



# Village of Oak Park

123 Madison Street  
Oak Park, Illinois 60302  
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## Meeting Minutes

### President and Board of Trustees

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Tuesday, June 10, 2025

7:00 PM

Village Hall

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#### I. Call to Order

Village President Vicki Scaman called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:09 P.M.

#### II. Roll Call

Junior Deputy Clerk Viola Vega called the Roll Call.

Trustee Wesley joined via remote participation per Village protocols.

**Present:** 5 - Village President Scaman, Village Trustee Enya, Village Trustee Leving Jacobson, Village Trustee Straw, and Village Trustee Wesley

**Absent:** 1 - Village Trustee Taglia

#### III. Agenda Approval

Junior Deputy Clerk Sofia Gerringer called the roll call vote.

**It was moved by Trustee Enya, seconded by Trustee Leving Jacobson, to approve the Agenda. The motion was approved. The roll call on the vote was as follows:**

**AYES:** 5 - Village President Scaman, Village Trustee Enya, Village Trustee Leving Jacobson, Village Trustee Straw, and Village Trustee Wesley

**NAYS:** 0

**ABSENT:** 1 - Village Trustee Taglia

#### IV. Minutes

##### A. [MOT 25-191](#) A Motion to Approve Minutes from the Tuesday, May 20, 2025 Regular Meeting of the Village Board.

Junior Deputy Clerk Tatiana Vega called the roll call vote. Village Clerk Christina Waters introduced the three junior deputy clerks and presented them with certificates and gift cards.

**It was moved by Trustee Straw, seconded by Trustee Leving Jacobson, that this Motion be approved. The motion was approved. The roll call on the vote was as follows:**

**AYES:** 5 - Village President Scaman, Village Trustee Enya, Village Trustee Leving Jacobson, Village Trustee Straw, and Village Trustee Wesley

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: 1 - Village Trustee Taglia

## V. Non-Agenda Public Comment

Monique Matthew: Said a prayer. Resident said she was followed in Oak Park for three days and made a police report. She said President Scaman has done nothing since she has been here. Said all she sees is terrorists and danger coming into our community. President Scaman said she can email her to continue the conversation.

[Male]: Lives at 114 South Humphrey. The property manager doesn't care about the residents. President Scaman said staff can follow up with him.

## VI. Village Manager Reports

Village Manager Kevin Jackson said staff will provide the Board with updated calendars for the summer with tentative dates scheduled for Board goal-setting.

## VII. Village Board Committees

Clerk Waters reported the Citizen Involvement Commission meetings will now start at 6:30 P.M. instead of 7:00 P.M.

## VIII. Citizen Commission Vacancies

### C. [ID 25-394](#) Board and Commission Vacancy Report for June 10, 2025

There were no comments.

## IX. Citizen Commission Appointments, Reappointments and Chair Appointments

### D. [MOT 25-193](#) A Motion to Consent to the Village President's Appointment of: Aging in Communities Commission - Monika Robinson, 12-month Term Extension as Commissioner Disability Access Commission - Darien Bloom, Reappoint as Commissioner for 2nd Term Community Development Citizens Advisory Committee - Kirsten Weismantle, Appointment as Commissioner for 1st Term

Clerk Waters read the names into the record.

It was moved by Trustee Enyia, seconded by Trustee Straw, to approve the Appointments. A voice vote was taken and the motion was approved.

## X. Consent Agenda

## Approval of the Consent Agenda

It was moved by Trustee Straw, seconded by Trustee Wesley to approve the items under the Consent Agenda. The motion was approved. The roll call on the vote was as follows:

**AYES:** 5 - Village President Scaman, Village Trustee Enyia, Village Trustee Leving Jacobson, Village Trustee Straw, and Village Trustee Wesley

**NAYS:** 0

**ABSENT:** 1 - Village Trustee Taglia

- E.     [ORD 25-149](#)   An Ordinance Authorizing the Sale of Surplus Vehicles and Equipment Owned by the Village of Oak Park**  
This Ordinance was approved.
- F.     [RES 25-212](#)   A Resolution Approving a Construction Agreement with The Baltimore & Ohio Chicago Terminal Railroad Company for Construction of the 2025 Bridge Repair Project Over the Railroad's Property in an Amount not to Exceed \$41,494 and Authorizing its Execution**  
This Resolution was adopted.
- G.     [RES 25-219](#)   A Resolution Authorizing the Execution of an Intergovernmental Agreement with the State of Illinois for the Municipal Maintenance of State Highways**  
This Resolution was adopted.
- H.     [RES 25-220](#)   A Resolution Approving a Professional Services Agreement with Sterns, Conrad and Schmidt, Consulting Engineers, Inc. for the Development of a Waste Characterization Study in an Amount not to exceed \$83,560 and Authorizing its Execution**  
This Resolution was adopted.

## XI. Regular Agenda

- I.     [ORD 25-148](#)   An Ordinance Amending Chapter 2, Article 19 ("Community Relations Commission") Of The Oak Park Village Code Regarding The Community Relations Commission's Establishment; Composition and Duties and Functions**  
  
Assistant Village Manager/HR Director Kira Tchang presented the Item. Community Relations Commission Chair Yoko Terretta expressed her gratitude.  
  
It was moved by Trustee Enyia, seconded by Trustee Straw, that this Ordinance be adopted. The motion was approved. The roll call on the vote was as follows:

**AYES:** 5 - Village President Scaman, Village Trustee Enyia, Village Trustee Leving Jacobson, Village Trustee Straw, and Village Trustee Wesley

**NAYS:** 0

**ABSENT:** 1 - Village Trustee Taglia

## **XII. Call to Board and Clerk**

President Scaman said we will have a Juneteenth proclamation next week and there will be Juneteenth events this weekend. She read a statement on Juneteenth.

Trustee Enyia invited the community to attend the Juneteenth flag-raising at Village Hall tomorrow from 6-8:30 pm and the cookout this Saturday. He wished his dad a happy 80th birthday and congratulated his daughter's softball team for winning their championship game.

Trustee Straw congratulated Oak Park Youth Baseball and Softball (OPYBS) on another successful season.

Trustee Leving Jacobson expressed her gratitude to Clerk Waters for organizing the junior deputy clerk program.

President Scaman announced Senator Don Harmon has added \$100K to the state budget to further support The Day Nursery. She participated with Kindness Creators in a gay pride parade.

## **XIII. Adjourn**

It was moved by Trustee Straw, seconded by Trustee Leving Jacobson, to Adjourn. A voice vote was taken and the motion was approved. Meeting adjourned at 7:49 P.M., Tuesday, June 10, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,  
Deputy Clerk Hansen