

ZION PARK DISTRICT
PARK BOARD MEETING

APRIL 16, 2026 - 7:00 PM
Leisure Center - 2400 Dowie Memorial Drive

AGENDA

1. Roll call & pledge
2. Approval of minutes for the Regular Meeting of the Park Board and Finance Committee meeting held on March 19, 2026
3. Guests: welcome & comments
4. Approval of agenda
5. Commissioner comments

REPORTS:

6. Attorney report
7. Approval of Park District expenditures for March in the amount of \$436,526.90
8. Executive Director report

NEW BUSINESS:

9. Kathy Garness presentation - Vegetation of Hosah Park
10. Concession License with Brother Willie to operate Shiloh Park Concession Stand in Summer 2026
11. Final review and approval of Park District budget for Fiscal Year 2026 - 2027
12. Resolution #927 - Zion Park District Park Rangers to no longer carry firearms while on duty and to function as unarmed public safety ambassadors, focusing on public assistance, administrative rule enforcement, observation and reporting, and emergency coordination. In situations where armed officers are deemed appropriate, the Chief of Park Rangers will make an advanced request through partner police entities for assistance.

OTHER:

13. Executive Session - for the purpose of the Board discussing employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of employees pursuant to Section 2(c)(1) of the Illinois Open Meeting Act
14. Executive Director merit raise as discussed in Executive Session
15. Adjournment