

Decennial Review Committee Meeting Minutes September 23, 2024 5:30–5:57 pm

Present:

Commissioners Jeffery, Gramann, Sokolowski, Powers, Bird, Witteck and Parisi.

Committee Members Dana Hybl and Todd Powell.

Staff: Executive Director Rini, Directors Bachewicz, Hamilton, Quinn, and Executive

Assistant Greninger

Topic:

Review Decennial Report

Executive Director Rini reviewed the legislation behind the Decennial report, and the process taken to compile the report itself. Because of the size of the final report, members of the Decennial Review Committee were provided with a copy of the full report along with a link to a Google Doc file of all the supporting documentation. This review process, while labor intensive, provided more evidence of the Districts' efficiencies. Committee members and staff also felt that the benefits of park districts was never more apparent than during the COVID Pandemic.

Executive Director Rini provided a summary of the key findings of the report. During the review members of the Committee made supporting comments of the findings. Commissioner Sokolowski thanked the members of the Committee for their time and for being here tonight.

Tomorrow, a survey will be issued asking if there are any questions. There being no further business to discuss, the committee meeting was adjourned at 5:57 pm.

Respectfully submitted by:

Sue Rini

Executive Director