

AGENDA

Carbondale Park District
Monday, September 13, 2021
5:30 p.m.

VIA ZOOM ONLINE MEETING

<https://zoom.us/j/9031181650>

PASSWORD-1650

MEETING ID- 903 118 1650

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PUBLIC HEARING- BOND ISSUE NOTIFICATION ACT (BINA)
- III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- IV. GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
- V. CITIZENS COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS - - If you wish to address the Board on a matter not covered by the printed AGENDA, please raise your hand and the President will recognize you.
- VI. DIRECTORS REPORT & DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS
 - A. Directors Report
 - B. Superintendents' Report
- VII. CONSENT AGENDA
 - A. Approval of Minutes of Board meeting August 9, 2021 & Open Session Minutes of August 23, 2021
 - B. Approval of Claims List 21-7
 - C. Other Business
 - 1. Communications
 - 2. For Your Information
 - 3. Newspaper Articles
- VIII. NEW BUSINESS
 - A. Discussion/Approval Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks Proposed Field Naming
 - B. Discussion/Approval FCDP Rules
 - C. Discussion/Approval Nature Playscape
 - D. Discussion/Approval to Solicit Bids for Proposed General Obligation Bond Sale
- IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Discussion/Approval Koppers Memorial Maintenance Agreement
- B. Discussion/Approval COVID-19 Protocols

X. REPORT OF PARK DISTRICT CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEES

- A. Administration & Finance Advisory Committee - - Steve Schauwecker, Chair.
Carmen Suarez, Commissioner.
- B. Child Care Advisory Committee - - Carl Flowers, Commissioner.
- C. Golf Advisory Committee - - Chuck Vaught, Chair; Jane Adams, Commissioner.
- D. Grounds, Facilities & Recreation Advisory Committee - - Kirsten Trimble,
Commissioner.

XI. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- A. Policy Manual Final Revisions

XII. BOARD COMMENTS

XIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

XIV. CONSIDERATION TO RECONVENE TO PUBLIC SESSION OF BOARD MEETING

XV. ADJOURNMENT

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Park Commissioner will be held:

Monday, October 11, 2021

Carbondale Park District's
Board of Commissioners

VIA ZOOM ONLINE MEETING

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MEETING ID- 903 118 1650

5:30

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM I - - ROLL CALL

Commissioners Present:

Staff Present:

Adams _____

Burns _____

Trimble _____

Anderson _____

Flowers _____

Melzer _____

Sergeev _____

Montgomery _____

Suarez _____

Hoesman _____

Twomey _____

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____

Flowers _____

Trimble _____

Sergeev _____

Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM II—PUBLIC HEARING BOND ISSUE NOTIFICATION ACT (BINA)

The Board of Park Commissioners of the Carbondale Park District, Jackson County, Illinois, will hold a public hearing on September 13, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. Members of the public can participate in the public hearing via Zoom using the following information:

<https://zoom.us/j/9031181650>
Password: 1650
Meeting ID: 903 118 1650 5:30
Toll Free Meeting Line: (312) 626-6799

The purpose of the hearing will be to receive public comments on the proposal to sell bonds, in one or more series, in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$3,000,000 for the purpose of providing for capital improvements to and maintenance of park district facilities including but not limited to renovation of various park facilities, the purchase of equipment and buildings, and paying any necessary costs of issuance and expenses incident thereto.

Dated August 23, 2021.

/s/ Secretary, Board of Park Commissioners
Carbondale Park District, Jackson County, Illinois

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

EXCERPT OF MINUTES OF A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE BOARD OF
PARK COMMISSIONERS OF THE CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT,
JACKSON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, HELD ONLINE VIA ZOOM, AT 5:30
P.M., ON THE 13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2021.

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The President called the meeting to order and directed the Secretary to call the roll. Upon
roll call, the following answered present:

The following were absent:

(Among other actions taken at the meeting)

The President then announced that notice of a public hearing had been published in the *Carbondale Times* on or before August 27, 2021, pursuant to the Bond Issue Notification Act. Proof of publication of the notice was ordered to be filed with the minutes of this meeting. The President stated that pursuant to that notice, the Commissioners would hold a public hearing on the on the proposal to sell bonds, in one or more series, in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$3,000,000 for the purpose of providing for capital improvements to and maintenance of park district facilities including but not limited to renovation of various park facilities, the purchase of equipment and buildings, and paying any necessary costs of issuance and expenses incident

thereto. Thereupon, the hearing was opened. After providing members of the public with an opportunity to speak at the hearing, the President closed the hearing. By consent, the hearing was declared to be formally adjourned. The Board will consider the bond ordinance for adoption at an upcoming meeting.

Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously approved, the meeting was adjourned.

Secretary, Board of Park Commissioners
Carbondale Park District

Attest:

President, Board of Park Commissioners
Carbondale Park District

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM III—APPROVAL OF AGENDA

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM IV - - GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM V - - CITIZENS COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS

If you wish to address the Board on a matter not covered by the printed AGENDA, please raise your hand and the President will recognize you

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By:_____ 2nd By:_____

ROLL CALL:

Adams_____ Flowers_____ Trimble_____

Sergeev_____ Suarez_____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM VI- - DIRECTORS REPORT & DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

- A. Directors Report
- B. Superintendents' Report

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

Kids Korner

Summer enrollment: 41/ School Year Enrollment: 31

August 2021

August 5th- "Overnight Trip" at Touch of Nature for children in 5th & 6th grade. The children stayed in cabins out at Touch of Nature and went Kayaking on Little Grassy Lake.

August 9th-Kids Korner had their "Blast through the Past" play under the Pavilion at Turley Park. Parents and families attended and it was a great success.

August 13th-Last day of the full-time summer program ended with a splash at the Super Splash Park.

August 16th-First day for children 1st-6th grade in District 95.

August 16th-18th-Provided full day care for children in kindergarten.

August 19th-First full day for children in Kindergarten. After school officially begins for all.

August 19th- Received the Bright Spot award for the KK Garden.

August 20th-Provided a full day of care for all students.

Superintendent Report

Board Meeting

Park Operations

August 2021

Attucks The Splash Pad has been routinely maintained Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

Super Splash Park A logic controller was replaced on the volcano plume PLC

Kids Korner Darren and Nick repaired a sink in room number 2. The air conditioner condensate line was cleared after it had become obstructed. A dishwasher was removed and replaced. The crew also weeded the garden fence for the Bright Spot award presentation.

Superblock Carbondale Middle School baseball and softball have begun. Our crew lined fields for games on August 17, 25, and 31st. Lining for the Carbondale Jr Sports Tackle football fields have continued.

We provided porta potties for the Sunset Concerts on August 5, 12, 19 and the 26th. We also provided tables and trash cans for Carbondale Main St on August 27.

Evergreen Park The water line at the park had to be repaired. A leak was found in the parking area by the Giant Sycamore Shelter and two leaks were found by the Pine Tree shelter parking lot under a bald cypress tree root ball.

Trash has been routinely picked up at the parks.

August 2021

Board Report

Superintendent of Recreation

- Continuation of land-based fitness programming to include Strength Training and Functional Fitness classes, Aikido, Karate, and Advanced Karate Classes
- Over \$1,115 in revenue was acquired from program fees and facility rentals
- Over \$33,200 in revenue was generated from the Super Splash Park admissions, concessions, season passes, aquatics fitness classes, and swim lessons
- Facilitation of our “Play Day in the Park” pop-up event series that include the following local partners: The Carbondale Public Library, Carbondale Fire Department, Carbondale Police Department, and the SIUC Head Start program. We hosted 2 Play Days in the month of August at Oakdale Park and the LIFE Community Center.
- We participated in the monthly “Community Connect” event that took place at Doug Lee Park on August 28th from 4-6pm.
- We hosted a booth at the Fall Family Fair for families and graduate students at SIUC in their gymnasium on August 21st.
- The Superintendent attended the August SIPRA meeting at Roxana Park District
- The LIFE Community Center hosted the For Kids Sake art program series that ended on August 14th. This program featured free art classes for kids each weekend in July and the first two weekends in August.



Family Engagement

- Summer Daze mini camps continued in August. 10 children were enrolled in LEGO camp, where they completed a different themed LEGO build each day. The summer camp season ended with Kindergarten camp, where children worked on shapes, letters, and numbers. 5 children were enrolled.
- Virtual programming continued, featuring the CPKD Play Day at Attucks Park. Most activity videos continue to get between 50-100 views. The tour of the Super Splash Park continues to be the most viewed video with over 3,000 views.
- Preschool play days at the Splash Park were held on August 7 with 35 attendees, and the final event was on August 14 with 75 attendees.
- Staff received a lot of positive feedback from families of small children, interested in these events continuing in the future.
- Staff met with the children’s librarian at the Carbondale Public Library to obtain a “story walk” for the CPKD. The first story featured will be “The Mermaid” set up at the Marberry Arboretum.
- Staff attended “back to school nights” at both District 95 and Unity Point to talk about fall programs and events.

Aquatics & Athletics

- Beginning August 16th, we shifted our schedule to the school year schedule where we only are open on the weekends
- Our season ends on Sept. 6th, but we will have a special “Dog Days” program on Sept. 11th in partnership with St. Francis Care Animal Shelter
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Recreation & Outreach

- We ended the summer with Martial Arts Camp and Outdoor Sports Camp with 25 children registered between both weeks.
- During Martial Arts camp, we had 3 one-hour sessions of different martial arts instruction that was taught by our current instructors for our evening classes. They volunteered their time with us and taught incredible lessons!
- Fall programs have been planned with the inclusion of age-friendly programs and teen programs among other new programs and activities.
- A seasonal employment handbook was developed for the recreation part-time staff members.

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM VII - - CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Approval of Meeting Minutes of August 9, 2021 & Open Session Meeting Minutes of August 23, 2021
- B. Approval of Claims List 21-7 July 21' totaling \$356,962.26
- C. Other Business
 - 1. Communications
 - 2. For Your Information
 - 3. Newspaper Articles

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

MINUTES

Carbondale Park District

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS OF THE CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT HELD MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 2021 AT 5:30 PM VIA ZOOM ONLINE MEETING.

ROLL CALL: Upon Roll Call, the following Commissioners were present: Adams, Trimble, Flowers, and Sergeev. Commissioners Absent: Suarez. Staff present; Montgomery, Anderson, Burns, Melzer, Hoesman, Annie Webster, and Legal Counsel, Mike Twomey. Staff Absent: None. Guests Present: None.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: It was moved by Commissioner Adams and seconded by Commissioner Trimble to approve the agenda. Upon roll call vote the following Commissioners voted aye: Adams, Trimble, Flowers, and Sergeev. Commissioners Absent: Suarez. President Sergeev ordered the motion passed.

ACTION TAKEN: The agenda was approved as presented.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS: Commissioner Adams encourages everyone to vote daily until August 31st for the bark for your park grant worth \$25,000 dollars at the site of Carbondale's first dog park.

CITIZENS COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS: None.

REPORT OF PARK DISTRICT DIRECTOR AND DEPARTMENTAL HEADS:

Director's Report:

Interim Executive Director Anderson reports:

- July 12-16-Youth on Course Camp hosted at Hickory Ridge Golf Course
- July 15-Enigineer walk through tour at Life Community Center
- District is gearing up for Halloween and will partner with other area agencies
- Administration to meet with Aaron Gold of Speer Financial August 12
- Administration to meet with Jill Stokes of the Jackson County Clerk's Office

Superintendents' Reports:

SUPERINTENDENT OF RECREATION: Recreation Superintendent Niki Hoesman reports:

- Continuation of land-based fitness programming to include Strength Training and Functional Fitness classes, Aikido, Karate, and Advanced Karate Classes

- Over \$3,600 in revenue was acquired from program fees and facility rentals
- Over \$50,900 in revenue was generated from the Super Splash Park admissions, concessions, season passes, aquatics fitness classes, and swim lessons
- Development of our "Play Day in the Park" pop-up event series that include the following local partners: The Carbondale Public Library, Carbondale Fire Department, Carbondale Police Department, and the SIUC Head Start program

Family Engagement

- Summer Daze mini camps continued in July with full enrollment. The month began with "Arts and Crafts" camp, with 16 different children enrolled. Next was "Space Camp" with 15 children, followed by "Dino Diggers" with 13 children. The month concluded with "Ocean Explorers" with 14 different participants.
- Virtual programming continued with a theme of "Summer Fun". Videos included a tour of Attucks Park and the Splash Pad, homemade popsicles, and "Play day in the park", along with various stories.
- Preschool play days at the Super Splash Park began on July 10, with the park opening early for families with children under the age of 5. Weather put a damper on the first event, but 2 families did attend. The second event was held on July 31st with 33 folks in attendance. We will be offering two more events on August 7th and 14th.
- Park district staff met with staff at Prairie Living to discuss intergenerational programming ideas. With COVID numbers rising again and children unable to be vaccinated, some ideas have been put on hold.

However, we are exploring the idea of a "bike parade" at the facility, where families could decorate bikes, strollers, wagons, etc. and "parade" by the residents at a safe distance

Aquatics & Athletics

- Eight teams (including the Cyclones) competed at our Ice Cream Social Swim Invitational on July 17th. The event ran smoothly and was a great opportunity to showcase our facility and team to swimmers across Southern Illinois.
- The Cyclones head swim coach, November Davison, was selected as the Southern Illinois Swim League All-Star team coach.
- Approximately sixty children have participated in swim lessons this summer at the Super Splash Park through our group and private swim lesson programs.
- The Super Splash Park was featured in a WSILTV article discussing the 600 people who visited the park, Saturday 7/25, to cool off from the summer heat. [Splash Park keeps busy as temps heat up \(wsil.tv.com\)](https://wsil.tv/article/0e4b9e85-3d30-5fb7-9903-ab6e3502b030)

Recreation & Outreach

- Summer Daze camp is in full swing with only a couple of weeks left in our summer.
- We were so proud of our Theatre Camp kids who wrote, directed, and performed their own play at Evergreen Park.
- The Southern interviewed our Theatre Camp kids about their experience. Read the article here: https://thesouthern.com/news/local/carbondale-park-district-s-theater-camp-teaches-kids-how-to-act/article_0e4b9e85-3d30-5fb7-9903-ab6e3502b030.html

- Art Camp was also a blast. Children made giant mosaics, created sculptures, and worked on a yarn unity project that was a temporary installation in the LIFE Center yard. They held an art show on the final day to display all the neat things they have made.

SUPERINTENDENT OF CHILDCARE: Superintendent Burns reports:

JULY 2021 (40 students)

- July 5th-Kids Korner was closed for the 4th of July Holiday.
- Spoke with Jared King, Aquatics Coordinator, at the SIU Rec Center to set up swim lesson for our after-school program during the Fall and Spring semester. We are excited to program with them this year and look forward to continuing to offer swim lessons for the children at Kids Korner.
- Field trips included: Project Human X, The City Museum, Fort Massac, and Lake Glendale.
- Weekly swim trips on Friday's: The Super Splash Park and Poplar Camp Beach at Cedar Lake.
- Enrollment for school year has begun. The after-school program will begin on August 16th the first day of school for District 95.

SUPERINTENDENT OF PARK MAINTENANCE: Superintendent Montgomery shares:

Attucks- The Splash Pad has been routinely maintained Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. The Spirit of Attucks Celebration was held the weekend of July 4th. I sprayed the big ditch and other areas of the park for weed control.

Super Splash Park- We replaced the ring and springs on the volcano plume button on the leisure river. A logic controller has malfunctioned on this feature, and it is on order. The pump that is part of the leisure river has air getting into it and we are investigating this problem.

Kids Korner- Darren and Nick repaired a sink in room number 2

Superblock- Carbondale Jr. Terriers football has begun. We have lined two football fields at the Carbondale Middle School.

We provided porta potties for the Sunset Concerts on July 22 and 29. We also provided tables and trash cans for Carbondale Main Street event on July 9th.

Trash has also been picked up routinely at the parks.

SUPERINTENDENT OF GOLF MAINTENANCE/OPERATIONS: Superintendent Anderson's report to be given during the Executive Director's report.

It was then moved by Commissioner Trimble and seconded by Commissioner Adams to approve the Directors and Departmental reports and place them on file. Upon roll call vote the following Commissioners voted aye: Adams, Trimble, Flowers, and Sergeev. Commissioners Absent: Suarez. President Sergeev ordered the motion passed.

ACTION TAKEN: Director's/Departmental Reports were approved and will be placed on file.

CONSENT AGENDA: It was moved by Commissioner Trimble and seconded by Commissioner Flowers to approve the consent agenda as presented. Upon roll call vote the following Commissioners voted aye: Adams, Trimble, Flowers, and Sergeev. Commissioner's Absent: Suarez. President Sergeev ordered the motion passed.

ACTION TAKEN: Consent agenda was approved as presented.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

DISCUSSION/OSLAD GRANT UPDATES: Interim Director Anderson reports that he will meet with Stephanie Echols of Green Earth on August 16th to gather more knowledge and information regarding ADA accessible paths which she has had much experience with in the past. Asaturian-Eaton is unable to perform the sit survey till Fall of 2021 with entire project being completed by April of 2023. The grant at Evergreen was through the Rebuild Illinois program and was applied for and is to be administered by the City of Carbondale with the District as the joint applicant, that project will begin in the next few weeks. Commissioners ask staff to begin looking for a landmark grant for Hickory Lodge as it is an extremely historical building and has attained landmark status.

DISCUSSION/2021 BOARD/STAFF RETREAT: President Sergeev that the 2021 Board/Staff Retreat date has been scheduled for Tuesday, October 19th at 1:00 p.m. The Retreat will concentrate on a focused approach. The topics for the retreat will be Life Community Center, Strategic Plan, and a shorter discussion focusing on our relationship moving forward with the City of Carbondale.

NEW BUSINESS:

DISCUSSION/DISTRICT COVID-19 PROTOCOLS: Commissioners begin discussing what the District's COVID-19 protocols will look like. Commissioners agree to continue meetings via Zoom for the foreseeable future. Commissioners also discuss future employee policy regarding vaccination/testing protocols as we get into the winter months. After much discussion Commissioners direct Interim Executive Director Anderson to reach out to IAPD for any guidance they can provide as far as other agencies policies during this time. Commissioners also direct Anderson to bring back a COVID protocol policy draft to be reviewed at the September 13th Board meeting.

REPORTS OF PARK DISTRICT CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEES:

Administration and Finance Advisory Committee - - Commissioner Suarez was absent, Interim Executive Director Anderson shares that the committee discussed financials, meeting with Speer Financial, meeting with Jackson County Clerks office, administration is also exploring the possibility of the addition of 2 new levy items (working cash & paving levies).

Child Care Advisory Committee - - Meetings to resume in the September.

Golf Advisory Committee- - Commissioner Adams reports that the Golf Committee did not meet in August and will have a large agenda for September's meeting.

Grounds, Facilities & Recreation Advisory Committee - - Commissioner Trimble shares that the committee discussed dog park rules and proposed field naming, insurance cost associated with the dog park, summer programming, Cyclones Swim Team, Hickory Lodge Christmas light display.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

A. Dog Park Rules/Proposed Naming of Fields

B. Recruitment of Core Volunteer Base

C. Nature Playscape

BOARD COMMENTS: None

EXECUTIVE SESSION: None

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, it was moved by Commissioner Trimble and seconded by Commissioner Adams to adjourn the meeting. Upon roll call, the following Commissioners voted aye: Adams, Trimble, Sergeev, and Flowers. Commissioners Absent: Suarez. President Sergeev ordered the motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:07 P.M.

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
August 23, 2021

The Board of Commissioners of the Carbondale Park District held an Open Session Special Board meeting on August 23, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Commissioners Present: Flowers; Trimble; Sergeev; Suarez; Adams.

Commissioners Absent: None.

Also Present: Attorney Michael R. Twomey and Interim Director Trey Anderson, as noted.

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by President Sergeev.

MOTION TO MOVE EXECUTIVE SESSION TO FIRST AGENDA ITEM AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA WITH SAID CHANGE was made by Commissioner Trimble and seconded by Commissioner Adams. On roll call vote, motion passed, with all Commissioners voting aye.

MOTION TO RECESS INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR DELIBERATIONS CONCERNING SALARY SCHEDULES FOR ONE OR MORE CLASSES OF EMPLOYEES was made by Commissioner Adams and seconded by Commissioner Trimble at 5:36 p.m. On roll call vote, motion passed, with all Commissioners voting aye.

MOTION TO RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION was made by Commissioner Flowers and seconded by Commissioner Trimble. On roll call vote, motion passed, with all Commissioners voting aye at 6:00 p.m.

MOTION TO ADVERTISE THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR POSITION WITH A SALARY RANGE OF \$80,000.00 TO \$95,000.00 WITH RETIREMENT AND MEDICAL PLANS IN ADDITION TO THE SALARY was made by Commissioner Adams and seconded by Commissioner Trimble. On roll call vote, motion passed, with all Commissioners voting aye.

Interim Executive Director Trey Anderson was present in the meeting from this point forward.

Interim Executive Director Anderson and the Board discussed the need for a fund-raising policy to be included in the Park District Policy Manual.

Interim Executive Director Anderson emphasized the need to begin raising funds for renovation of Hickory Lodge.

Board discussion held concerning the need for a fund-raising policy at this point or whether discussion should be limited to fund-raising for Hickory Lodge. It was determined that the discussion would focus on fund-raising for Hickory Lodge.

Commissioner Suarez requested that the fund-raising policies of Giant City and The Refuge be obtained for examination.

Interim Executive Director Anderson noted he has received an estimate of \$15,000.00 for the cost of Christmas lights for the Lodge and the grounds. He is going to itemize the options available to the District for a smaller, less expensive lighting package.

The Christmas lighting could be done in conjunction with an event at Hickory Lodge. Commissioner Adams suggested the event be called "Hometown Holidays".

Commissioner Suarez suggested that an exclusive sponsorship could be awarded to the donor of \$20,000.00 or more. Commissioner Adams suggested a minimum of \$10,000.00 in order to be designated as a sponsor for the Christmas lighting of the Lodge and grounds.

Commissioner Suarez requested a list of donors by October 15, 2021 so that an amount available to the District can be determined or whether this project will have to be moved to 2022.

Discussion of Dog Park Rules was tabled to a future agenda. No discussion was held.

MOTION TO ADJOURN FROM OPEN SESSION was made by Vice-President Flowers and seconded by Commissioner Trimble. On roll call vote, motion passed, with all Commissioners voting aye at 6:43 p.m.

Carbondale Park District

By: _____
Its Attorney

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT
CLAIMS LIST 21-7
JULY '21

ADMINISTRATION

AMEREN	Electric Utilities	ADMINISTRATION	233.35
AMEREN	Gas Utilities	ADMINISTRATION	131.72
AMSTERDAM PRINTING	Office Supplies	ADMINISTRATION	159.37
Barrett Twomey Broom Hughes & Hoke LLP	Legal and Accounting Fees	ADMINISTRATION	1,781.50
Carbondale Chamber of Commerce	Dues and Subscriptions	ADMINISTRATION	230.00
Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	ADMINISTRATION	49.50
Card Service Center	Background check	ADMINISTRATION	347.65
Card Service Center	Dues and Subscriptions	ADMINISTRATION	109.64
Clearwave	Fax/Modem	ADMINISTRATION	299.00
Clearwave	Telephone Expense	ADMINISTRATION	37.76
COAST TO COAST COMPUTER PRODUCTS	Office Supplies	ADMINISTRATION	809.88
Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division, LLC	Gas Utilities	ADMINISTRATION	199.54
DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	Leases	ADMINISTRATION	45.71
Egyptian Electric Cooperative Association	Electric Utilities	ADMINISTRATION	71.76
Frontier	Telephone Expense	ADMINISTRATION	60.14
Mayer Networks	Contractor Fees	ADMINISTRATION	498.00
Modern Office Connections	Office Supplies	ADMINISTRATION	120.00
Morgan & Guthman, LLC	Legal and Accounting Fees	ADMINISTRATION	700.00
PLP Battery Supply	Building Repairs/Maintenar	ADMINISTRATION	14.95
Powernet	Telephone Expense	ADMINISTRATION	33.70
Sam's Mastercard	Dues and Subscriptions	ADMINISTRATION	906.21
Sam's Mastercard	Food/Provisions	ADMINISTRATION	30.00
Sam's Mastercard	Interest	ADMINISTRATION	51.24
Sam's Mastercard	Meeting Expense	ADMINISTRATION	66.91
Sam's Mastercard	Office Supplies	ADMINISTRATION	83.75
Verizon Wireless	Telephone Expense	ADMINISTRATION	38.01
Wages & Benefits	July '21	ADMINISTRATION	18,149.41
Walmart Community	Office Supplies	ADMINISTRATION	123.49
WENDY SCHOOF	Office Supplies	ADMINISTRATION	46.91
			25,429.10

ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE

AMEREN	Electric Utilities	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	582.75
AMEREN	Gas Utilities	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	58.67
Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	735.26
Card Service Center	Building Repairs/Maintenar	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	47.82
Card Service Center	Equipment Parts/Repairs	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	56.08
Card Service Center	Office Supplies	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	28.87
Egyptian Electric Cooperative Association	Electric Utilities	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	806.12
EZ Rental	Fuel/Lubricants	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	28.60
FISHER'S WELDING & RADIATOR REPAIR	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	140.00
Hines Oil Company, Inc.	Fuel/Lubricants	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	752.94

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT**CLAIMS LIST 21-7****JULY '21****ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE CONTINUED**

Holt's Tire & Auto Center	Equipment Parts/Repairs	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	129.85
Home Depot Pro	Janitorial Supplies	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	52.59
Midwest Pottyhouse	Rentals	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	480.00
Murdale Ace Hardware	Building Repairs/Maintenar	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	64.74
Murdale Ace Hardware	Shop Supplies/Small Tools	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	110.95
NAPA AUTO PARTS	Equipment Parts/Repairs	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	110.85
NAPA AUTO PARTS	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	42.03
Republic Services #734	Maintenance Contracts	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	293.16
RURAL KING	Fertilizer	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	20.97
RURAL KING	Fuel/Lubricants	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	77.46
RURAL KING	Janitorial Supplies	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	246.85
RURAL KING	Shop Supplies/Small Tools	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	15.97
South Highway Water District	Water Utilities	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	206.50
SYDENSTRICKER NOBBE	Equipment Parts/Repairs	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	202.87
Wages & Benefits	July '21	ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE	22,388.26
			27,680.16

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Wages & Benefits	July '21	COMMUNITY SERVICE	1,522.59
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GOLF MAINTENANCE

ADVANCED TURF SOLUTIONS	Chemicals	GOLF MAINTENANCE	310.56
AMEREN	Gas Utilities	GOLF MAINTENANCE	57.39
Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	GOLF MAINTENANCE	96.93
CEDAR RAPIDS TIRE	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	220.57
Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division, LLC	Gas Utilities	GOLF MAINTENANCE	200.16
Egyptian Electric Cooperative Association	Electric Utilities	GOLF MAINTENANCE	1,522.87
ERB Turf Equipment, Inc.	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	70.87
Hines Oil Company, Inc.	Fuel/Lubricants	GOLF MAINTENANCE	1,423.89
Midwest Pottyhouse	Rentals	GOLF MAINTENANCE	316.00
MTI Distributing Inc	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	351.82
Murdale Ace Hardware	Shop Supplies/Small Tools	GOLF MAINTENANCE	74.19
NAPA AUTO PARTS	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	231.24
R&R PRODUCTS	Irrigation/Drainage Supply	GOLF MAINTENANCE	23.25
R&R PRODUCTS	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	966.11
Republic Services #732	Maintenance Contracts	GOLF MAINTENANCE	145.45
RURAL KING	Building Repairs/Maintenar	GOLF MAINTENANCE	68.77
RURAL KING	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	149.98
Sam's Mastercard	Building Repairs/Maintenar	GOLF MAINTENANCE	108.26
Sam's Mastercard	Equipment Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	292.97
Sam's Mastercard	Janitorial Supplies	GOLF MAINTENANCE	7.07
Sam's Mastercard	Shop Supplies/Small Tools	GOLF MAINTENANCE	208.94

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT**CLAIMS LIST 21-7****JULY '21****GOLF MAINTENANCE CONTINUED**

Sam's Mastercard	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	GOLF MAINTENANCE	269.73
Site One Landscaping Supply	Chemicals	GOLF MAINTENANCE	1,244.06
Sports Turf Irrigation	Irrigation/Drainage Supply	GOLF MAINTENANCE	706.00
TORO NSN	Computer Equipment/Softv	GOLF MAINTENANCE	340.00
Wages & Benefits	July '21	GOLF MAINTENANCE	28,252.35
			37,659.43

GOLF OPERATIONS

ACUSHNET COMPANY	Golf Shop Supplies	GOLF OPERATIONS	1,700.73
AMEREN	Gas Utilities	GOLF OPERATIONS	61.80
Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	GOLF OPERATIONS	22.64
Clearwave	Fax/Modem	GOLF OPERATIONS	299.00
Clearwave	Telephone Expense	GOLF OPERATIONS	75.52
Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division, LLC	Gas Utilities	GOLF OPERATIONS	207.35
CountyTele	Maintenance Contracts	GOLF OPERATIONS	45.00
Egyptian Electric Cooperative Association	Electric Utilities	GOLF OPERATIONS	1,283.65
GOLF NOW Fees	Bank Charges	GOLF OPERATIONS	200.00
Home City Ice	Concession Supplies	GOLF OPERATIONS	322.45
Illinois Department of Revenue	Sales Tax Expense	GOLF OPERATIONS	1,052.00
Koerner Distributor Inc.	BEER/LIQUOR	GOLF OPERATIONS	202.00
Murdale Ace Hardware	Building Repairs/Maintenar	GOLF OPERATIONS	1.18
Pepsi MidAmerica	Concession Supplies	GOLF OPERATIONS	386.40
Powernet	Telephone Expense	GOLF OPERATIONS	25.12
Republic Services #733	Maintenance Contracts	GOLF OPERATIONS	177.52
SEAFOOD SPECIALTIES	Food/Provisions	GOLF OPERATIONS	375.75
Spires Wholesale	KITCHEN SUPPLIES	GOLF OPERATIONS	74.80
Staples Credit Plan	Office Supplies	GOLF OPERATIONS	101.95
Terminix International	Maintenance Contracts	GOLF OPERATIONS	81.00
Venegoni Distributing Inc.	BEER/LIQUOR	GOLF OPERATIONS	1,100.35
Verizon Wireless	Telephone Expense	GOLF OPERATIONS	5.75
Wages & Benefits	July '21	GOLF OPERATIONS	18,435.44
Walmart Community	Concession Supplies	GOLF OPERATIONS	27.40
Walmart Community	Food/Provisions	GOLF OPERATIONS	210.14
Walmart Community	Office Supplies	GOLF OPERATIONS	87.78
Walmart Community	Program Supplies	GOLF OPERATIONS	39.68
			26,602.40

KIDS KORNER

AMEREN	Electric Utilities	KIDS KORNER	361.53
AMEREN	Gas Utilities	KIDS KORNER	65.41
Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	KIDS KORNER	158.26
Card Service Center	Dues and Subscriptions	KIDS KORNER	64.00
Card Service Center	Food/Provisions	KIDS KORNER	107.25

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT**CLAIMS LIST 21-7****JULY '21****KIDS KORNER CONTINUED**

Card Service Center	Program Supplies	KIDS KORNER	38.57
CDHS BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION UNIT	Background check	KIDS KORNER	35.00
Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division, LLC	Gas Utilities	KIDS KORNER	208.48
DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	Leases	KIDS KORNER	45.71
Fresh Foods	Food/Provisions	KIDS KORNER	247.65
Frontier	Fax/Modem	KIDS KORNER	71.87
Frontier	Telephone Expense	KIDS KORNER	42.38
Hines Oil Company, Inc.	Fuel/Lubricants	KIDS KORNER	32.84
Home Depot Pro	Janitorial Supplies	KIDS KORNER	172.62
John and Amy Eaton	Kid Korner Fees	KIDS KORNER	525.00
KIM REESE	Food/Provisions	KIDS KORNER	70.07
Lowe's	Building Repairs/Maintenar	KIDS KORNER	243.13
MID AMERICA SERVICE	Equipment Parts/Repairs	KIDS KORNER	100.00
Modern Office Connections	Office Supplies	KIDS KORNER	120.00
Powernet	Telephone Expense	KIDS KORNER	23.37
ROBINSON TRANSPORT, INC.	Field Trip Expense	KIDS KORNER	400.00
RURAL KING	Vehicle Parts/Repairs	KIDS KORNER	7.99
Sam's Mastercard	Field Trip Expense	KIDS KORNER	333.00
Sam's Mastercard	Food/Provisions	KIDS KORNER	64.79
SIUC STUDENT CENTER CRAFT SHOP	Field Trip Expense	KIDS KORNER	195.00
Staples Credit Plan	Office Supplies	KIDS KORNER	160.83
Telefunds Fund Raising LLC	Fundraiser	KIDS KORNER	1,098.00
Wages & Benefits	July '21	KIDS KORNER	25,754.27
Walmart Community	Food/Provisions	KIDS KORNER	1,653.46
Walmart Community	Janitorial Supplies	KIDS KORNER	80.48
Walmart Community	Program Supplies	KIDS KORNER	268.57
WSIU	Advertising/Promotion	KIDS KORNER	150.00
			32,899.53

LEARNING TREE

Active Network LLC	Bank Charges	LEARNING TREE	347.35
DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	Leases	LEARNING TREE	45.71
Wages & Benefits	July '21	LEARNING TREE	8,860.12
Walmart Community	Food/Provisions	LEARNING TREE	2.68
Walmart Community	Program Supplies	LEARNING TREE	34.82
WSIU	Advertising/Promotion	LEARNING TREE	150.00
			9,440.68

PARK MAINTENANCE

Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	PARK MAINTENANCE	19.27
Card Service Center	Athletic Field Supplies	PARK MAINTENANCE	269.33
Card Service Center	Postage/Freight	PARK MAINTENANCE	59.00
Clearwave	Fax/Modem	PARK MAINTENANCE	299.00

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT
CLAIMS LIST 21-7
JULY '21

PARK MAINTENANCE CONTINUED

Clearwave	Telephone Expense	PARK MAINTENANCE	12.76
Coleman Lawn Equipment	Safety/First Aid Supplies	PARK MAINTENANCE	150.00
Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division, LLC	Gas Utilities	PARK MAINTENANCE	195.32
CountyTele	Maintenance Contracts	PARK MAINTENANCE	40.44
Direct Energy Business	Electric Utilities	PARK MAINTENANCE	562.91
Hines Oil Company, Inc.	Fuel/Lubricants	PARK MAINTENANCE	370.85
Home Depot Pro	Paint/Supplies	PARK MAINTENANCE	621.36
Lowe's	Building Repairs/Maintenar	PARK MAINTENANCE	25.61
Murdale Ace Hardware	Building Repairs/Maintenar	PARK MAINTENANCE	7.14
Murdale Ace Hardware	Paint/Supplies	PARK MAINTENANCE	43.14
NAPA AUTO PARTS	Equipment Parts/Repairs	PARK MAINTENANCE	157.31
Powernet	Telephone Expense	PARK MAINTENANCE	30.25
RURAL KING	Athletic Field Supplies	PARK MAINTENANCE	51.98
RURAL KING	Building Repairs/Maintenar	PARK MAINTENANCE	87.93
RURAL KING	Equipment Parts/Repairs	PARK MAINTENANCE	7.74
SYDENSTRICKER NOBBE	Equipment Parts/Repairs	PARK MAINTENANCE	253.27
Wages & Benefits	July '21	PARK MAINTENANCE	29,211.36
			32,475.97

RECREATION

ADAM BRITTON	Rec Program Fees	RECREATION	187.50
AMEREN	Electric Utilities	RECREATION	611.54
AMEREN	Gas Utilities	RECREATION	565.00
ASHLEY DICKERSON	Facility Rental	RECREATION	188.00
B & J Computers Inc	Contractor Fees	RECREATION	52.50
Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	RECREATION	38.11
Card Services	Field Trip Expense	RECREATION	77.50
Card Services	Office Supplies	RECREATION	69.21
Card Services	Program Supplies	RECREATION	838.31
Card Services	Training and Travel	RECREATION	320.00
CAROL LILLY	Park Equipment/Garden Re	RECREATION	75.00
Clearwave	Fax/Modem	RECREATION	299.00
Clearwave	Telephone Expense	RECREATION	76.82
Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division, LLC	Gas Utilities	RECREATION	488.03
CountyTele	Maintenance Contracts	RECREATION	60.00
DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	Leases	RECREATION	45.70
Ed Burris Disposal Service LLC	Maintenance Contracts	RECREATION	77.00
Elizabeth Dickson-Ashley	Contractor Fees	RECREATION	200.00
ERIN ASHLEY	Contractor Fees	RECREATION	175.00
Fresh Foods	Food/Provisions	RECREATION	26.78
Herrin Tiger Sharks	CO-OP Program Expense	RECREATION	300.00
Hines Oil Company, Inc.	Fuel/Lubricants	RECREATION	183.07

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT**CLAIMS LIST 21-7****JULY '21****RECREATION CONTINUED**

Lowe's	Building Repairs/Maintenar	RECREATION	15.16
Marion Marlins Swim Team	CO-OP Program Expense	RECREATION	625.00
MICHAEL MUZINICH	Rec Program Fees	RECREATION	2,062.50
Murdale Ace Hardware	Misc Supplies	RECREATION	4.76
PARAMITA MUKHERJEE	Aquatic Fees	RECREATION	44.10
SALEM SWIM TEAM	CO-OP Program Expense	RECREATION	380.00
SHANNON ROGERS	Facility Rental	RECREATION	94.00
STILES OFFICE SOLUTIONS, INC	Contractor Fees	RECREATION	83.16
Terminix International	Maintenance Contracts	RECREATION	93.00
Wages & Benefits	July '21	RECREATION	52,232.31
Walmart Community	Food/Provisions	RECREATION	45.02
Walmart Community	Janitorial Supplies	RECREATION	92.63
Walmart Community	Program Supplies	RECREATION	443.99
Walmart Community	Safety/First Aid Supplies	RECREATION	11.35
Walmart Community	SWIM TEAM SUPPLIES	RECREATION	196.00
			61,377.05

SUPER SPLASH PARK

AMEREN	Electric Utilities	SUPER SPLASH PARK	4,285.57
AMEREN	Gas Utilities	SUPER SPLASH PARK	65.98
Carbondale Water & Sewer	Water Utilities	SUPER SPLASH PARK	2,897.76
CARD SERVICES	Program Supplies	SUPER SPLASH PARK	69.00
CARD SERVICES	Training and Travel	SUPER SPLASH PARK	80.00
CINTAS	Insepection Fee	SUPER SPLASH PARK	708.10
COOL SPOONS FROZEN YOGURT	Concession Supplies	SUPER SPLASH PARK	321.25
DIMENSIONAL SECURITY SYSTEMS	Contractor Fees	SUPER SPLASH PARK	180.00
Ed Burris Disposal Service LLC	Maintenance Contracts	SUPER SPLASH PARK	132.00
Joann Helvey	Room & Pool Rental	SUPER SPLASH PARK	188.00
Kim's Ice Cream LLC	Concession Supplies	SUPER SPLASH PARK	5,046.00
Lowe's	Building Repairs/Maintenar	SUPER SPLASH PARK	105.98
Lowe's	Equipment Parts/Repairs	SUPER SPLASH PARK	7.59
Lowe's	Program Supplies	SUPER SPLASH PARK	113.39
Mediacom Business	Fax/Modem	SUPER SPLASH PARK	114.95
Mediacom Business	Telephone Expense	SUPER SPLASH PARK	180.11
Midwest Pool Management	Contractor Fees	SUPER SPLASH PARK	81,550.00
Murdale Ace Hardware	Building Repairs/Maintenar	SUPER SPLASH PARK	27.98
Murdale Ace Hardware	Equipment Replacement	SUPER SPLASH PARK	189.98
Murdale Ace Hardware	Shop Supplies/Small Tools	SUPER SPLASH PARK	24.52
Pepsi MidAmerica	Concession Supplies	SUPER SPLASH PARK	4,865.93
Ronald Clark	Program Supplies	SUPER SPLASH PARK	249.38
Splashtacular	Equipment Parts/Repairs	SUPER SPLASH PARK	194.00
Thomas Security Industries	Repairs and Maintenance	SUPER SPLASH PARK	200.00

**CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT
CLAIMS LIST 21-7
JULY '21**

SUPER SPLASH PARK CONTINUED

Verizon Wireless	Telephone Expense	SUPER SPLASH PARK	77.88
			<u>101,875.35</u>
	<u>CLAIMS LIST 21-7 SUMMARY</u>		
ADMINISTRATION			25,429.10
ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE			27,680.16
COMMUNITY SERVICE			1,522.59
GOLF MAINTENANCE			37,659.43
GOLF OPERATIONS			26,602.40
KIDS KORNER			32,899.53
LEARNING TREE			9,440.68
PARK MAINTENANCE			32,475.97
RECREATION			61,377.05
SUPER SPLASH PARK			<u>101,875.35</u>
			<u>\$ 356,962.26</u>

The Southern

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Martial Arts Camp Summer Daze:

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Aug. 13, 9 p.m., LIFE Community Center, 2500 W. Sunset Drive, Carbondale. Our Karate and Mushin Jujitsu senseis will provide morning instruction, and our recreation staff will make sure you stay active in the afternoons swimming and playing games. This camp is for martial artists of all skill sets. For children grade 1-6. Guided by American Red Cross Certified Staff. Campers should bring a swimsuit and towel, sunscreen and bug spray, a water bottle and lunch everyday. Afternoon snack will be provided. Children should wear clothes that can get dirty and comfortable shoes that they can wear while running and hiking. Camp will run from 8 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Before and after care is available for an additional fee. A weekly newsletter will give parents and campers an idea of what to expect each week. 618-

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GUEST VIEW

Help Carbondale build the best dog park in the region!

Carbondale has been selected as a finalist in the PetSafe "Bark for Your Park" grant competition. We are among 20 cities from across the US that are competing for the \$25,000 grant. The 5 winning cities will be selected based on the number of votes they receive.

You can vote once a day, every day, until August 31 at <https://barkforyourpark.petsafe.com/locations/carbondale-il/>

You don't have to live in Carbondale. You can vote from anywhere in the world, so send along the URL to friends and family!

Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks, as 501(c)(3) nonprofit, has pledged to build the park entirely through public support—without using tax money. The Carbondale Park District has designated 2 1/2 acres in Parrish Park, next to the Life Center, 2500 Sunset Drive, for the dog park.

We have been blessed with local businesses and unions who have donated their time and money. Arthur Agency designed our logo and signs; Thad Heckman created our concept drawing; John A. Logan Construction Program has begun building the ADA friendly walkway and shelter; The Egyptian Board of Realtors provided the water foun-

tains; Asaturian Eton has been invaluable for surveying and site engineering; E.T. Simonds and Mark Mathis Excavating handled site prep; the Plumbers UA Local 160 apprenticeship program is set to install the water and spray fountains; Indian Creek Kennel, Pure Pet, and Banterra Bank are donating benches; and Greenridge Landscaping has pledged to install boulders and other landscaping. Carbondale and Murphysboro Walgreens have also given grants.

Contributions from individuals total over \$40,000 and include major donations from Glenn and Jo Poshard, Dr. John Poulos, Jeff Franklin and Darrell Bryant, and anonymous donors who contributed spray fountains and named the small and large dog fields. The public outpouring of support has proven what a generous and supportive community we have in Carbondale.

We intend to build the best and most well-designed space for dogs to run and play—and for their owners to enjoy—at no cost to those who use the facility.

If Carbondale wins the votes, the \$25,000 grant will allow us to do the following:

Install 5-foot high fencing surrounding the 2-1/2 acre park with large and small dog fields, three Sally-port entries, and two

maintenance gates; create agility equipment in the dog fields that includes natural features such as boulders and tree stumps; erect signage for the park, including rules signs at each entrance, donor recognition station, and educational signage; build an activity/event area outside the east gate; and plant beautiful, ecologically-beneficial native landscaping to screen the park from the nearby school yard and soccer fields.

Please join us as Carbondale continues to build the best facilities in the region for our friends, neighbors, and pets. We welcome individual contributions and urge you to "BARK FOR YOUR PARK"!

For more information about the dog park, visit <https://cdale-dogparks.org> and <https://www.facebook.com/cdaledogparks>.

Jane Adams

Kirsten Trimble

Sara Eynon

Gail Robinson

Nancy Cotton

Marty Merrill

Lee Fronabarger

Members of Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks Board

Anna Marie Aumiller is a support service worker at the Anna Vets Home and President of AFSCME LOCAL 3280

To all of the Golf Camp
Team,

My grandson, Justice
Whitaker, attended your golf
camp last week. He loved
it! He couldn't stop talking
about all ~~the~~ that he was
learning!

We certainly enjoyed watch-
ing him "show off" his skills
on Friday night.

Thank you so much for
all of your hard work with
these new golfers!
Justice was so excited about
the clubs, the hot, and his
red shirt... wore it every
day!! The day he won the

not your

cup for putting well more
more stop excitement!

This program is excellent,
and I will certainly be
telling people about it.

Sammy Whitacre

8/9/21

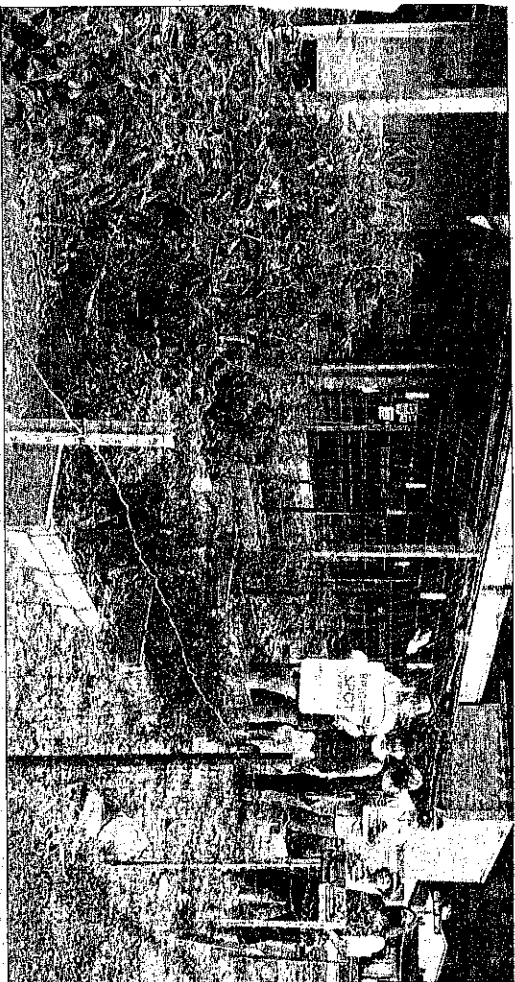
Dear Tom,

Just wanted to say
a big THANK you for all
you did to make Saturday
a special day for my
special guy, Scott Miller.
It really was nice &
my family & I really
appreciate what a nice
event & place it was.

Warm Regards,

Mark Miller
+

family



COURTESY OF ANNE KRIPPENSTAPFEL

The garden at Kids Korner has been recognized with a Bright Spot Award from Keep Carbonale Beautiful.

Kids Korner garden wins Bright Spot Award

SUBMITTED BY ANNE KRIPPENSTAPFEL
KEEP CARBONDALE BEAUTIFUL

August's Keep Carbonale Beautiful Business Bright Spot Award has gone to Kids Korner, located 101 N. Glenview Dr. Specifically, the garden caught the eye of many locals. Superintendent of Children and Director Katy Burns started the garden in a small side corner of the front of the building. It was an auspicious beginning, starting plants from seeds with kids and needing a place to grow those little plants.

"Growing food is important and teaching kids where our food comes from is so valuable," Burns said. In a short 3 years, the blank grass strip in front of the building has turned into an interagency, inter-generational, collaborative sustenance education project. As this outdoor classroom

grew, a grant by Illinois Association of Parks Districts called "Powerplay," centered on health, nutrition and fitness, was awarded to the Carbonale Park District to buy the garden tools and equipment. The U of I Extension and the Master Gardeners of Jackson County got involved to support the day-to-day needs of the garden, which frees up time for the instructors at Kids Korner.

This partnership with U of I Extension donates to local food pantries. Some of the produce stays at Kids Korner, and some goes to the Good Samaritan House and local church donation sites.

Raised box bed gardens host a wide variety of vegetables and herbs. Towering, colorful heirloom tomato plants, verdant pepper and fragrant basil sprawl

all over the box maze garden that is indisputably bringing childhood magic and memories to the children attending Kids Korner. Burns recounts a favorite part of the garden, "hearing parents say, they don't eat vegetables at home, and then watching a kid pick a tomato off a plant is really fulfilling as an educator."

The Keep Carbonale Beautiful Board selects businesses or residences to receive the Bright Spot Award for enhancing the beauty of the community by means of revitalization of property, new construction, plantings and beautification, upkeep and maintenance, or rehabilitation.

To nominate a business or residence to receive the Award, call the Keep Carbonale Beautiful office at 525-5525 or email keepcb1326@gmail.com.

Carbondale closer to getting new dog park

THE SOUTHERN

CARBONDALE — The nonprofit behind the city's first dog park says Carbondale has been selected for a \$25,000 grant to help fund the project.

Numerous cities or towns had been battling it out over the past month to win the grant in a competition put on by PetSafe, a global leader in pet product solutions.

"Our small town came in third place (out of 5), a testament to the way Southern Illinoisans pull together for worthy causes. FCDP is deeply grateful to everyone who voted for the dog park. It's your park too!" Jane Adams, executive board president for Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks, said in a news release.

The "Bark For Your Park" contest ran from Aug. 3 through Aug. 31.

This grant will allow Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks to complete the 2 1/2 acre dog park that is under construction at Parrish Park, 2500 W. Sunset Drive, in Carbondale, according to the release.

The completed dog park will have an ADA friendly walkway from the parking lot to the shelter, small and large dog fields

with a water fountain and spray fountain in each field, three "sally port" entry gates as well as maintenance gates, a boulder field and other play features, an event area outside the east gate, and landscaping to screen the dog park from the Parrish School playground and adjacent soccer fields.

Carbondale's dog park will highlight natural features such as boulders, tree stumps, and beautiful, ecologically-beneficial native landscaping to screen the park from the nearby school yard and soccer field, the group has said.

Nonprofit leaders have long said Carbondale's first dog park would not have been possible if not for generous donors.

Adams previously told The Southern the park will be the largest dog park in the region, and one of the only few with water fountains.

"Through the generous support of the community, the Parrish Park dog park is being built without use of any tax money," she said.

John A. Logan's Construction program is building the walkway

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BYRON HETZLER, THE SOUTHERN

Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks announced on Thursday that Carbondale has won a \$25,000 grant to help fund the city's first dog park.

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The Egyptian Board of Realtors donated the water fountains; the City of Carbondale laid the water lines; Pure Pet and shelter; the Plumbers Union Apprenticeship Program will install the fountains; Asaturian Eaton has provided surveying and site engineering; Arthur Agency provided design work; Thad Heckman, Architect, created the concept drawings; and E.T. Simonds and Mark Mathis Excavating prepared the site.

The nonprofit is working with the Carbondale Park District to maintain the park, which the district will own and insure. The FCDP was incorporated as a 501 (c) 3 organization in the spring of 2017.

The group's "wish list" can be found on Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks website <https://cdaledogparks.org/donate/>.

More information about the local project can be found at cdaledogparks.org and on Facebook.

Carbondale closer to getting new dog park.

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM VIII - - NEW BUSINESS

A. Discussion/Approval Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks Proposed Field Naming

Staff Recommends Approval

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____



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*Chair, Construction
Committee*

September 3, 2021

To the Park District Board:

As a non-profit 501-3C organization, Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks has a donor naming rights policy. Recently, two donors, Jo and Glen Poshard and Kirsten Trimble, have qualified for those naming rights. We intend to have 2 separate areas within the dog park, specifically a large dog field and a small dog field area. Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks is seeking Park District approval to name the large field Jane Adams Field and the small dog field Rusland Field.

We appreciate your attention to this request and look forward to your response.

Thank you,



Gail Robinson, Secretary

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM VIII - - NEW BUSINESS

B. Discussion/Approval FCDP Rules

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

WELCOME TO THE DOG PARK!

We want everyone to have a happy, safe experience while at the dog park.

Courtesy is contagious!

PLEASE abide by these rules so all dogs and humans can enjoy this park.

HEY, DOGS!

1. **Aggressive dogs are prohibited.** Dogs displaying aggression must be removed immediately.
2. Dogs must be @ least 4 months old.
3. Spayed/neutered dogs are highly recommended. **INTACT MALES** are to be monitored closely for any problems. **FEMALES IN HEAT** are prohibited.
4. Dogs must be leashed outside of the dog park and unleashed inside the park.
5. No dogs without people and no people without dogs allowed in the park.
6. Dogs that bark excessively must be quieted or removed from the park.
7. Dogs should wear flat collars of nylon, leather, etc. No chain, spike, harness, or metal collars allowed.
8. Dogs must be up to date on all rabies and vaccinations. Dogs should wear their license and rabies tags on their collars. No sick or injured dogs allowed.
9. Dogs **OVER** 30-35 pounds (Large Dogs) **ARE NOT ALLOWED** in the Small Dog area, if Small Dogs are present. Dogs **UNDER** 30-35 pounds (Small Dogs) **SHOULD USE** the Small Dog area. Small Dogs that enter the Large Dog area do so at their own risk. If a problem occurs, the small dog must be removed.

HEY, HUMANS!

1. **Owners are legally and financially responsible for injuries or damages caused by their dog(s).** Guests assume all the risks when entering the dog park. **PAY ATTENTION** to your dog's behavior at all times.
2. Owners must pick up and properly dispose of their dog's poop. Bags are provided. Help keep our park clean.
3. Owners must make sure gates close when entering and exiting the park.
4. Owners must be inside the park with their dogs.
5. Owners must stop dogs from digging. Fill in holes made by your dog.
6. Owners are allowed up to 3 dogs at the same time.
7. No children under 8 allowed in the park. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.
8. Owners are not allowed to bring alcohol, tobacco, glass containers or **FOOD** (human or dog treats) into the park.
9. Owners are to closely monitor rough play and be ready to remove their dog if it escalates.
10. Owners who disobey or ignore the rules regarding usage of the park will be asked to leave the park and may be suspended from the park.

All rules and regulations are in place to protect all people and dogs visiting the park, as well as promote responsible dog ownership in our community. Healthy, well-socialized and exercised dogs not only make great family members, but great neighbors too.

If you have any concerns, questions, suggestions, or complaints regarding the park, please email the Friends of Carbondale Dog Parks at: *(new separate email here?)*

Any park users who encounter a problem with either an owner or a dog that cannot be resolved should contact:

1. Carbondale Animal Control at 618-457-3200 ext. 424
2. In case of an emergency call 911.

ENJOY THE PARK!



CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM VIII - - NEW BUSINESS

C. Discussion/Approval Nature Playscape

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM VIII - - NEW BUSINESS

D. Discussion/Approval to Solicit Bids for Proposed General Obligation
Bond Sale

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM IX- - UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Discussion/Approval Koppers Memorial Maintenance Agreement

Original Agreement Enclosed

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

Maintenance Agreement

Between

The Carbondale Park District

And

The Koppers Memorial Project

Parties

This Maintenance Agreement ("Agreement"), dated February XX, 2021, is made between the Carbondale Park District at 1115 W Sycamore St, Carbondale, Illinois 62901 ("Contractor") and the Koppers Memorial Project ("Client"). The Koppers Memorial Project is a coalition consisting of Praise Central Church of Deliverance, Inc. at 400 E Jackson St, Carbondale, Illinois 62901, and Concerned Citizens of Carbondale, an ad hoc community organization in Carbondale, Illinois, and Carbondale Spring, an ad hoc community organization in Carbondale, Illinois.

In consideration of the mutual promises and covenants in this Agreement, of which the receipt and sufficiency are hereby acknowledged, the Parties further agree to the terms as follows:

Services Provided

The Contractor agrees to perform and complete the following maintenance services and tasks ("Services") at the selected site located in Attucks Park at 800 N Wall St, Carbondale, Illinois 62901 ("Property") according to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement:

- Contractor performs grounds maintenance, set by the standards of the Contractor, around the physical Memorial.
- Client performs maintenance, set by the standards of the Client, of the physical memorial.

Terms and Conditions

- Service Term

This Agreement shall be effective in perpetuity, starting on March 31, 2021 ("Term").

- Service Fee and Payment Process

Neither the Contractor nor the Client is due payment for rendered Services.

- Termination

The Contractor and Client can terminate this Agreement at any time if the other Party has been negligent to the duties and obligations. A written notice shall be sent to both Parties addressing the current issues with work management, plans, schedules, or other concerns.

- Liabilities

The Contractor shall be held responsible and liable for any damages or losses incurred during the Services conducted by the representative(s). Furthermore, the Contractor shall replace or otherwise make whole the damaged property or equipment.

The Client shall be held responsible and liable for any damages or losses incurred during the Services conducted by the representative(s). Furthermore, the Client shall replace or otherwise make whole the damaged property or equipment.

- Confidentiality

Neither the Contractor nor the Client are held to standards of confidentiality.

- Governing Law

This Agreement shall be governed by the applicable laws in the State of Illinois where the undersigned Parties currently reside.

Signature

Signature

Name

Name

Organization

Organization

Date Signed

Date Signed

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM IX- - UNFINISHED BUSINESS

B. Discussion/Approval COVID-19 Protocols

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM X- - REPORT OF PARK DISTRICT CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- A. Administration & Finance Advisory Committee - - Steve Schauwecker, Chair.
Carmen Suarez, Commissioner.
- B. Child Care Advisory Committee - -Meetings to resume in Fall - -Carl
Flowers, Commissioner.
- C. Golf Advisory Committee - - Chuck Vaught, Chair; Jane Adams, Commissioner.
- D. Grounds, Facilities & Recreation Advisory Committee - - Kirsten Trimble,
Commissioner.

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By:_____ 2nd By:_____

ROLL CALL:

Adams_____ Flowers_____ Trimble_____

Sergeev_____ Suarez_____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM XI - - FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

A. Policy Manual Final Revisions

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By:_____ 2nd By:_____

ROLL CALL:

Adams_____ Flowers_____ Trimble_____

Sergeev_____ Suarez_____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM XII - - BOARD COMMENTS

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM XIII- - EXECUTIVE SESSION

It is requested that the Board recess the meeting to go into Executive Session in accordance with 5 ILCS 120/2(c)

- 11) Litigation, when an action against, affecting, or on behalf of the particular public body has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal, or when the public body finds that an action is probable or imminent, in which case the basis for the finding shall be recorded and entered into the minutes of the closed meeting.

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By: _____ 2nd By: _____

ROLL CALL:

Adams _____ Flowers _____ Trimble _____

Sergeev _____ Suarez _____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM XIV - - CONSIDERATION TO RECONEVE TO PUBLIC SESSION OF MEETING

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By:_____2nd By:_____

ROLL CALL:

Adams_____ Flowers_____ Trimble_____

Sergeev_____ Suarez_____

CARBONDALE PARK DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

SUMMARY OF REQUESTED ACTION

AGENDA ITEM XV - - ADJOURNMENT

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Park Commissioner will be held:

Monday, October 11, 2021

Carbondale Park District's

Board of Commissioners

VIA ZOOM ONLINE MEETING

<https://zoom.us/j/9031181650>

PASSWORD-1650

MEETING ID- 903 118 1650

5:30

BOARD ACTION:

Motion By:_____ 2nd By:_____

ROLL CALL:

Adams_____

Flowers_____

Trimble_____

Sergeev_____

Suarez_____