

**SKOKIE PARK DISTRICT**

**MINUTES  
OF THE  
COMMUNITY MEETING  
ON  
THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 2014  
7:00 P.M.  
WEBER LEISURE CENTER**

**COMPREHENSIVE MASTER PLAN COMMUNITY INPUT**

President Mike Reid called the community meeting on the Comprehensive Master Plan at 7:00 p.m. Present were:

Mike Reid	President	Skokie Park District
John V. Ohrlund	Executive Director	Skokie Park District
Michelle Tuft	Supt. Of Rec. & Facilities	Skokie Park District
Mike Rea	Supt. of Parks	Skokie Park District
Jim Bottorff	Marketing/Comm. Mgr.	Skokie Park District
Dima Kirland	Office Manager	Skokie Park District

as well as approximately ten members of the public and Mike Isaacs of the Skokie Review. President Reid welcomed everyone to the meeting and made staff and consultant introductions. He described the purpose of the meeting; to solicit input for a new 5-year comprehensive master plan for the District. Executive Director Ohrlund expressed thanks for taking the time out of individual busy schedules to attend the meeting and express their ideas.

Bill Inman from Hitchcock Design Group asked the attendees about what priorities the Skokie Park District should include in the 5-year comprehensive master plan. He gave each participant the opportunity to provide up to 5 ideas for discussion. The various ideas were then reviewed, discussed and voted upon. The primary topics included special events, safety, ice, dogs in parks, communications, trails, aquatics/indoor pool, green practices, programs (including indoor) and park improvements.

Mr. Inman categorized the various ideas and attendees were given the opportunity to vote on the ideas that they felt were most important to include in the plan. Mr. Inman said the information gathered will be incorporated into the comprehensive plan.

Following additional input, Mr. Inman and President Reid expressed thanks to those present for attending.

President Reid adjourned the meeting at 8:04 pm

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Michael Reid  
President

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John V. Ohrlund  
Secretary