



Des Moines Pool Metropolitan Park District

August 12, 2024

7 p.m.

Hybrid (DMPMPD District Office and Remote Online)

MINUTES SPECIAL MEETING

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

President Young called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Also, present were Commissioners Dusenbury, Campbell, Stender and Thorell; and District General Manager (GM) Deschenes; and resident, Gene Achziger.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Commissioner Dusenbury led the flag salute.

ADOPTION/MODIFICATIONS OF AGENDA – There were no modifications to the agenda as this was a special meeting. Commissioner Stender moved to accept the agenda. Commissioner Campbell 2nd. The motion passed 5-0.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, PROCLAMATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS – None.

PUBLIC COMMENT –None.

BUSINESS

6. District General Manager Payment Request

The pool district had previously reviewed the performance of the District General Manager and requested a proposal for compensation. The District General Manager had requested benefits and a 4% increase of retirement. The Board of Commissioners had made a counterproposal, and the District General Manager presented his acceptance of their counterproposal, but requested the benefits start when he started his benefits, which was June 1, 2024.

Commissioner Campbell moved to increase the compensation of the District General Manager not to exceed \$14,498.68 per year to go medical, which will be reviewed to cover the entire request in 2025 and be retroactive to June 1, 2024. Commissioner Stender 2nd. The motion passed 5-0.

7. Financial Presentation

The District General Manager made a presentation on the overall financial position of the pool district. A copy of the presentation is included in the August 12 agenda packet. After discussion, the board directed the District General Manager to find a bond broker to start the process on getting the pool district a bond rating. President Young recommended reaching out to a consultant on public financing, and requested the District General Manager reach out to FCS Group. An update will be made at the next board meeting..

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7. Good of the Order

Commissioner Campbell notified the board that she will not be at the August 27 meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

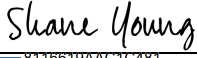
With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:48pm.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

- August 27, 2024, Regular Board Meeting, 7:00pm, Location: Hybrid (DMPMPD Offices and Online)
- September 24, 2024, Regular Board Meeting, 7:00pm, Location: Hybrid (DMPMPD Offices and Online)

Respectfully submitted by Scott Deschenes, District General Manager.


Des Moines Pool Metropolitan Park District Board of Commissioners

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 Commissioner Young


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Commissioner Campbell

Commissioner Thorell

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 Commissioner Dusenbury

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 Commissioner Stender

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