



I. Roll Call:

II. Presentation: None

III. Old Business: Commission minutes June 16, 2026**

IV. Public comment:

V. President's Comments

VI. Claims:**

Forest Preserve General Fund claims @ \$73,367.97
Forest Preserve Liability Fund claims @ \$26,076.01
Treasurer's Disbursements @ \$123,868.20

Niabi Zoo Fund claims @ \$192,347.62
DF&CI Fund claims @ \$51,501.78

Claims and Treasurer's Disbursements totaling \$467,161.58

VII. Transfers

Consider transfers of appropriations**

VIII. Resolutions

Consider a resolution regarding the semi-annual review of closed session minutes**

Consider a resolution regarding FY26 Niabi Zoo Fund Appropriations for Giraffe Deck Roof Repair & Fiber Optic Project**

Consider a Resolution regarding FY 2026 DFCI EV Charging Station Grant Improvement**

Consider a Resolution regarding FY 2026 DFCI Fund – Zoo Open Space Land Acquisition & Development Grant**

IX. Ordinance

There are no ordinances this month

X. Other New Business:

Consider purchase of Ford Maverick AWD from Morrow Brothers in the amount of \$35,655.00**

Closed Session per 5 ILCS120/2 (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; Kilgore v. RICFPD; Case No. 4:24-cv-04145-SLD-RLH, United States District Court Central District of Illinois Rock Island Division**

XI. Comments from Commissioners

XII. Reports: Approval of all routine reports:

District Budget Performance Report**
April Palmer – Auditor's Reports**
Mike Petersen - Illiniwek report**
Lee Jackson – Niabi Zoo report**

Nick Camlin – Treasurer's Report**
Todd Collins & Jay Verstraete – Indian Bluff report **
Ben Mills – Loud Thunder report**
Jeff Craver – Director's report**

Recess

The next meeting of the Forest Preserve Commission will be held at the Rock Island County Building, 1504 3rd Ave, Rock Island, Illinois 61201 on Tuesday, August 18th at 5:30 PM following the meeting of the Rock Island County Board.

*The Forest Preserve Commission will begin immediately following the meeting of the Rock Island County Board

**Items in Commissioners packets can be viewed online at the District's website www.ricfpd.org

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