



**Westmont Park District Board of Commissioners
Minutes of the Special Meeting
Veterans Memorial Park
141 S. Linden St., Westmont, IL 60559
April 12, 2023 5:30 pm**

The Groundbreaking Ceremony commenced at 5:40 pm.

Those present included:

Commissioners Bill Belmonte, Mike Conneely, John Karesh, Karen Moffett, Sue Zapinski
Staff: Bob Fleck, Executive Director, Joel Hymen, Supt. of Revenue Facilities & IT/Asst.
Director, Luke Wyss, Supt. of Recreation, Rosy Fejzic, Finance Manager & Accountant,
Lenore Farmer, Finance Assistant & HR, Rachel Buster-Dorsey, Athletics Coordinator, John
Chorney, Parks & Facilities Foreman, Alice Krampits, Senior & Special Events Coordinator,
Lily Liburdi, Marketing & Communications Specialist

Guests: Westmont Mayor Ron Gunter, Westmont Chamber Executive Director Larry Forssberg
Representatives from Williams Architects and E.P. Doyle & Son
Members of the Westmont Community

Those present were gathered around the construction site at the southwest corner of Veterans Memorial Park, near the intersection of Linden and Dallas Streets, where the new multi-purpose building will stand. Executive Director Fleck welcomed all present, made introductions, and briefly spoke about the new building. Mayor Gunter then addressed those present, followed by Steve Mihelich of Williams Architects. Finally, President Karesh spoke, explaining how this new facility will benefit the residents of Westmont. The Commissioners then commenced with the official groundbreaking, along with participation from the mayor, representatives from Williams Architects and E.P. Doyle, Executive Director Fleck and Assistant Director Hymen.

The groundbreaking ceremony ended at 6:05 pm. Commissioners and staff proceeded into the Administrative Center to begin the Regular Meeting.