

The February 27, 2025 meeting of the Glenwood Park Board was called to order by Chairman Randy Romens.

Roll Call: Randy Romens, Vanessa Covington, Malcolm McCue, Chelsey Mass, Park Superintendent Ron Mattox, Councilman Mike Lines.

Motion by Covington, 2nd by McCue to approve the agenda, claims, and minutes of the January 13, 2025 meeting. Ayes 4, Nays 0

Mattox spoke with Diana Burchett of the YMCA regarding the annual Easter Egg Hunt. It will be on Saturday, April 19 at 11:00 a.m. Motion by Covington, 2nd by Mass to allow the Easter Egg Hunt to take place on April 19. Ayes 4, Nays 0


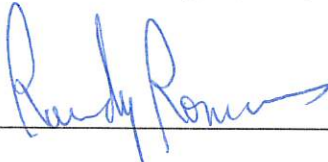
The Nebraska Trailblazers presented an event to city council to host a 5k and 10k walk on Saturday, June 28 from 9:00 a.m. til 12:00 p.m. Council has approved this event, but wanted the Park Board to also approve. Motion by McCue, 2nd by Covington to allow this 5k/10k event. Ayes 4, Nays 0

Disc Golf – Covington asked Mattox if it would be possible to put two or three trash cans up on the course. He said they would either have to be very heavy ones or something that could be staked down due to the wind. He will look into some options and get them ordered.

Superintendent Report: Mattox said that he and City Administrator Kolf met with the soccer club regarding a building at the soccer complex. They have decided to work on getting a building for storage, but not restrooms. Mattox suggested they may want to go ahead and rough-in plumbing for future restrooms. The club is still working on funding for this project so it will still be awhile; Mattox said that they hit one of the benches when they were plowing snow, so they will need to have it repaired; S&W Fence is coming to look at the fence at the baseball fields that still needs replaced. ICAP has already paid this claim; Soccer season starts March 15 and baseball starts the end of March, so things will be gearing up soon. The two part time employees from last year, Doug and John, are both willing to come back. Mattox said it would still be good to have one more, but not sure if the budget will allow for it; The Park Host position has been posted and Mattox said he has talked to a couple people who may be interested. Hopefully we can review applications at the April meeting; Mattox stated that our current budget is proposed to be cut by 10%. He talked to Kolf regarding the purchase of the new mower that has already been approved. It will still be purchased, by some of the cost may come out of another line item; Mattox stated that he would like to do a concrete or asphalt transition coming off of the baseball complex entrance, because it is steep and the gravel just gets thrown around; Mattox said he has been looking into getting a permanent, concrete set of cornhole boards to place at the park.

Other Business: The board had more discussion regarding the current budget and budget cuts. Romens said the city is looking into using LOST funds for recreation. Currently they are strictly used for YMCA. McCue said that we still have a good amount of money still in the Buildings, Grounds and Maintenance line item and we need to make sure to use it before the fiscal year is up. Mattox said he could easily use \$10,000 worth of gravel for various locations and we still need to get the large tree taken down. It will be expensive and we need to find a company that can actually do it. Mattox said he had not heard anything about sand volleyball league returning to the park. There is likely to be some maintenance that needs done on the court. Romens said that he will talk to Amber Landolt about the league's plans.

Motion by Covington, 2nd by Mass to adjourn the meeting. Ayes 4, Nays 0

	
_____ Vanessa Covington, Secretary	_____ Randy Romens, Chairperson