

DeKalb County Forest Preserve District
Sycamore, Illinois

**Forest Preserve Operations Committee Meeting Minutes
March 28, 2024**

The Forest Preserve Operations Committee of the DeKalb County Board met at the Legislative Center's Freedom Room in Sycamore, Illinois on Thursday, March 28, 2024. Chair Roy Plote called the meeting to order at 6:00pm. Those Members present were Mary Cozad, Meryl Domina, Benjamin Haier, Terri Mann-Lamb, and Stewart Ogilvie. A quorum was established with six Members present and one absent. Member Maureen Little arrived at 6:04pm. All seven Members were now present.

Forest Preserve Superintendent Terry Hannan was also present.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Ogilvie moved to approve the agenda as presented. Mann-Lamb seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

It was moved by Cozad, seconded by Mann-Lamb and was carried unanimously to approve the minutes of the January 25, 2024 Forest Preserve Operations Committee Meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

PRESENTATIONS/DISCUSSIONS

Mr. Hannan shared the monthly report for February and March 2024. To view the report on the website, please visit the link below:

<https://dekalbcounty.org/government/reports-of-county-officials/monthly-forest-preserve-reports/>

Mr. Hannan reported one more acquisition of the G2K Trail is planned for this Spring to connect to Kingston, Illinois. The G2K Trail begins at Carroll Park in Genoa, Illinois and currently ends about two (2) miles further in Kingston. After this trail project comes to a finish, limestone surfacing will be completed on the trail sections that need surfacing.

CONSIDERATIONS

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Hannan reported the Forest Preserve Operations Committee will begin meeting outside at designated DeKalb County Forest Preserves as weather permits.

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ADJOURNMENT

Mann-Lamb moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:25pm. Haier seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Lisa Reser, Recording Secretary