

Call to Order

Southgate Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting held on April 8th, 2026.

The meeting was called to order by Pomponio at 6:01pm

ROLL CALL OF COMMISSIONERS ATTENDANCE

Darlene Pomponio, Carol Gordos, Huey Craig, Mark Picklo, Robert LeFief, Dave Pinkowski, Mitch Dobek, Council Liaison Price and Parks & Rec Director Goddard.

Absent: Nicole Hales & Stephanie McNees

Guests in Attendance

None

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Motion to Approve February Meeting Minutes by Gordos and seconded by LeFief - Motion carried.

ITEMS FROM OFFICERS

No Reports

Old Business

- Hall of Fame Applications
 - Applications were reviewed. Two applicants. Chris Grandy and Tom Liss will be inducted. Working on induction dates at next meeting.

Director's Report

- Report given by Julie Goddard – Parks & Recreation Director

New Business

- Chair and Vice-Chair were nominated and voted.
 - Darlene Pomponio was nominated for Chair by Pinkowski and seconded by LeFief – Motion Carried. No other nominations were taken. Pomponio is new Chair
 - Stephanie McNees was nominated for Vice-Chair by Craig and seconded by Pinkowski – Motion carried. No other nominations were taken. McNees is new Vice-Chair.
- Cobb Park – Board asked when the parking lot would be striped. Director Goddard gave information it would be in next two weeks – weather permitting. Top coat will also be going on Tennis and Pickleball Courts when weather allow. Waiting on delivery of Padel Court.
- Kiwanis Park – Board asked about the plastic that was damaged on train windows. Director Goddard and Penchura have handled.

School Communication:

- Grogan will be getting a parking lot expansion
- High School Football Coach has resigned and is now working for Allen Park
- Anderson has a Varsity Boy's Volleyball team – They have started playing and are in league with Carlson-Allen Park-Edsel Ford and Lincoln Park

Motion to adjourn at 6:49pm by LeFief and seconded by Gordos – Motion carried.

Next Meeting – May 13th at 6pm in City Hall Caucus Room – There will be No June/July Meetings.