



PEKIN PARK DISTRICT

Minutes of
Pekin Park District Board of Commissioners
Reconvened October 16, 2025 Meeting
5:30 p.m. Thursday, October 22, 2025
Robert N. Blackwell Admin Building
Pekin, IL 61554

1. Call to order. President McMillan called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m., and all stood to recite the Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll Call.
The following Commissioners were present: Sue McMillan, Greg Ranney, Mike Dralle, Kyle Cain, Gary Gillis and Steve Sours. Commissioners absent were: Kristen Walraven Also, in attendance were: Cameron Bettin, Executive Director; Chip Hill, Business Manager/Board Secretary; Cory Proehl, Director of Golf; and Barry, Reed, Superintendent of Golf.
3. Additions to and/or deletions from the agenda, if any. None.
4. Public Comment: None.
5. Discussion of the “Early Order Turf Care Products” out for bid for Parkview and Lick Creek Golf Courses, Mineral Springs Park, and Pekin Park Sports Complex.

The Director of Golf and Superintendent of Golf reviewed the bid results for the Early Order Turf Care Products. The total cost of the Syngenta Products from Heritage PPG was \$109,869.50. The rebates came to \$18,135.70 which makes the net cost \$91,733.80. It is planned to include an additional \$11,788.00 in the Parkview budget and \$16,289 in the Lick Creek budget to cover any unforeseen events and needs for turf care products in the upcoming 2026 season.

Commissioner Ranney asked how this compared to last year. The Supt. of Golf said it was \$8,539.50 more. Commissioner Dralle asked why all the bid numbers were the same? The Supt. of Golf said it was agency pricing and the vendors cannot vary from that.

- A. Motion to approve bids received for “Early Order Turf Care Products” for Parkview and Lick Creek Golf Courses, Mineral Springs Park, and Pekin Park Sports Complex.

Move to approve the Syngenta Products from Heritage PPG in the amount of \$109,869.50 with rebates of \$18,135.70 for a net cost of \$91,733.80, and to approve the budgeting of additional funding for unforeseen events and needs as presented for Parkview and Lick Creek golf courses.

Motion Mike Dralle; Second Greg Ranney.
All ayes by a roll call vote- Motion carried.

6. Adjourn

Motion Gary Gillis; Second Steve Sours
All ayes by a voice call vote – Motion carried.
Time: 5:36 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted.
Chip Hill
Board Secretary
Pekin Park District