

Resolution Number: 26-03-23-01

## Minutes

February 23, 2026

### Call to Order:

Ms. Pierce, Commissioner, called the Board of Greene County Parks & Trails Park District Commissioners meeting to order for its regular session on February 23, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. Those in attendance included: Commissioner Rhett Rohrer, Commissioner Charles Frazier, Greene County Administrator Brandon Huddleson, Greene County Parks & Trails Director Richard Kharman, Assistant Director Rick Inman and Program Specialist Heather Beals.

### Approval of Minutes:

Mr. Rohrer made a motion, seconded by Ms. Pierce to approve the minutes from the January 29, 2025 meeting.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: Rohrer, Pierce and Frazier

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### Payment of Expenses:

Mr. Frazier made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rohrer to approve the payment of Miscellaneous expenses of the 0601 Park District Fund.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: Frazier, Rohrer and Pierce

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**BCWA Grant Request:**

Mr. Kharman discussed with the board the grant from the BCWA. The board decided to table the request until some further clarification on certain items.

**Domestic Violence Center Grant Request:**

Mr. Rohrer made a motion, seconded by Mr. Frazier to approve the grant request for the Domestic Violence Center in the amount of \$2,000.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: Rohrer and Frazier; Abstained: Pierce

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**5-Year Project Plan:**

Mr. Khaman discussed with the board the 5-year plan for future projects for the department.

**Filming Season:**

Mr. Kharman mentioned to the board about some requests about filming done in the parks.

**Agreement Update:**

Mr. Kharman updated the board that the management agreement between Park District and Greene County Commissioners has been signed and is in effect.

**Interview Update:**

Mr. Inman discussed with the board the outcome of the interviews that were held for some open maintenance positions. Currently those positions remain unfilled.

**Projects:**

Mr. Inman and Mr. Kharman updated the board on the current special projects within the park system.

1. Snow Removal: The team worked hard to remove the 10+ inches of snow received over the county.
2. Critter Cove: Wall has been removed to make animal room ADA accessible.
3. Massie Creek: Work to be resumed after snow and ice accumulation.
4. ODNR: Currently waiting for them to approve the contract.
5. Campgrounds: 90% done with design. Will take 2-4 weeks for permits. Construction set to start May 1 with a tentative completion date of November 1.

**Other Business:**


• **Upcoming Events:**

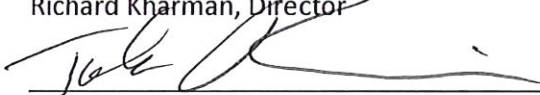
- Beaded Succulent – February 24<sup>th</sup>
- Bingo in the Park – February 25<sup>th</sup>
- Greene Labs – Homeschool Science for Teens – February 26<sup>th</sup>
- Maple Sugar Camp Tours – February 28<sup>th</sup>
- Urban Homesteading 101 - February 28<sup>th</sup> – May 30<sup>th</sup>
- Cake Decorating with Ele – Fox – March 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Full Moon Hike – Worm Moon Glow Hike – March 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Great Pancake Pickup – March 7<sup>th</sup>
- GTO Pamper Party – March 13<sup>th</sup>
- Nature Tech for Newbies – Stellarium – March 13<sup>th</sup>
- Bingo in the Park – March 18<sup>th</sup>
- Nature Preschool – March 18<sup>th</sup> – May 6<sup>th</sup>
- Easter Egg Scramble – March 21<sup>st</sup>
- Jellybean Jamboree – March 21<sup>st</sup>
- Woodpecker Walk – March 22<sup>nd</sup>

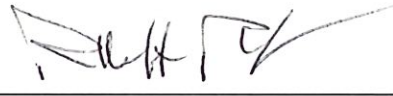
Comments:


Adjourn:

There being no further business to conduct, President Pierce adjourned the meeting at 10:00 a.m. The next regular scheduled monthly board meeting is set for March 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Date: 3/23/26 Submitted by:   
Richard Kharman, Director

  
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