



Draft Minutes

Lincoln Park Advisory Council
January 12, 2005

Department of Planning and Development Deputy Director Chris Gent spoke on Theatre on the Lake Open Air Pavilion.

John Morris and Associates Architectural firm is to work on the planning project, Phase one, a study looking at existing building, site and shoreline revetment proposals. The firm has experience in developing smaller theaters, projects that they have done include the Stephen Wolf and the Looking Glass theaters. Some of the goals being, a better theatre experience improvements to the building, and sound abatement. Also proposed were an extended season of use and more attractions. With the plan will come marketing materials for fund raising.

President Sheli Lulkin called the meeting to order at 7:27 p.m.

Randi Doeker seconded by Grace Chun moved to adopt the agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

Park District Report

John Davidson of Margate Park spoke. Day camp filled immediately this year. Margate was a runner up in Mayor Daley's hockey league, the first time a lakefront group did it. Winter break camp was sold out. Park does many cultural excursions into the neighborhoods. Jazzercise has started; the fitness center is sold out. There is Volleyball on Tuesdays and a badminton league on Thursdays.

Cindi Jahraus of the Lincoln Park Cultural Center spoke. Rocking New Years Eve both shows were sold out. Swing Sets of Lincoln Park performed. Pen pals started with Margate. Wizard of Oz auditions started. Cupid's corner Valentines Day Dance is being planned. Rock and Roll bowling alley this year for youngsters is being planned for February.

Dana Zilinski spoke. North and LaSalle flags to gradually come out in the next two months some have already been removed. The District is going from its current configuration of five geographic areas down to four; The Trades are now in two shops one for North Parks one for South Parks. Tim Mitchell made these moves in hopes to increase efficiency.

New Business

Roseann Molyneaux seconded by Leonard Kolesar moved to approve the minutes as corrected. Motion carried unanimously.

Randi Doeker spoke on the Park Board meeting. Public hearings are to be held on a three-phase multi step program to impact the decade of use for the Harbor system. A donation of sculptures has been accepted for the corner of Michigan and Roosevelt. 100 headless figures 9' tall covering dispersed over an acre of land. The sculptures are cast iron on cement platforms.

Randi Doeker seconded by Jill Niland moved to appoint Steven Bell Chairman of the nominating committee with Grace Chun and Mark Cihlar as members. Motion carried unanimously.

Treasurers Report

Treasurer Vickie Matthews stated that there have been no new dues collected. \$149.76 for hosting website was expended. Leaving a balance of \$2,059.73. Frank Fuscaldo seconded by Jill Niland moved to accept the Treasurers report. Motion carried unanimously.

Vickie Matthews seconded by Grace Chun moved to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted

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Frank Fuscaldo, Secretary