programs at Oak View. Her supervisor, Frankie Mulhall, had the below to say about Monica's volunteerism.

"Monica has been a part of our dance program since 2012. She is now a teacher's assistant as well as a member on the IndependANCE Dance Team. Monica is a wonderful role model for the dancers in our program. She takes initiative and is an amazing help in class. Ms. Frankie is extremely lucky to have her in class."

**NEW BUSINESS:** None

**FINANCE REPORT:**

Johnson moved, Coughlin seconded to approve payables of \$657,923.75 for the period of December 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021.

Voting: Aye: All  
Nay: None

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None

**CONSENT AGENDA:** None

**LEGAL:** None

**APPROVAL OF BIDS OVER \$25,000:** None

**MATTERS OF THE DIRECTOR:**

Hartwig wished everyone a happy New Year.

Hartwig mentioned how busy the Pavilion has been lately with youth co-ed soccer, basketball and rentals.

Hartwig stated that the Racquet Center has delayed the start of gymnastics by two weeks due to a spike in COVID cases.

Hartwig reminded everyone that the theatre production of Crazy For You opens the first weekend in February. Hartwig encouraged everyone to get their tickets.

Hartwig thanked Ryan Gory and the Maintenance staff for working so quickly to remove the snow and ice at each of the district's facilities as well as parks.

Hartwig stated that he along with staff will be attending the IAPD/IPRA Conference at the end of January. Hartwig said attending the conference is always a great way for staff to start off the new year.

Hartwig said staff is currently reviewing the results from the community wide needs assessment. Following the review the district will start its new strategic planning process in either late February or early March.

**PRESIDENT'S REPORT:**

Boland wished everyone a happy New Year!

Boland stated that she was happy to see the number of responses from the community needs assessment survey. Boland said she looks forward to seeing what the district will do with all the great feedback received.

Boland stated that she is looking forward to attending the IAPD/IPRA Conference again this year.

**MATTERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS:**

Donahue wished everyone a happy New Year. Donahue stated that the district is on the up and up and he is looking forward to what the new year will bring.

Johnson thanked the Maintenance Department for doing a great job with the snow removal.

Johnson thanked staff that braved the cold weather while standing outside to greet and cheer on the staff at Christ Hospital.

Johnson thanked the golf course for being open on Christmas Eve. Johnson said he was able to enjoy a nice game of golf that day.

Coughlin thanked staff for all the time and effort that goes into their monthly staff reports. Coughlin said she always looks forward to reading the reports and is amazed by the variety of programs being offered across the district.

Coughlin said she will not be attending the IAPD/IPRA Conference this year but hopes everyone has a wonderful time.

Buschbach stated that he is excited to attend his first IAPD/IPRA Conference at the end of the month.

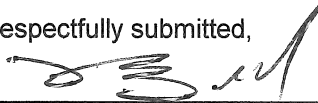
Buschbach thanked the Maintenance Department for working on getting all the snow removed across the district.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Coughlin moved, Johnson seconded to adjourn at 7:19 p.m.

Voting: Aye: All  
Nay: None

Respectfully submitted,



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Lisa Boland, President



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Tracey Gallik, Recording Secretary