

CITY OF ROCK ISLAND
PARK BOARD MEETING
RIFAC, Room 5
Rock Island IL 61201

September 16th 2025 Minutes

1. Call to Order

President Fred Dasso called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

2. Attendance

Members Present: Fred Dasso, Mike Foley, Venessa Taylor, Paul Hansen, Bill Anderson

Members Absent: John McEvoy

Staff Present: John Gripp, Executive Director; Todd Winter, Assistant Director; Kimberly Kruse, Parks Administrative Office Manager

Staff Absent: none

Audience: none

3. August Park Board Minutes

Minutes are adopted as written.

4. Correspondence

Thank you from Rally for Breast Cancer and The Moline Foundation were recognized.

5. Monthly Report from Finance Department as of July 2025 was given

6. Approval of the Bills for the Month of August for \$190,305.87

Mr. Dasso: Aye Mr. Foley: Aye Mr. McEvoy: Abs Ms. Taylor: Aye Mr. Hansen: Aye Mr. Anderson: Aye

7. Director's Report and other reports

Monthly Reports given by Executive Director and Assistant Director as written in the park board packet available on the rigov.org website.

8. New Business

Motion to approve Augustana's 150th Celebration made by Mr. Foley. Seconded by Mr. Anderson.

Mr. Dasso: Aye Mr. Foley: Aye Mr. McEvoy: Abs Ms. Taylor: Aye Mr. Hansen: Aye Mr. Anderson: Aye

Motion to approve Junior High Cross-Country Meet made by Mr. Foley. Seconded by Mr. Hansen.

Mr. Dasso: Aye Mr. Foley: Aye Mr. McEvoy: Abs Ms. Taylor: Aye Mr. Hansen: Aye Mr. Anderson: Aye

Dean and Deb Mathias silhouette memorial will go up at Schwiebert Park. This has been approved by the city manager.

Public Reading of OSLAD Grant 2026 and BAAD Grant 2026. No audience or extended discussion.

9. Other Business

None

The meeting was adjourned at 5:57 pm

Kimberly B Kruse,
Parks & Recreation
Admin Office Manager